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Participants. These program participants include students and scholars studying abroad for study or research.

They should have the SUNY international student and scholar health insurance plan. The cost of the health insurance is included in the program fee. Participants should have appropriate levels of coverage as recommended by the National Association of International Student Advisors (NAFSA). Health insurance coverage for international program participants. These individuals have sufficient resources to cover all expenses, including the cost of their program participation.

The health insurance coverage for accidents and illness, medical evacuation, repatriation and traveler assistance program covers students with reasonable expenses, with no deductible. It covers 100% of prescription medications, mental health, pregnancy and birth control, chemical abuse and maximum accidental death and dismemberment insurance.

Insurance shall be allowed except for those individuals who can prove they have adequate insurance. Participants will automatically be charged each semester on their student accounts if they do not purchase adequate insurance plan unless and only if the alternate policy is fully comparable, and they have therefore waived SUNY insurance.

For more information, please contact the Office of International Student and Scholar Services or the Office of International Education and Global Initiatives. They have much information about the process for requesting a review and waiver. [http://www.binghamton.edu/iegi/insurance/index.html](#)

Please do not send your policy information to the Office of International Education and Global Initiatives (IEGI) Exchange Program. We do not play any role in coordinating the SUNY health insurance or approving or denying waivers.

Sincerely,

Susan B. Lewis
Associate Director for International Partnership Development