

Health insurance

All foreign students should have an insurance policy for sickness and accident in Poland. Such a policy should cover at least the first year of studies, amounting to 30,000 EUR for medical treatment throughout the insured period.

In the case of the holders of the Card of the Pole or a permanent residence permit or the decision confirming Polish descent, an NFZ premium can be paid by the university.

For this purpose, they should contact Office for Scholarships and Medical Insurance (Biuro Stypendiów i Ubezpieczeń Zdrowotnych), Main Building, room 215 (second floor).

An insurance policy can be confirmed in the following way:

1. an insurance policy with [Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia NFZ, ul. Wadowicka 8W Kraków \(the National Health Fund\)](#)

Persons who are not holders of the Card of the Pole may sign a contract with Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia and make premium payments on their own. A copy of a contract along with payment confirmations should be submitted to Unit for Teaching Administration (Dział Nauczania).

NOTE!

To sign a contract with NFZ (the National Health Fund), a student needs the following documents: a certificate confirming admission to studies, PESEL number, a document confirming a student's residence (e.g. a residence hall).

Prior to a visit to Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia, please check what documents are required for applying for an insurance policy.

The necessity to check required documents applies, in particular, to persons under age!

<http://www.nfz.gov.pl/dla-pacjenta/zalatw-sprawe-krok-po-kroku/jak-ubezpieczyc-sie-dobrowolnie/>

2. An insurance policy covering the costs of medical treatment in Poland in the amount of 30,000 EUR.

An insurance policy issued abroad must be translated into the Polish language.

3. A certificate issued by an employer, confirming the payment of a premium.

4. European Health Insurance Card (in respect of EU citizens)