## **HEALTH INSURANCE:**

International students are covered by the Eastern College International Student Health Insurance plan provided by **StudyInsured<sup>TM</sup>**.

You can learn more about your insurance coverage here: <u>www.studyinsured.com/easterncollege</u>

If you become sick or you have suffered an injury while your policy is in effect, this insurance will cover most of your urgent medical care. *If your condition is non-urgent or is related to an ongoing/pre-existing condition, your costs may not be covered.* 

As this is a private insurance plan, there are exclusions and limitations to the medical care that is available. Check the insurance policy wording for more details about your coverage.

You are advised to contact StudyInsured<sup>™</sup> Assistance before seeking **any** kind of medical care.

IMPORTANT: You <u>must</u> contact StudyInsured<sup>TM</sup> Assistance immediately if you have a serious illness or injury that requires:

- $\checkmark$  hospitalization
- ✓ surgery (including dental surgery)
- $\checkmark$  diagnostics such as an MRI or CT scan
- ✓ care outside of Canada

If StudyInsured Assistance is not contacted immediately or within 48-hours of your serious illness or injury, your eligible claim may only be payable to 80%.

Coverage is for the entirety of your enrolment, conditional upon full-time registration at Eastern College. Students will receive their insurance card once they are fully registered.

## **Tele-Care**

For non-urgent health concerns, you can call the New Brunswick Tele-Care services. This is a free, bilingual, and confidential telephone service by registered nurses 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services\_renderer.8995.Tele-Care.html

## **Medicare**

Medicare coverage is available for international students studying full time in New Brunswick.

Students will have to submit a completed New Brunswick Medicare application form and

- proof of full-time enrolment in a post-secondary institution
- a valid permit from Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada
- their date of arrival in the province

For more information visit: <u>https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/post-</u> secondary education training and labour/news/news release.2017.10.1297.html

International students who meet the eligibility criteria can receive New Brunswick Medicare coverage.

https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/health/MedicarePrescriptionDrugPlan/content/ medicare/ApplyingforaCard.html#3