

Guide for International Students Regarding National Health Insurance

[Who are subject to national Health Insurance?]

- Any international students staying in Korea with a D-2 Visa is subject to the mandatory subscription to the National health insurance of Korea as of March 1, 2021.

[Fees]

- Monthly Fee for national Health for international students: About **USD 60**

[Insurance Benefits]

- Co-Payment: the co-payment is the portion of the health care service cost paid by patients to the medical service provider when they visit a hospital. This is to curb people's strong preference of tertiary hospitals to general hospital and clinics nearby so that to help use of medical resources more efficiently.

<https://www.nhis.or.kr/english/wbheaa02600m01.do>

Please visit the above site for further information.

[Disadvantages with Nonpayment of Contributions]

- **Restrictions on Visa Extension:** Your stay in Korea may not be extended by the Korea Immigration service (The restriction on visa extension does not apply if the contributions in arrears is less than KRW 500,000 or if other collection in arrears are less than KRW 100,000)

[Enrollment Procedure]

- No action is required from students, as they are ***automatically subscribed*** to health insurance by the National Health Insurance.

[National Health Insurance Center for Foreign Residents]

Center Name	Center information
Seoul	https://www.nhis.or.kr/english/wbheaa02100m01.do
Suwon	

Inquiry & Consultation	
1577- 1000 Dial 7 for information on foreign languages	033-811-2000 Services in English, Chinese, Vietnamese and Uzbek

Guide for Exclusion of the national Health insurance

[Who can apply for Exclusion of Health Insurance]

- Students who hold a private insurance that covers emergency and hospital bills abroad with unlimited coverage (has to be of foreign corporation.)
- Students who are of French Nationality

[How can you apply for unsubscribing?]

- 1) Fill out the below form for Exclusion for Health insurance for overseas Korean and foreigner
- 2) Have the major parts that states your coverage of the insurance translated in Korean.
(It does not have to be an official translation, any translation works)
- 3) Visit the center for foreign residents and turn the papers in!

