



HEALTH CARE

Health insurance is mandatory for all students for the entire duration of their stay in Poland.

Are you an EU citizen?

- you should have health insurance in your home country,
- you are eligible for free health service treatment in Poland provided that you present your European Health Insurance Card (EHIC).

Are you a non-EU citizen?

Do you have the Pole's Card (Karta Polaka) or Polish descent confirmed by a consulate?

If yes, you are entitled to be insured by the University at the cost of the Polish government.

In order to be insured, you have to sign a contract with the National Health Fund (Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia) and submit a copy of the contract to the Welfare Section of the Office for Student Affairs along with:

- the application form (printed, filled in and signed),
- a copy of the Pole's Card or certificate of Polish origin,
- confirmation of student status (issued by the students affairs office of the faculty).

If you are a non-EU citizen who has neither the Pole's Card nor

Polish descent, you should also have insurance during the whole duration of your stay in Poland. Otherwise you will have to pay for any health services you receive.

You can sign a healthcare insurance agreement with the National Health Fund (Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia) or with one of the private health providers in Poland.

Check the Welcome Point website to learn how to apply for voluntary healthcare insurance in the National Health Fund.

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NATIONAL HEALTH FUND (NFZ):

- ▶ www.nfz.gov.pl

The Masovian branch of the National Health Fund:
Mazowiecki Oddział Wojewódzki Narodowego Funduszu Zdrowia
Chałubińskiego 8, 00-613 Warsaw
tel. (+48) 22 456 74 01

EUROPEAN HEALTH INSURANCE CARD (EHIC)

- ▶ www.ekuz.nfz.gov.pl
- ▶ www.ec.europa.eu/social/main.jsp?catId=509&langId=en

POLISH SOCIAL INSURANCE INSTITUTION (ZUS)

- ▶ www.lang.zus.pl/en

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HEALTH CENTRES

If you have signed a contract with the National Health Fund or you have European Health Insurance Card (EHIC), you are entitled to primary healthcare provided by one of the institutions contracted by the National Health Fund.

Remember to take with you the following documents:

- a copy of your passport/national ID,
- European Health Insurance Card/Insurance.

You can also visit one of several private health centres on a payment basis.