Let’s apply for MSP together

What do you need?

1. A scanned copy or a digital photo of your study permit
2. A computer, preferred, or a cellphone

Where should you start?

1. Apply online at my.gov.bc.ca/msp/enrolment/check-eligibility
BC MSP Application

See if you qualify for public health insurance.

If you already have Medical Services Plan (MSP) coverage and you have enrolled in your BC Services Card. Follow the instructions on the letter you received.

Do you live in British Columbia and have a B.C. address where you usually keep your mail?

☐ No ☐ Yes

Information collection notice

Keep your personal information secure – especially when using a shared device like a computer at a library, school or cafe. To delete any information that was entered, either complete the application and submit it or, if you don’t finish, close the web browser.

Need to take a break and come back later? The data you enter on this form is saved locally to the computer or device you are using until you close the web browser or submit your application.

Information in this application is collected by the Ministry of Health under the authority of the Medicare Protection Act and section 26(a), (c) and (e) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act for the purposes of administration of the Medical Services Plan. If you have any questions about the collection and use of your personal information please contact Health Insurance BC, 1777777777

☐ I have read and understand this information

Continue
Check Eligibility

See if you qualify for public health care in B.C.

If you already have Medical Services Plan (MSP) coverage and received a letter notifying you to renew your BC Services Card, you do not have to submit a new Application for MSP Enrolment; you only need to renew your BC Services Card. Follow the instructions on the letter to renew your card.

Do you live in British Columbia and have a B.C. address where you can receive mail?

☐ No  ☐ Yes

Will you or anyone in your immediate family (included on this application) be away from B.C. for more than 30 days in total over the next six months?

☐ No  ☐ Yes

Is anyone you’re applying for:
• A student returning to your home province at the end of a course or program; or
• A minor (under the age of 16) who needs to have their own individual account; or
• Seeking refugee status and is not approved yet.

☐ No  ☐ Yes

Answer “No” here because this triggers another set of questions which you will not be able to answer accurately.
Add personal information and upload documents

Main Applicant
After enrolment, the main applicant will be the Medical Services Plan Account Holder, and will be responsible for maintaining the Medical Services Plan account and requesting any changes.

Your Status in Canada
Please provide your immigration status information. You will be required to upload documents to support your status in Canada. For arrivals through the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel program (CUAET) please select "Temporary Permit Holder or Diplomat" from the drop down below.

Immigration status in Canada

- Temporary Permit Holder or Diplomat
- Work Permit / CUAET
- Study Permit
- Religious Worker
Personal Info – Part 2

Documents
Provide one of the required documents to support your status in Canada. If your name has changed since your ID was issued you are also required to upload document to support the name change.

Document Type
- Study Permit

Study Permit
Tip
Study Permit samples
Scan the document, or take a photo of it.
Make sure that it’s:
- The entire document, from corner to corner
- Rotated correctly (not upside down or sideways)
- In focus and easy to read
- A JPG, PNG, GIF, BMP or PDF file

Has your name changed since your ID was issued due to marriage or a legal name change?
- No
- Yes

← You can upload more than one document [if applicable]
Personal Info – Part 3

Your Information

Enter your legal name, birthdate and gender.

First name
Jane

Middle name (optional)

Last name
Doe

Birthdate
September 17 1981

Gender
☐ Male  ☐ Female
**Personal Info – Part 4**

**Moving Information**

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Since you arrived in B.C. have you left the province for more than 30 days in total in the past 12 months?

| No | Yes |

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<th>Do you have a previous B.C. Personal Health Number?</th>
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Answer “Yes” here to ensure your application is processed as a resident of BC

Answer “No” here because this triggers another set of questions which you will not be able to answer accurately

Continue
Spouse Info – Part 1

Add spouse information and upload documents

Do you have a spouse or common-law partner who also needs to enrol for MSP coverage? If so, you are required to provide spouse information and provide supporting documents.

Add Spouse

Spouse or common-law partner

Please provide the spouse's immigration status information. You will be required to upload documents to support the spouse's status in Canada. For arrivals through the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel program (CUAET) please select ‘Temporary Permit Holder or Diplomat’ from the drop-down below.

Spouse's immigration status in Canada

- Temporary Permit Holder or Diplomat
  - Work Permit / CUAET
  - Study Permit
  - Religious Worker
  - Diplomat
  - Visitor Permit
Spouse Info – Part 2

Documents
Provide one of the required documents to support your spouse's status in Canada. If your spouse's name has changed since their ID was issued you are also required to upload document to support the name change.

