

HEALTH INSURANCE

Health insurance is mandatory when living in Switzerland. You are required to provide proof of coverage within three months of your arrival.

Please always report your health insurance to SAM (*Service de l'assurance-maladie*).

Health Insurance Service | Service de l'assurance-maladie

62, route de Frontenex, 1207 Geneva

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sam@etat.ge.ch

[Website](#)

[Contact Form](#)

The regulations relative to insurance requirements vary regulation varies according to your nationality and Swiss residence permit:

NON-EU/EFTA STUDENTS WITH STUDENT B PERMIT

Must have a Swiss health insurance (e.g., Scorestudies, etc.).

When you receive your residence permit, please send a copy of your permit, your student card, and the '[check form](#)' to your insurer.

EU/EFTA STUDENTS WITH STUDENT B PERMIT

If you do not engage in remunerated activities in Switzerland, you can keep your EHIC (European Health Card). When you receive your residence permit, please send a copy of your student card, EHIC, and permit to SAM.

If you are engaged in remunerated activities in Switzerland, you need to choose a Swiss health insurance provider (e.g., Scorestudies, etc.).

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