

Creighton University School of Medicine

Medical Education Program Policies

POLICY: Disability Insurance, Health Insurance, and Immunizations Policy

GOVERNING BODY: Educational Program Committee

APPROVAL DATE: 7/9/2019

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LCME ACCREDITATION STANDARD REFERENCE: Elements 12.6 Student Health and Disability Insurance; 12.7 Immunization Requirements and Monitoring

PURPOSE

This policy explains the following requirements and benefits for students enrolled in the medical education program:

- a. Disability Insurance
- b. Health Insurance
- c. Immunization Requirements

POLICY

1. Disability Insurance

A long-term disability plan is provided to all medical students free of charge.

2. Health Insurance

The School of Medicine adheres to Creighton University's student health insurance policy and procedures. Per the policy, "Creighton University requires that all full-time students (Undergraduate = 12 credits/semester; Graduate = 8 credits/semester) be covered by a comprehensive health insurance plan* for the entire academic year." Please review the health insurance policy and procedures located on the Student Health Service webpage at:

<https://studentlife.creighton.edu/wellness/health-and-counseling/student-health-services/insurance-requirements>

3. Immunization Requirements

The School of Medicine adheres to Creighton University's immunization requirements and procedures for Health Science Students. Please review the Health Science Student Immunization requirements and procedures located on the Student Health Service webpage at:

<https://studentlife.creighton.edu/wellness/health-and-counseling/student-health-services/immunization-requirements>

PROCEDURE

1. Disability Insurance Benefits

- A. Benefits begin 90 days following the date of total disability and last until the student's normal social security retirement age so long as he/she remains disabled. Benefits will be paid for 24 months if the student is diagnosed with a mental, nervous, or substance abuse disorder.

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- B. The benefit is \$1500 per month for M1/M2 students and \$2000 per month for M3/M4 students.

SCOPE

All students accepted and/or enrolled in the Medical Education Program.

ADMINISTRATION AND INTERPRETATION

The Office of Student Affairs is responsible for the administration of this policy. Please forward questions to the Associate Dean for Student Affairs.

AMENDMENT

This policy may be amended by majority vote of the School of Medicine Medical Education Program Educational Program Committee.