

ENROLL/WAIVE

Process for International Students

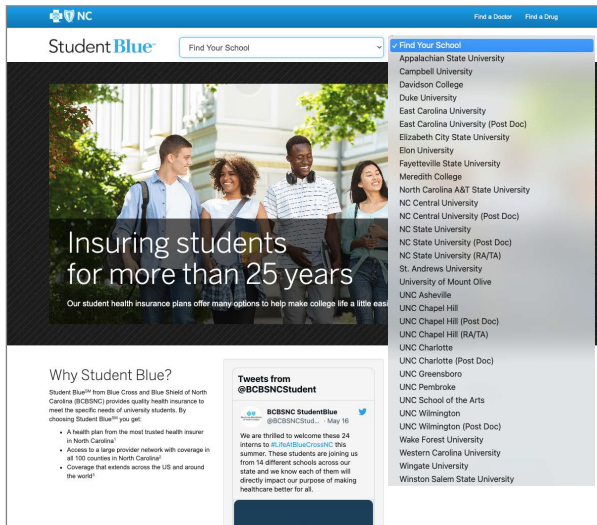
Important News for International Students

The UNC System requires that eligible students must have health insurance. You may be covered under your own insurance plan, or you may choose to enroll in the UNC System’s Student Health Insurance Plan, Student BlueSM from Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (Blue Cross NC).

All international students who have F or J visa categories have health insurance stipulations mandated by federal regulation (e.g., medical evacuation requirements). Plus, all degree-seeking international students, regardless of semester credit hour level, are eligible to purchase or opt-out of (waive) the Student Blue plan.

Please remember to complete the steps below by September 11, 2023, for the Fall semester and January 31, 2024, for the Spring semester for the 2023/2024 school year.

GETTING STARTED



Access StudentBlueNC.com

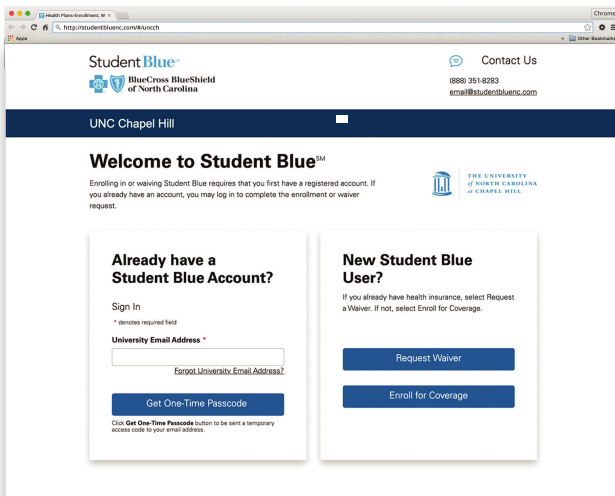
Select your school from the drop down menu

Select “Enroll” or “Waive”

Click The “Enroll Now” or “Request a Waiver” button in the middle of the page

You Are Ready to begin the process to complete your enrollment or waiver request

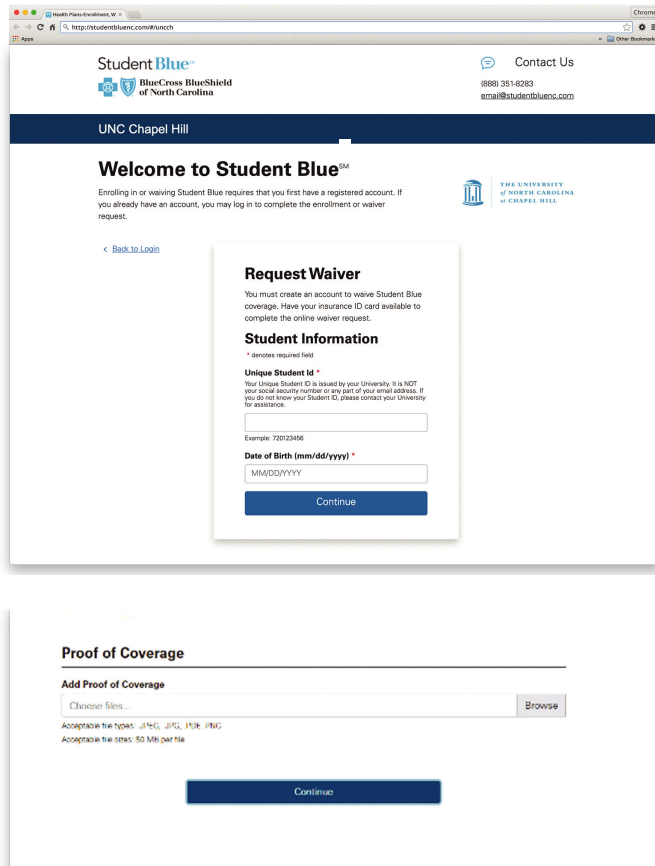
STEP 1



On the Welcome to Student Blue screen, new users can register their account and enroll or request a waiver.

Select “Enroll for Coverage” or “Request Waiver” in the “New Student Blue User?” tile

STEP 2



The screenshot shows the Student Blue website interface. The top navigation bar includes the Student Blue logo, contact information (8888 351-8283, email@studentbluenc.com), and the location (UNC Chapel Hill). The main heading is "Welcome to Student Blue" with a sub-heading "Request Waiver". Below this, there is a "Student Information" section with fields for "Unique Student ID" and "Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)". A "Continue" button is located at the bottom of this section. The second screenshot shows the "Proof of Coverage" section, which includes a file upload area with a "Browse" button and a "Continue" button at the bottom.

Enter your Unique Student ID and your Date of Birth
Click “Continue” to begin the enrollment or waiver process:

ENROLLMENT PROCESS

Provide the following:

- Abortion coverage confirmation

Check the Attestation box

Review enrollment information and sign application

Click on “Submit”

WAIVER PROCESS

Provide the following information about your current medical coverage and policy:

- Policy information including policy number and policyholder name
- Health insurer contact information

Select “Add Proof of Waiver,” then click “Submit” to upload waiver

Select “Yes” in the Resubmission opt-out section if you would like Student Blue to automatically resubmit your waiver request for the upcoming Spring semester

Review waiver information and the waiver certification

Click on “Submit” to complete the process

Confirmation and Verification

Upon completion of the enroll/waive process, a confirmation page will appear on your screen with a unique confirmation number for that transaction indicating that the request was received. You will also receive a confirmation email with the confirmation ID number for your records. You will receive a verification notice regarding your coverage status within five business days.

Benefit Requirements to Waive Coverage

In order to waive Student Blue coverage, your current medical policy must include the following:

- Minimum total benefit/coverage of \$100,000 (USD) per accident or illness
- Plan deductible of no more than \$500 (USD)
- Minimum of \$50,000 (USD) for medical evacuation
- Minimum of \$25,000 (USD) for repatriation
- Policy must be active for the entire duration of the academic semester

Questions?

Please contact our Student Blue team 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday, at 1-888-351-8283, or by email at email@studentbluenc.com.

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Certain exceptions may apply for those enrolled less than full-time or in other special circumstances; see “When Coverage Begins and Ends” in the Student Blue Benefit Booklet at StudentBlueNC.com, or call 1-888-351-8283 for details.

Students who are enrolled by default will receive a policy with limited abortion benefits. In order to select additional benefits, you must actively enroll or call the number on your ID card to change policies prior to receiving services.

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