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# VIDEO TUTORIAL FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS



# HEALTH INSURANCE IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

# STUDENTS FROM EU, EFTA COUNTRIES HAVING EHIC

- ❑ Standard medical treatment is covered for all EU nationals having **EHIC card**
- ❑ It is not an alternative to travel insurance, and usually it does not cover any private healthcare

## REGISTER YOUR CARD (EHIC) AT CZECH INSURANCE PROVIDER - LESS PAPERWORK

### Why should I do the registration?

Smoother visit at the doctors without a need to fill in a special form each visit

### Where do I register and what documents are required?

We recommend registering your EHIC card at a **Czech insurance provider** ([VZP](#) or [others](#)). Bring your EHIC card and ID card/passport

### How do I know the medical treatment will be covered?

Before going to a doctor's, double check they have a contract with the **Czech Public Health Insurance system**



## GOOD TO KNOW

There are also **compulsory prescription charges** on some medications, materials, and forms of dental treatment. These charges are **not refundable**.

If you for any other reason pay for medical treatment at the doctor that shall be covered by your home insurance company, you will have to apply for reimbursement to the home insurance company.



# STUDENTS FROM NON-EU COUNTRIES

- ❑ You are required to have your private health insurance
- ❑ For Visa applications made after August 2, 2021, Health insurance **must be may be taken out exclusively with Pojišťovna VZP, a.s.** (Comprehensive Insurance)
- ❑ More info can be found [here](#) and [here](#)





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