



# Student Health Insurance Plan for The University of Texas System

## Welcome to AcademicBlue, your Student Health Insurance Plan offered by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas

### Who is automatically enrolled?\*

- All Health Institutions and medical students
- All international students holding non-immigrant visas

\*Unless proof of comparable coverage is provided in writing

### Who can voluntarily enroll at UT institutions only?

- All fee-paying Undergraduate Students taking at least seven (7) credit hours each semester at a UT System Institution(s)
- All fee-paying Graduate Students taking at least four (4) credit hours each semester at a UT System Institution(s)
- Graduate Student Employee and SUPER Scholars
- Students working on research, dissertation, or thesis, post doctorate, scholars, fellows, visiting scholars, ESL program students, Fast Track Degree Program students, students who are deemed full-time by the campus Disability Services department, or other groups with reduced coursework that meet the criteria for exemption as defined and approved by UT System
- All fee-paying Summer Undergraduate Students taking at least four (4) credit hours at a UT System Institution(s)
- All fee-paying Summer Graduate Students taking at least two (2) credit hours at a UT System Institution(s)

### Special notes on eligibility

- To remain eligible, you must meet the required credit hours and be continuously enrolled throughout each semester.
- If you enroll in annual coverage, you must meet the required credit hours for the fall semester, and again, for the spring semester.
- For students applying for new coverage for a summer semester, additional enrollment requirements will apply.
- If you enrolled and do not meet eligibility requirements, your insurance coverage will be terminated immediately. You will be refunded the paid premium and claims will be denied.

### Enrollment is easy!

Follow these steps during your school's open enrollment periods. Dates and rates are specific to each UT System campus. Dependent coverage is also available.

- Go to [utsystem.myahpcare.com](https://utsystem.myahpcare.com)
- Select your campus
- Click on the Enroll/Cost tab and follow the online instructions



### Advantages of Membership

- Affordable, quality coverage compatible with the Affordable Care Act
- Coverage when traveling
- Access to a broad Participating Provider Option (PPO) network from BCBSTX
- Bilingual 24/7 Nurseline, telehealth and behavioral health program
- Discounts on vision, fitness and many more products and services

## University of Texas System 2026-2027 Plan Highlights

Benefit Maximum and Deductibles	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Benefit Maximum</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited
<b>Deductible (Individual/Family)</b>	\$350/\$1,050	\$700/\$2,100
<b>Out-of-Pocket Maximum (Individual/Family)</b>	\$8,700/\$17,400	\$17,400/\$34,800
<b>Student Health Services</b> Services performed at the Student Health Center are covered at 100%. However, if a lab or radiology service needs to be sent to an outside laboratory for testing, that portion of the service is billed separately by the outside lab and is not covered under the Student Health Center benefit. In those cases, you may have out of pocket costs.	If the Institution has a Student Health Center, the Deductible will be waived and benefits will be paid at 100% of Covered Expenses incurred at the Student Health Center.	If the Institution has a Student Health Center, the Deductible will be waived and benefits will be paid at 100% of Covered Expenses incurred at the Student Health Center.
Benefits (Deductible applies unless noted below)	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Hospital Expenses</b>	80%	60%
<b>Surgical Expenses</b>	80%	60%
<b>Doctor's Visits</b>	100% (deductible waived) \$30 primary care copayment per visit; \$35 specialist copayment per visit	60%
<b>Emergency Care and Accidental Injury</b> Facility Services – Copayment is waived if the insured is admitted, inpatient hospital expenses will apply	80% after \$150 copayment (deductible waived)	80% after \$150 copayment (deductible waived)
<b>Physician Charges</b>	80%	60%
<b>Lab and X-ray Charges</b>	80%	60%
<b>Prescription Drugs</b>  Per 30-day Retail Supply (deductible waived)  **Copayment plus the cost difference between the brand- name drug or supplies per prescription for which there is a generic drug or supply available.	At pharmacies contracting with Prime Therapeutics, 100% after: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$15 copayment for each generic drug</li> <li>\$30 copayment for each brand- name drug**</li> <li>\$50 copayment for non-preferred brand-name drug**</li> <li>80% of allowable amount for each specialty drug</li> </ul>	60% after: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$15 copayment for each generic drug</li> <li>\$30 copayment for each brand-name drug**</li> <li>\$50 copayment for non-preferred brand-name drug**</li> <li>60% of allowable amount for each specialty drug</li> </ul> <p>Please note: You are required to pay the full amount charged at the time of service for all prescriptions dispensed at an out-of-network provider and must file a claim for reimbursement.</p>
<b>Preventive Care Services</b>	100% (deductible waived)	60%

This document is for informational purposes only and is neither an offer of coverage nor medical advice. It contains only a partial, general description of plan benefits and programs and does not constitute a contract. Covered expenses are subject to plan maximums, limitations and exclusions as described in the Policy. The PPO network is BCBSTX Participating Provider Option Network.

