Medical and Evacuation Insurance Policy

- All CU Denver | CU Anschutz students traveling abroad on university-related programs or for university purposes are required to have international health and evacuation insurance. Note that United States health insurance is typically not accepted at facilities outside the United States and rarely provides for emergency medical, natural disaster, terrorist activity, or political evacuation back to the United States for medical treatment.

- Students participating on programs organized through the Office of Global Education will receive international health and evacuation insurance through International SOS. The plan includes medical coverage as well as evacuation coverage for medical, political, or natural disaster emergencies. Some Office of Global Education programs may utilize other comparable insurance plans.

- Students participating in non-CU Denver programs must confirm that the program or host organization provides international health and evacuation insurance. If the program does not provide insurance or if students are traveling independently, coverage must be purchased.
  - The university recommends coverage that includes, at a minimum, the following four insurance benefits:
    1) Minimum political evacuation and natural disaster ($100,000)
    2) Minimum coverage per injury or sickness ($100,000)
    3) Minimum repatriation of remains ($25,000)
    4) Minimum medical evacuation ($75,000)
  - In the event that health insurance is not included by your host organization, CU Denver has negotiated a comprehensive, inexpensive international emergency health and evacuation insurance plan through International SOS, available to all CU Denver | CU Anschutz students traveling abroad for academic purposes. Students should contact the Office of Global Education for information about enrollment in and billing of international health and evacuation insurance through International SOS.

- Medical residents traveling abroad as university employees have international health and evacuation insurance coverage through GeoBlue. The plan includes medical coverage as well as evacuation coverage for medical, political, or natural disaster emergencies. Residents should contact the Office of Global Education for instructions on obtaining an ID card.

- The insurance plan offered through the Office of Global Education includes limited travel insurance in the form of trip cancellation (up to $1,000). If students require more robust travel insurance, they should do so independently.