Document Type
- Work Permit / CUAET

Work Permit / CUAET

Select a file
Click add, or drag and drop a file into this box

Remove Add

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Has your spouse's name changed since their ID was issued due to marriage or a legal name change?
- No
- Yes

You can upload more than one document [if applicable]

Continue
Spouse Info – Part 3

Spouse's Information

Enter spouse's legal name, birthdate and gender.

First name

John

Middle name (optional)

Last name

Doe

Birthdate

March 8 1975

Gender

Male  Female
### Spouse Info – Part 4

#### Moving Information

**From which province or jurisdiction?**
- Ireland

**Has your spouse moved to B.C. permanently?**
- No
- Yes

**Arrival date in B.C.**
- July
- 15
- 2022

**Arrival date in Canada**
- July
- 15
- 2022

**Since your spouse arrived in B.C. have they left the province for more than 30 days in total in the past 12 months?**
- No
- Yes

**Does your spouse have a previous B.C. Personal Health Number?**
- No
- Yes

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- Answer “Yes” here to ensure your application is processed as a resident of BC
- Answer “No” here
- Answer “No” here

[Continue]
Add child information and upload documents

Do you have a child who also needs to enrol for MSP coverage? If so, you are required to provide child information and provide supporting documents.

Add Child

Child #1

Please provide the child's immigration status information. You will be required to upload documents to support the child's status in Canada. For arrivals through the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel program (CUAET) please select “Temporary Permit Holder or Diplomat” from the drop down below.

How old is the child?

- [ ] 0-18 years
- [ ] 19-24 years (must be a full-time student)

Child's immigration status in Canada

- [ ] Temporary Permit Holder or Diplomat
- [ ] Work Permit / CUAET
- [ ] Study Permit
- [ ] Religious Worker
- [ ] Diplomat
- [ ] Visitor Permit

Tip

You can include your 19 to 24 year old child on your MSP account if they are enrolled in full-time studies.

If your child is 19 to 24 and not in full-time studies, they must apply separately for their own MSP coverage.

If your child is 25 years or older, they must apply separately for their own MSP coverage.
Child Info – Part 2

Documents
Provide one of the required documents to support the child’s status in Canada. If the child’s name has changed since their ID was issued you are also required to upload document to support the name change.

Document Type
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Has the child’s name changed since their ID was issued?
- No
- Yes

You can upload more than one document [if applicable]
Child's Information

Enter the child's legal name, birthdate and gender.

First name
Enola

Middle name (optional)

Last name
Doe

Birthdate
June ▼ 21 2010

Gender
☑ Female
# Child Info - Part 4

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Since the child arrived in B.C. have they left the province for more than 30 days in total in the past 12 months?

- No
- Yes

If the child has been living in B.C. for less than 12 months, please indicate any absences since arrival.

- No
- Yes

Does the child have a previous B.C. Personal Health Number?

- No
- Yes
Contact Info

Residential Address
Enter your residential address - that’s the address you currently live at in B.C.
Full street address, rural route, PO box or general delivery
103 - 25 Lake Street
City
Vancouver
Province or state
British Columbia
Jurisdiction
Canada
Postal Code or Zip Code
V3R 3R5

Mailing Address
Enter your mailing address - if it’s different.
My mailing address is different

✓ This is my mailing address.

Phone
Phone number (optional)
+1 (604) 555-5555

Tip
Please provide a phone number so you may be contacted in case of any issues with your application.

Continue
# Medical Services Plan - Enrolment

## Review your application

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*Carefully review your information*

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Authorize

Authorize your application

I have received information about the Medical Services Plan and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the Medical Services Plan. I understand that if a discrepancy exists between the information provided and the legislation, the legislation will govern.

I authorize the Ministry of Health to collect my health information from practitioners who provide publicly funded health care service(s) to me under the Medical Services Plan and other publicly funded health care programs, and I provide consent for those practitioners to disclose such information to the Ministry of Health for the purposes of assessing eligibility for, and in regard to the administration of, Medical Services Plan and other Ministry of Health publicly funded health care programs.

I declare that all information provided is true and I understand that the Ministry of Health and/or Health Insurance BC may verify this information with immigration authorities, law enforcement authorities and other public authorities, agencies and persons as appropriate. I declare that all persons listed are residents of British Columbia.

John Doe, do you agree?
- Yes, I agree

John Doe, do you agree?
- Yes, I agree

Enter the text you either see in this box or you hear in the audio

Submit Application