2022-2023
University of Houston-Clear Lake
Student Health Insurance Plan
Underwritten by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBSTX)
The plan meets or exceeds a Gold metal level of coverage.

• Affordable, quality coverage compatible with the Affordable Care Act
• Academic Emergency Services (AES)*
• Covers you at school, at home and while traveling abroad
• Access to a broad Participating Provider Option (PPO) Network from BCBSTX
• Access to multilingual 24/7 Nurseline
• Discounts on vision, fitness and much more

Who can enroll?

Domestic Students: Undergraduate students attending UH-Clear Lake who are enrolled in six (6) or more credit hours (three (3) for summer session) are eligible to enroll for coverage within the posted open enrollment time period.

Graduate students attending UH-Clear Lake who are enrolled in three (3) or more credit hours are eligible to enroll for coverage within the posted open enrollment time period.

International Students: International students with “F” or “J” visa status are required to be covered under the UH System (UHS) Student Health Insurance Plan or have equivalent health insurance coverage, regardless of the number of credit hours taken. At the time of registration, the student will automatically be enrolled in the mandatory UHS-endorsed Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) and will be charged for the coverage period on their student financial account.

UH Clear Lake’s International students with “F” or “J” visa status may request a waiver of coverage based on the UH System’s waiver criteria. For more information regarding the waiver, please go to uhcl.myahpcare.com and click on the “Opt-Out” tab.

Enrollment is easy!

Domestic students may enroll via our website. Go to uhcl.myahpcare.com then click on the “Enroll/Cost” tab.

Please read the plan brochure in full to determine whether this Student Health Insurance Plan is right for you! The plan brochure provides details of the coverage including benefits, exclusions and any reductions or limitations and the terms under which the Policy may be continued in force. The plan brochure is available online at uhcl.myahpcare.com.

For dates and rates specific to UH-Clear Lake, please visit our website at uhcl.myahpcare.com then click on the “Enroll/Cost” tab.

You get online access to:
• View and download complete plan description
• Find provider and pharmacy information
• Download eligibility/enrollment information
• Download a temporary ID card
• Customer service, claims and benefit information

For additional information, go to uhcl.myahpcare.com.

*Academic Emergency Services and AD&D coverage are underwritten by 4 Ever Life International Limited and administered by Worldwide Insurance Services, LLC, separate and independent companies from Academic HealthPlans.

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Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, gender identity, age, sexual orientation, health status or disability. To get help and information in your language at no cost, please call us at 855-710-6984.

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711).


For the full list of languages, see your specific school policy.

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This document contains a summary of your school’s proposed student health insurance policy benefits, restrictions, and exclusions as of the date of its publication. The final policy is pending approval by applicable federal and state regulatory authorities, which may result in differences between this summary and the actual policy of insurance issued to you. For specific details about your plan, please refer to your policy of insurance.

1 This document is for informational purposes only and is neither an offer of coverage nor medical advice. It contains only a partial, general description of plan benefits and programs and does not constitute a contract. Covered expenses are subject to plan maximums, limitations and exclusions as described in the Policy. The PPO network is BCBSTX Participating Provider Option (PPO) Network.

2 Covered charges at in-network and out-of-network providers are based on the allowable amount. For more information, please see your School Policy.

3 The relationship between Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBSTX) and contracting pharmacies is that of independent contractors, contracted through a related company, Prime Therapeutics LLC. Prime Therapeutics LLC is a separate company that also administers the pharmacy benefit program. BCBSTX, as well as several other independent Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plans, has an ownership interest in Prime Therapeutics.

It is the student’s responsibility to notify the University of Houston – Clear Lake Campus Student Insurance Office BEFORE the waiver deadline if there is a reason he or she should not be re-enrolled.

**Deadlines, Coverage Periods and Premium Costs***

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***A $18.00 AES fee and $23 Adm fee is included for Fall New. A $15.00 AES fee and $19 Adm fee is included for Fall Returning. A $27 AES fee and $37.00 Admin fee is included for Spring/Summer. A $10.00 AES fee and $13.00 Adm fee is included for Summer.

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