Covered charges at in-network and out-of-network providers are based on the allowable amount. For more information, please see your School Policy.

The relationship between Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas and contracting pharmacies is that of independent contractors, contracted through a related company, Prime Therapeutics LLC. Prime Therapeutics LLC is a separate company that also administers the pharmacy benefit program. BCBSTX, as well as several other independent Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plans, has an ownership interest in Prime Therapeutics.

This document contains a summary of your school's proposed student health insurance policy benefits, restrictions, and exclusions as of the date of its publication. The final policy is pending approval by applicable federal and state regulatory authorities, which may result in differences between this summary and the actual policy of insurance issued to you. For specific details about your plan, please refer to your policy of insurance.

Academic HealthPlans, Inc., Part of the Brown & Brown Team, is an independent company that provides program management and administrative services for the student health plans of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas.

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, gender identity, age, sexual orientation, health status or disability. To get help and information in your language at no cost, please call us at 855-710-6984.

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711).

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711).

## Non-Discrimination Notice

### Health Care Coverage Is Important For Everyone

We do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin (including limited English knowledge and first language), age, disability, or sex (as understood in the applicable regulation). We provide people with disabilities with reasonable modifications and free communication aids to allow for effective communication with us. We also provide free language assistance services to people whose first language is not English.

To receive reasonable modifications, communication aids or language assistance free of charge, please call us at 855-710-6984.

If you believe we have failed to provide a service, or think we have discriminated in another way, you can file a grievance with:

Office of Civil Rights Coordinator  
Attn: Office of Civil Rights Coordinator  
300 E. Randolph St., 35th Floor  
Chicago, IL 60601

Phone: 855-664-7270 (voicemail)  
TTY/TDD: 855-661-6965  
Fax: 855-661-6960  
Email: [civilrightscoordinator@bcbsil.com](mailto:civilrightscoordinator@bcbsil.com)

You can file a grievance by mail, fax or email. If you need help filing a grievance, please call the toll-free phone number listed on the back of your ID card (TTY: 711).

You may file a civil rights complaint with the US Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, at:

US Dept of Health & Human Services  
200 Independence Avenue SW  
Room 509F, HHH Building  
Washington, DC 20201

Phone: 800-368-1019  
TTY/TDD: 800-537-7697  
Complaint Portal:  
[ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf](http://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf)  
Complaint Forms:  
[hhs.gov/civil-rights/filing-a-complaint/index.html](http://hhs.gov/civil-rights/filing-a-complaint/index.html)

This notice is available on our website at [bcbstx.com/legal-and-privacy/non-discrimination-notice](http://bcbstx.com/legal-and-privacy/non-discrimination-notice)

ATTENTION: If you speak another language, free language assistance services are available to you. Appropriate auxiliary aids and services to provide information in accessible formats are also available free of charge. Call 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) or speak to your provider.

Español Spanish	ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. También están disponibles de forma gratuita ayuda y servicios auxiliares apropiados para proporcionar información en formatos accesibles. Llame al 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) o hable con su proveedor.
العربية Arabic	تنبيه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية، فستتوفر لك خدمات المساعدة اللغوية المجانية. كما تتوفر وسائل مساعدة وخدمات مناسبة لتوفير المعلومات بتنسيقات يمكن الوصول إليها مجانًا. اتصل على الرقم 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) أو تحدث إلى مقدم الخدمة.



