

**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA BRIDGEUSA  
SICKNESS AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE VERIFICATION**

Health and Accident Insurance is mandatory for all J-1 Exchange Visitors and any J-2 family members during their stay at the University of North Florida. This is a requirement of the U.S. Department of State. This *Sickness and Accident Insurance Verification* form is used by the Exchange Visitor to provide proof that he or she is insured by the home government or by a company within the country of his or her legal residence. The named Exchange Visitor upon his or her arrival to the University of North Florida must present proof of insurance coverage to the UNF International Center. **The insurance policy must cover the entire time period for which the DS-2019 Form is valid.**

Exchange Visitor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Insurance Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize my insurance provider to release the following information to the University of North Florida.

Visitor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY INSURANCE PROVIDER:**

Please verify that the insurance policy you have issued to the above named person meets or exceeds the following requirements:

- (1) Medical benefits of at least \$100,000 per accident or illness;
- (2) Repatriation of remains in the amount of \$25,000;
- (3) Expenses associated with the medical evacuation of exchange visitors to his or her home country in the amount of \$50,000; and
- (4) Deductibles not to exceed \$500 per accident or illness.

Note: Insurance policies secured to fulfill the requirements of 22 C.F.R. 62.14: (1) May require a waiting period for pre-existing conditions that is reasonable as determined by current industry standards; (2) May include provisions for co-insurance under the terms of which the exchange visitor may be required to pay up to 25% of the covered benefits per accident or illness; and (3) Must not unreasonably exclude coverage for perils inherent to the activities of the exchange program in which the exchange visitor participates.

Any policy, plan, or contract secured to fill the above requirements must, at a minimum, be:

- (1) Underwritten by an insurance corporation having an A.M. Best rating of "A-" or above; a McGraw Hill Financial/Standard & Poor's Claims-paying Ability rating of "A-" or above; a Weiss Research, Inc. rating of "B+" or above; a Fitch Ratings, Inc. rating of "A-" or above; a Moody's Investor Services rating of "A3" or above; or such other rating as the Department of State may from time to time specify; or
- (2) Backed by the full faith and credit of the government of the exchange visitor's home country; or
- (3) Part of a health benefits program offered on a group basis to employees or enrolled students by a designated sponsor; or
- (4) Offered through or underwritten by a federally qualified Health Maintenance Organization or eligible Competitive Medical Plan as determined by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Please also indicate if **family members** are covered:    YES    NO

On behalf of the above named insurance company, I hereby certify that the insurance indicated covers all of the above requirements. In addition, I certify that the insurance coverage is for the time period listed below, and I have indicated above whether the coverage includes family members or not.

Name Insurance Company Official (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Effective Coverage: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature of Insurance Company Official: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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