

Health Insurance Change Request

Opt – In for Study Abroad Semester

The Affordable Care Act requires health insurance coverage for all Americans.

If you rely on the Lewis and Clark College Regence BlueCross BlueShield (formerly Aetna) Student Health Insurance Program, please note that enrollment is **NOT AUTOMATIC** for students participating in one of the College's overseas programs (including the Border Studies program). For each semester that you are abroad, you will need to **OPT-IN** to this health insurance plan if that is your preferred provider.

If you do not have outside health insurance coverage, and would like to be covered on Lewis and Clark College's student health insurance plan, **please complete this form and return it to Student and Departmental Services before your departure date**. Insurance is purchased one semester at a time, with fall coverage running from mid-August through December, and spring coverage extending from January through mid-August.

Students on Overseas programs are automatically enrolled in a [supplemental travel insurance program](#) that is intended to help with coverage unique to international travel. It is not in any way intended to take the place of a comprehensive health insurance plan and in fact does not meet the requirements of the Affordable Care Act for coverage

After you submit this form and the premium is added to your student account, remit the payment for the appropriate school health insurance premium. Premiums and other information about the program may be found on the [Student Health Insurance Information](#) page (https://www.lclark.edu/offices/student_health_services/insurance/).

Today's Date _____

Lewis & Clark ID# _____

Student Name _____

Year _____ Semester _____

Overseas Program _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

For students under 18 years of age

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Date Reviewed _____ Reviewer _____

Decision _____