

2018-2019 Student Health Insurance Premiums for Mandated Students Student Plus Spouse

This information is intended for:

- International undergraduates with a J or F visa status
- International graduates with a J or F visa status (with no qualified graduate assistantship, fellowship or training grant)
- Doctor of Pharmacy students

Premium Information

*****The premium structure associated with optional coverage for spouses and dependent children will increase significantly for the 2018-2019 plan year.*****

- The 2018-2019 premium for student coverage increased approximately 7% from the 2017-2018 premiums. The annual premium for a student's coverage increased a total of \$164 per year.
- During this past year, the USG student health insurance plan experienced a high level of health care claims from spouses and dependents who USG students chose to cover through this plan. While the USG was able to negotiate the best overall premium structure for covering its students, the *premium structure for spouses and dependent children increased significantly* for the 2018-2019 plan year because of the claims experience from this past year. Claims experience for the student health insurance plan is thoroughly and carefully reviewed by the USG and its student health insurance broker during the rate renewal negotiations. **UPDATE: The below premium for Spouse coverage reflects the reduced premium amount the student must pay.**

2018-2019 Premiums for Mandated Students Student plus Spouse Coverage						
	Fall 2018 (coverage from 8/1/18 - 12/31/18)		Spring/Summer 2019 (coverage from 1/1/19 - 7/31/19)		Summer-only 2019 (coverage from 5/1/19 - 7/31/19)	
	Student	Spouse*	Student	Spouse*	Student	Spouse*
Student Plus Spouse	\$1,015	\$2,366	\$1,407	\$3,279	\$610	\$1,423
Total Premium	\$3,381		\$4,686		\$2,033	

*Reflects the reduced premium amount the student must pay for Spouse coverage.

Payment of Premiums

- **Student Coverage**
 - The student portion of the premium is placed as a single charge on the student's UGA student account.
- **Spouse Coverage**
 - The premium for spouse coverage is paid directly to United Healthcare Student Resources at the time of enrollment. The coverage period premium is due in full at the time of enrollment.

UGA Human Resources understands that students who are enrolled or are considering enrolling their dependents will have questions about the premium increases for the dependent health insurance options. UGA HR benefits counselors will be available to answer your questions and discuss alternative health insurance coverage options. If you have questions, please contact UGA Human Resources at 706-542-2222 or gshiplan@uga.edu.