

## GeoBlue Insurance IU Education Abroad Indiana University

IU Education Abroad has contracted with GeoBlue Insurance Services to provide health insurance coverage for students participating on approved IU Education Abroad Programs. All student participants may enroll in the insurance, whether they will receive credit for the experience or not. Students are strongly encouraged to enroll in this insurance plan, but your program may elect to use other insurance options.

If the program decides to enroll all students in the GeoBlue insurance plan you can provide a list of student participants to our office. We have provided an Insurance Agreement form if you decide to have the insurance **optional** for the students participating on your program. Individual forms should be returned to the director of the program. Please follow the instructions below.

- 1. Provide an Excel spreadsheet that lists the student participants. The spreadsheet should include, name, date of birth, gender, dates of coverage, e-mail address and location of program (city and country). Send the GeoBlue Insurance Agreement forms filled out completely by interested students if the program decides to make insurance **optional**. Please make sure the forms are legible and that the information is correct.
- 2. Departments are responsible for collecting the premium from the students when the insurance is part of the program fee. The campus bursar would be a good resource for assistance with setting this up. The money should then be transferred to the Education Abroad account 20 111 07. Education Abroad pays the insurance provider directly. The monthly premium is \$37.80 for programs with travel dates between May 1, 2023 and April 30, 2024.
- 3. The health insurance enrollment forms or the Excel spreadsheet should be sent to Laura Kremer, Education Abroad, 111 S Eagleson Avenue, IUB; <a href="lkremer@iu.edu">lkremer@iu.edu</a>. A departmental account number must be included with the insurance information. The forms must be received one month prior to the program's departure date.
- 4. Education Abroad can bill the individual student bursar accounts, but their university IDs must be included on the forms. This is only available in situations where the insurance is not mandatory for the entire group, such as certain graduate programs.
- 5. The students will be enrolled in the GeoBlue Insurance plan once the information is received by Education Abroad and the payment source is identified.
- 6. Insurance cards should be received by Education Abroad 1-2 weeks after students are enrolled. The cards will then be sent to the program director for distribution to the students.