# Student Health Insurance FAQ's

Most students are required to have health insurance while enrolled at HSC. If you find yourself without coverage due to age limitations or employment changes, contact our office for insurance information and to get coverage through our school insurance plan!

## What is the cost of the School Insurance Plan?

The pricing guide for the current policy year can be found on the Student Health Insurance website at unthsc.myahpcare.com.

## How can I waive out of the School's Insurance Plan?

Students can waive coverage by completing the online waiver and providing proof of coverage by the census date of each term of enrollment.

## What happens if I do not complete the waiver?

If you do not complete the online waiver by the census day, you will be automatically enrolled and billed for the Student Health Insurance policy. Excluding SBS in-person and SPH programs.

## How do I pay for the Student Health Insurance?

If you are in TCOM, School of Health Professions, College of Pharmacy, SBS online MedSci program or an international student in ANY program, the cost of insurance is added on your tuition bill.

## Can I cover my spouse and/or children?

Yes, coverage is available for family members. Payment is the sole responsibility of the student and must be made at the time of enrollment. Dependents may be enrolled no longer than the term for which the student is enrolled.

## I turned 26 after the waiver period and need insurance. What do I do?

Contact the Student Health Insurance Office at health@unthsc.edu or 817-735-5054. Someone will assist you in obtaining coverage through our current contracted carrier.

## Where may I go to view policy information and benefits?

Visit the Student Health Insurance website at unthsc.myahpcare.com to view the policy information. Here you will can also begin your enrollment or opt-out of the plan.

## Why are we required to have health insurance?

As of January 2014, a governmental mandate, known as the Affordable Care Act, was put into place which requires all individuals to have health insurance.

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For more information, contact Tina Hay, Health Coordinator at:

- health@unthsc.edu
- 817-735-5054

Please note: While the university may accept many policies of health insurance with minimum coverage, the Student Health Clinic may not. If you plan to utilize the Student Health Clinic, please call 817-735-5051 to see what plans are currently accepted prior to selecting a policy.