



# iMED Health Insurance Winter Session 2020

1.

Register for your Winter Session 2020 classes online

2.

Check if iMED fees were added to your UBC student account through your [SSC portal](#) (if not, contact [isa@students.ubc.ca](mailto:isa@students.ubc.ca))

3.

Receive an email from [David Cummings Insurance Services \(DCIS\)](#) requesting confirmation of arrival in Canada

4.

Starting from 3 weeks prior or up to 3 weeks after your arrival in Canada, confirm your arrival date with DCIS and provide supporting documentation\*

\*Accepted Documents:

- Booked flight tickets
- Boarding pass(es)
- Study permit
- Passport stamp
- Landing documents

5.

Receive your iMED card by email (if not, email [info@david-cummings.com](mailto:info@david-cummings.com))

6.

Check if the iMED coverage period is correct\*\* (if not, email [info@david-cummings.com](mailto:info@david-cummings.com))

\*\*iMED coverage should be for the month of your arrival plus two months, which is the waiting period until you are eligible to enroll with the BC MSP or for the full duration of your program at UBC if you are an one-term student.

7.

As soon as you arrive in Canada apply for your BC MSP (for instructions on how to submit your application visit the [MSP page in the International Student Guide](#))

If your travelling plans to Canada change, you can submit an iMED date change request until *December 31, 2021*.

**I will start my program at UBC online outside Canada then I will come to Canada at a later date. What should I do?**

You do not need to take action until 3 weeks before your travel date. You can request your iMED coverage to start as per the date when you will arrive in Canada.

**I will be outside Canada for the full duration of my program at UBC. What should I do?**

You might qualify to opt-out from iMED and have your iMED fees removed from your UBC student account. Visit [DCIS website](#) for instructions about how to opt-out from iMED. For the timeline to opt-out from iMED for students completing their full programs outside Canada, visit our [International Student Advising COVID-19 FAQ page](#).

**I want to defer my program to a future term. What should I do?**

You should defer from your program before the [add/drop deadline as per UBC calendar](#). The iMED fees will automatically be removed from your account. When you register in the future, you will automatically be enrolled in iMED again. For more information, please visit the [International Student Advising COVID-19 FAQ page](#).

