



Full-Time Student Dependents

Student Certification Process – Highmark Blue Shield

In order to provide continuous coverage for your student dependent(s), Highmark Blue Shield performs its annual student certification process to recertify all eligible student dependents in late May. To continue your child's coverage as a full-time student, please complete the form and return it directly to Highmark Blue Shield. If you do not receive the form by the end of May, please contact the Pennsylvania Medical Society Insurance Agency.

Student dependents are eligible to continue coverage to age 25 if enrolled as a full-time student. A full-time student dependent requires enrollment as a full-time student (defined as 12 credits per semester) in an accredited school, college, or university and sole dependence upon the health insurance member for support.

Please call the Pennsylvania Medical Society Insurance Agency at (866)-441-2392 should you have any questions. **If you do not return the Dependent Information Form to Highmark, coverage for the dependent will be cancelled on July 1.**

If your son or daughter has no group coverage available through an employer following graduation, the Pennsylvania Medical Society Insurance Agency has many options available based on their situation.