HEALTH INSURANCE

Domestic Students
- Domestic students are not required by the University to obtain health insurance through the University of Houston. However, it is highly encouraged for all students to have some form of health insurance.
- To enroll in health insurance through the University of Houston, you have 3 options:
  - Option 1: Direct Pay by mailing enrollment card to Macori Administration – see enrollment card and benefit book for requirements and deadlines.
  - Option 2: Direct Pay by enrolling online at www.studentinsurance.com/Schools/TX/UH/ - see online enrollment information for requirements and deadlines.
  - Option 3: Sign up through myUH (PeopleSoft) to have your premium charged to your student account (Fall and Spring Semesters only – Use Option 1 or 2 to enroll for Summer only coverage). See benefit book or online enrollment information for requirements.
- **ENROLLMENT DEADLINE:** Official Reporting Day as posted in the Academic Calendar.
- **ENROLLED IN ERROR:** Come to the Health Center to request a credit to your student account during the posted insurance waiver period. Requests for credit will not be accepted after the Official Reporting Day as posted in the Academic Calendar.
- **NOTE:** A copy of the University of Houston endorsed Health Insurance Plan brochure and identification card for the current Academic year may be obtained at www.studentinsurance.com/Schools/TX/UH/ or the University Health Center. You should read and understand the policy’s coverage, limitations, claim processing and your responsibilities. The brochure also provides information about medical emergencies, vision care discounts, 24/7 nurse line, optional dental insurance and medical evacuation/repatriation. You should carry the identification card with you at all times. The card contains your policy number and contact information for the insurance company and provider network for the current Academic Year.

International Students
- Non-immigrant International students, who are carrying hours, will be automatically enrolled and charged for health insurance each semester to satisfy the University policy regarding maintaining acceptable health insurance coverage. The amount during Fall 2014 was approximately $750.
- A waiver of the health insurance fee may be requested online with proof of acceptable alternate insurance. The insurance plan and University’s criteria are reviewed periodically and may be subject to change.

Insurance Resources
- UH Health Center, Student Health Insurance Office Website: http://www.uh.edu/healthcenter/insurance/
- UH Health Center, Student Health Insurance Office Phone: 713-743-5151
- UH Health Center, Student Health Insurance Office Email: UH@studentinsurance.com