

IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ

The U.S. Department of State requires all Exchange Visitors to have health insurance that meets its minimum requirements.

As an employee of K-State, you will have the option to obtain health insurance through the State Employee Health (SEHP). The only insurance plan offered through K-State that meets the Department of State's minimum medical benefits is **Plan J**. In addition, the **insurance provided by Kansas State University does not include Evacuation¹ and Repatriation²**, which is also required by the U.S. Department of State. Therefore, **you must purchase this coverage separately**. See below for a listing of insurance providers that allows you to purchase this insurance as a stand-alone policy.

Name of Company	Web Address
BETiNS	www.BETiNS.com
Compass Benefits Group	https://www.studenthealthusa.com/
International Medical Group	www.imglobal.com
International Student Insurance	www.internationalstudentinsurance.com/schools/kansas-state-university.php

Your insurance with the State Employee Health Plan will not begin until your first day of employment. Since there may be a gap between the start date on the DS-2019 and your actual first day of employment, you may need to purchase medical insurance to bridge the gap. We are providing a list of insurance providers in case you need insurance until your first day of employment.

Please note: ISSS does not endorse or recommend any one insurance provider over another. Be sure to investigate thoroughly your options. You can also do your own internet search by looking for "insurance for foreign visitors." Be sure to assess policies based on your medical needs. Direct all your questions regarding health insurance to the company.

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ISO Insurance	www.isoa.org
LewerMark	lewermark.com
United Healthcare ³	https://www.uhcsr.com/
World Trips	StudentSecure: International Student Health Insurance

¹ The medical evacuation coverage provides benefits for transportation in the event the insured suffers a medical emergency and adequate medical facilities are not available nearby. It's important to understand that this coverage is not medical coverage. Instead, it is coverage for medically necessary transportation.

² Repatriation coverage means that the insurance company arranges for and handles the transportation necessary to return a covered person's body to his or her home in the event of death.

³ United Healthcare is the insurance provider for our international student population. Contact iss@ksu.edu for instructions on how to enroll in this plan.