

Health Insurance Information and Resources



Finding Health Insurance

The University of New Mexico does not offer a health insurance plan for law students. In New Mexico, health insurance plans can be purchased through the New Mexico Health Insurance Exchange. The website https://www.bewellnm.com/ serves as the state-based health insurance marketplace.

Need help with eligibility questions, filling out forms, or finding a plan? Visit this link for information on receiving free help: https://www.bewellnm.com/we-can-help/find-help-near-you/

Health Services Offered through Main Campus

Law students are eligible to receive health services through Student Health and Counseling (SHAC). Students are not required to have health insurance to be seen at SHAC. However, SHAC recommends that students have insurance to help defray the costs of health care. Services provided through SHAC are not necessarily free. The average cost of an X-ray is $75.00 without insurance. Medical appointments are typically $15 (or less with Medicaid). Some services are free (e.g., one Triage and one Counseling session; does not include an assessment visit). SHAC is not a provider of emergency medical care.

Follow these steps to establish care with SHAC:

1. You must be officially registered for Fall 2023 to be eligible for services.
2. Call SHAC at (505) 277-3136 or visit our clinic.
3. Ensure that your insurance information is ready. Review: Accepted Insurances
4. Transfer any medical, mental health, vaccine, and/or pharmacy records to our clinic.
5. Always use your UNM email address, please.

Mental Health Services through SHAC

Counseling Services are available to all enrolled UNM Main Campus students to help them function successfully in their academic lives. All psychiatry appointments begin with counseling Triage for the completion of intake paperwork and referral. Assessment appointments are 50 minutes and medication follow-up appointments are 20 minutes.

http://shac.unm.edu/resources/counseling-resources/index.html

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