中文 Chinese	注意：如果您说中文，我们将免费为您提供语言协助服务。我们还免费提供适当的辅助工具和服务，以无障碍格式提供信息。致电 855-710-6984（文本电话：711）或咨询您的服务提供商。
Français French	ATTENTION : Si vous parlez Français, des services d'assistance linguistique gratuits sont à votre disposition. Des aides et services auxiliaires appropriés pour fournir des informations dans des formats accessibles sont également disponibles gratuitement. Appelez le 855-710-6984 (TTY : 711) ou parlez à votre fournisseur.
Deutsch German	ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlose Sprachassistentendienste zur Verfügung. Entsprechende Hilfsmittel und Dienste zur Bereitstellung von Informationen in barrierefreien Formaten stehen ebenfalls kostenlos zur Verfügung. Rufen Sie 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) an oder sprechen Sie mit Ihrem Provider.
ગુજરાતી Gujarati	ધ્યાન આપો: જો તમે ગુજરાતી બોલતા હો તો મફત ભાષાકીય સહાયતા સેવાઓ તમારા માટે ઉપલબ્ધ છે. યોગ્ય ઓફિસિલરી સહાય અને એક્સેસિબલ ફોર્મેટમાં માહિતી પૂરી પાડવા માટેની સેવાઓ પણ વિના મૂલ્યે ઉપલબ્ધ છે. 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) પર કોલ કરો અથવા તમારા પ્રદાતા સાથે વાત કરો.
हिंदी Hindi	ध्यान दें: यदि आप हिंदी बोलते हैं, तो आपके लिए नि:शुल्क भाषा सहायता सेवाएं उपलब्ध होती हैं। सुलभ प्रारूपों में जानकारी प्रदान करने के लिए उपयुक्त सहायक साधन और सेवाएँ भी नि:शुल्क उपलब्ध हैं। 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) पर कॉल करें या अपने प्रदाता से बात करें।
Italiano Italian	ATTENZIONE: se parli Italiano, sono disponibili servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti. Sono inoltre disponibili gratuitamente ausili e servizi ausiliari adeguati per fornire informazioni in formati accessibili. Chiama l'855-710-6984 (tty: 711) o parla con il tuo fornitore.
한국어 Korean	주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우 무료 언어 지원 서비스를 이용하실 수 있습니다. 이용 가능한 형식으로 정보를 제공하는 적절한 보조 기구 및 서비스도 무료로 제공됩니다. 855-710-6984(TTY: 711)번으로 전화하거나 서비스 제공업체에 문의하십시오.
Diné Navajo	SHOOH: Diné bee yáníłti'gogo, saad bee aná'awo' bee áka'anída'awo'ít'áá jiik'eh ná hóló. Bee ahił hane'go bee nida'anishí t'áá ákodaat'éhígíí dóo bee áka'anída'wo'í áko bee baa hane'í bee hadadilyaa bich'í' ahoot'í'ígíí éí t'áá jiik'eh hóló. Kohjí' 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) hodíilnih doodago nika'análwo'í bich'í' hanidziih.
Farsi فارسي	توجه: اگر فارسي صحبت می کنید، خدمات پشتیبانی زبانی رایگان در دسترس شما قرار دارد. همچنین کمک ها و خدمات پشتیبانی مناسب برای ارائه اطلاعات در قالب های قابل دسترس، به طور رایگان موجود می باشند. با شماره 855-710-6984 (تله تایپ: 711) تماس بگیرید یا با ارائه دهنده خود صحبت کنید.
Polski Polish	UWAGA: Osoby mówiące po polsku mogą skorzystać z bezpłatnej pomocy językowej. Dodatkowe pomoce i usługi zapewniające informacje w dostępnych formatach są również dostępne bezpłatnie. Zadzwoń pod numer 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) lub porozmawiaj ze swoim dostawcą.
РУССКИЙ Russian	ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите на русский, вам доступны бесплатные услуги языковой поддержки. Соответствующие вспомогательные средства и услуги по предоставлению информации в доступных форматах также предоставляются бесплатно. Позвоните по телефону 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) или обратитесь к своему поставщику услуг.
Tagalog Tagalog	PAALALA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, magagamit mo ang mga libreng serbisyong tulong sa wika. Magagamit din nang libre ang mga naaangkop na auxiliary na tulong at serbisyo upang magbigay ng impormasyon sa mga naa-access na format. Tumawag sa 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) o makipag-usap sa iyong provider.
Urdu اردو	توجه دیں: اگر آپ اردو بولتے ہیں، تو آپ کے لیے زبان کی مفت مدد کی خدمات دستیاب ہیں۔ قابل رسائی فارمیٹس میں معلومات فراہم کرنے کے لیے مناسب معاون امداد اور خدمات بھی مفت دستیاب ہیں۔ 855-710-6984 (TTY: 711) پر کال کریں یا اپنے فراہم کنندہ سے بات کریں۔
Việt Vietnamese	LƯU Ý: Nếu bạn nói tiếng Việt, chúng tôi cung cấp miễn phí các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ. Các hỗ trợ dịch vụ phù hợp để cung cấp thông tin theo các định dạng dễ tiếp cận cũng được cung cấp miễn phí. Vui lòng gọi theo số 855-710-6984 (Người khuyết tật: 711) hoặc trao đổi với người cung cấp dịch vụ của bạn.