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Student Visa Requirements - Overseas Student Health Cover

Australia has a very modern and efficient health care system. Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) is a type of insurance that allows you to use the Australian healthcare system and it covers the costs for any medical or hospital care which you or your dependents may need while studying in Australia. It will also cover some prescription drugs and emergency ambulance transport.

If you are an international student studying in Australia, you must purchase an approved OSHC policy from a registered health benefits organisation - commonly referred to as health funds - before applying for your visa. You will need to buy OSHC before you come to Australia, to cover you and your dependents. You and your dependents will also need to maintain OSHC throughout your stay in Australia.

You can find out more about purchasing Overseas Student Health Cover at the following websites:
https://oshcaustralia.com.au/en
http://www.privatehealth.gov.au/healthinsurance/overseas/oshc.htm

The College can arrange this for you upon your request.

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