

OU Health Student Health & Wellness Clinic Services

Academic Year 2022-2023

Students,

We are pleased and excited to offer you excellent health care during your time here as a Health Sciences Center (HSC) program student. The OU Health Student Health & Wellness Clinic accepts most insurance plans including the student health insurance plan, Academic Health Plans. The Student Health Fee, included in your tuition and fees, will cover the following services for all students at no charge:

• Acute illness/injury office visits and point of care tests performed in clinic that are associated with these acute visits.

<u>Medical Services – Covered Under the Student Health Fee</u> – Acute Care Visits are office visits for one minor illness or injury that is less than 2 weeks in duration which includes, but is not limited to the following list of symptoms/diagnoses:

- Acute respiratory infections (colds, flu, bronchitis, sinus infections)
- Acute skin infections and rashes
- Acute allergy or asthma exacerbations
- Ear infections
- Sore throat
- Cough
- Conjunctivitis (i.e., pink eye, allergies)
- Bladder infection symptoms
- Nausea, vomiting and/or diarrhea
- Recent musculoskeletal injuries sprains, strains, acute back pain or acute joint pain
- Acute injuries requiring wound evaluation and/or wound closure
- Travel medicine consultation appointments with a medical provider

The student health fee will only cover in-office point of care tests associated with an acute care visit. These point of care tests may include: Rapid streptococcal pharyngitis testing, rapid influenza testing, urine dipstick testing, monospot (mononucleosis) testing, and urine pregnancy tests.

<u>Medical Services – Billed to Health Insurance</u> (Deductible and/or co-insurance expenses may apply)

- Office visits for multiple issues
- Office visits for chronic problems (defined as having symptoms greater than 2 weeks)
- Office visits requiring medication refills and/or medication monitoring
- Office visits to discuss referrals to a specialist if indicated
- Annual physical exams
- Board licensure, pre-rotation, and pre-employment physicals
- Well Woman Exams including pap smears
- All imaging studies (x-rays, ultrasounds, CTs, MRIs)
- All bloodwork processed outside of clinic
- STD evaluation and testing
- Female and reproductive related issues
- Vaccinations
- TB screening (TB skin test and/or IGRA blood test)
- Blood titers to check for immunity against infectious diseases
- All acute, chronic, and preventative healthcare services provided for insured spouses and dependents of students
- Blood borne pathogen exposure bloodwork Billed to the needle stick coverage component of health insurance

Please note the designation of an acute care visit that qualifies for coverage under the student health fund as well as the billing level of service is at the discretion of the medical provider and is determined after the patient has been seen and evaluated by the provider. The billing level of service typically cannot be determined by a clinic staff member at the time of scheduling or check-in for the appointment. The student is financially responsible for all remaining balances that are not paid by his/her health insurance or by the student health fund. This includes health insurance deductibles and co-insurance costs.

Steven Smith, MD OU Student Health & Wellness Clinic OU Physicians Family Medicine Green Clinic 405-271-9675