

HEALTH AND INSURANCE

Students from EU member states (*) are advised be insured in their home countries and bring a European Health Insurance Card which entitles them to the same treatment as Polish nationals.

Non-EU students are advised to purchase a health insurance policy in their own countries before arrival in Poland.

It is also possible to purchase:

Polish public health insurance

Detailed information can be obtained at:

[Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia](#)

Wydział Obsługi Ubezpieczeń

ul. Batorego 24

30-135 Krakow

Monday to Friday: 8:00 - 16:00

Infoline: (+4812) 9488

E-mail: nfz@bci.krakow.pl

With a Polish public health insurance students are entitled to get medical treatment at the:

Przychodnia Studencka

ul. Armii Krajowej 5

Krakow

Phone: (+4812) 637 21 00 ext. 217

Monday to Friday: 8.00 - 19.00

Saturdays and Sundays: 8.00 - 19.00

Accident treatment:

Pogotowie

ul. Lazarza 14

31-530 Krakow

Phone: (+4812) 424 42 00

Zakład opieki Zdrowotnej MSWiA

30-053 Krakow

Phone: (+4812) 615-17-34 or (+4812) 637-16-76

Monday to Friday: 8.00 - 18.00

Saturdays and Sundays: 7.00 - 15.00

Apart from the public medical care system there is also a well-developed private sector offering individual medical insurance (e.g.: PZU, Warta, Hestia, Falck and others).

Most people prefer to spend long hospital stays in their home country and near their family.

We recommend owning medical insurance in your home country that covers "repatriation", that is a plan that will pay to return you to your home country in case of serious medical problems.

[*] EU/EEA countries:

Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.