

Policy Title:	Eligibility for Care- Student Health Services
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SUMMARY

It is the policy of Student Health Services (SHS) to principally provide primary health care services to registered CCU students. Primary care may also be provided to students with concomitant medical issues (i.e., pregnancy, malignancies, HIV, AIDS, etc), even though the major condition or disease is beyond the scope of SHS' care.

I. PURPOSE

This policy defines who is eligible to receive care from SHS.

II. ENROLLED STUDENTS

All undergraduate registered students, regardless of number of hours taken, are eligible for care in SHS. Laboratory, medical procedures, and medical supplies are provided, as needed, at a reduced cost to the student. Payment for services is the responsibility of the student.

III. NON-ENROLLED STUDENTS

A non-enrolled student is defined (for the purposes of this policy) as an undergraduate student who was enrolled for the previous semester, is **not enrolled during the current semester**, or is not registered for the upcoming semester. Non-enrolled students are not eligible for care. Exceptions are made for life-threatening events, continuity of care, or orientation participants seeking to comply with the university's immunization requirement. Other exceptions are made for students who were enrolled in the prior spring semester and are preregistered for the upcoming fall semester.

A. Athletes, Band Members and ROTC

Athletes, band members and ROTC students who are enrolled, not taking classes but participating in collegiate activities are eligible to be seen at SHS. Before being seen at SHS, students' participation in collegiate activities must be verified.

B. Living on Campus (University Housing)

Students who live in University Housing, but not taking classes, are eligible to be seen at SHS. Before being seen at SHS, student's residency must be verified by University Housing personnel.

C. Summer Student Workers and Student Leaders

Students who are not taking classes during Maymester and summer semesters, but are working on campus or serving in selected leadership roles, are eligible to be seen at SHS. Before being seen at SHS, student's employment or leadership role must be verified by Human Resources or their CCU supervisor.

D. Coastal Graduates

Graduates are not eligible to be seen at SHS. Exceptions may be made for continuity of care, if less than 30 days from date of graduation.

IV. TRANSIENT STUDENTS

A transient student is defined as a student taking courses at CCU while regularly enrolled at another (home) institution. Transient students are not eligible for care unless it is a life-threatening or an emergency situation.

V. GRADUATE STUDENTS

Enrolled graduate students are eligible for care at SHS. Laboratory, medical procedures, and medical supplies will then be provided, as needed, at a reduced cost to the student. Payment for services is the responsibility of the student.

VI. SUMMER CAMPS, CONFERENCES AND ORIENTATION

Summer camps, conferences and Orientation attendees are <u>not</u> eligible for care unless it is a life-threatening, emergency situation or CCU's Continuing Education office or centers have negotiated a prepaid agreement with SHS. Orientees are only eligible to receive immunizations for prematriculation into the University for a nominal fee and for emergent care services only. Parents of orientees can only be seen for emergent care/services only and/or referred out.

VII. CCU FACULTY AND STAFF

Faculty and staff who are eligible for CCU benefits are not eligible to receive primary care services, even if enrolled as a student. They are eligible for limited services such as influenza vaccinations for a nominal fee, weight check and blood pressure screening (exceptions are made for life threatening events).