Name of Policy: Student Health Services for Health Professions Students

Policy Number: 3364-81-04-016-01

Approving Officer: Executive Vice President for Clinical Affairs and Dean of the College of Medicine and Life Sciences

Responsible Agent: Service Chief, Family Medicine

Scope: College of Medicine Students

☐ New policy proposal ☑ Minor/technical revision of existing policy
☐ Major revision of existing policy Reaffirmation of existing policy

(A) Policy statement

Primary and immediate medical and mental health services will be provided to students enrolled at the University of Toledo College of Medicine.

(B) Purpose of policy

To outline services provided by the University of Toledo for College of Medicine students.

(C) Scope

This policy is for student health services for College of Medicine students.

(D) Procedure

Health services for medical students are provided by the University of Toledo Medical Center. Primary care services are provided at several sites from which the students may choose. They include:

1) The Student Health and Wellness Center on the Health Science Campus located in the garden level of the Ruppert Center, room 0013. Students may receive preventive services such as routine physicals, well woman exams, PPDs, immunizations, and other primary care services. Phone: (419) 383-3777

2) Main Campus Medical Center student services. Services are the same as those provided in the Student Health and Wellness Center on the Health Science Campus. Phone: (419) 530-3451

3) Family Medicine at Glendale Medical East, 3333 Glendale Ave. Preventive and primary care services are available. Phone: (419) 383-5555

4) South Toledo Internists, the faculty practice of the Division of General Internal Medicine. Preventive and primary care services are available. Phone (419) 383-3627
Phlebotomy services are available in the main hospital 7 am – 5 pm, Ruppert Center 7 am– 5 pm, and Main Campus Medical Center 8:30 am – 4:00 pm Monday – Friday. Times are subject to change depending holidays, inclement weather, or other circumstances.

A full range of imaging services is available in the main hospital. Plain x-rays are available in the Ruppert Center.

Costs of services are covered mainly by billing fee for service to the students’ health insurance company. The students may pay discounted fees in all four primary care sites for services that are not covered by insurance, such as travel consults. Student health clinics on both campuses are subsidized by general fees.

**Student Health Insurance**

Requirements for University of Toledo College of Medicine students for maintaining health insurance are located in policy 3364-30-05 Student Health Insurance.

**Emergency Care for Students**

In the event of a medical emergency, students should go to the nearest Emergency Department or call the telephone operator, on campus 77, off campus 911, and report the need for assistance.

Students will be billed for all visits to an Emergency Department. Students and/or insurance carriers are responsible for all charges incurred regardless of whether the student or a physician initiated the visit.

**Lab/Radiology Test Services Benefits**

The University will cover certain laboratory and radiological services for health professions students which include:

- Occupational exposure testing and immediate follow-up care
- Chest x-rays ordered for students who have positive PPD tests

If a student would ever receive a bill for said services, they are to bring it immediately to the hospital billing department. The University does not pay for any pre-matriculation health requirements.

**Prescription Medication**

Prescriptions for students and their families may be filled at the University of Toledo Outpatient Pharmacy Phone (4190 383-3898) located in the medical mall adjacent to the Orthopedic clinic or the Main Campus Medical Center Phone: (419) 530-3471. A three-month maximum supply of medication is permitted unless restricted by law or University policy.
Treatment of Medical Problems While Rotating at Affiliated Hospitals or AHEC Sites

Students participating in clerkships at University of Toledo affiliated hospitals or at AHEC sites should seek non-emergency medical care through university sites. Expenses incurred for treatment at other sites becomes the responsibility of students and/or their insurance carriers, unless the care is related to an occupational exposure. Some AHEC hospitals provide health services for medical students.

Dental Services

University of Toledo, Division of Dentistry will provide dental care services to enrolled students. 24 hour dental service is additionally available to spouses/dependents of medical/graduate school students. To arrange an appointment Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., call (419) 383-3805. In the case of an emergency at other times, students should call the Operator at (419) 383-4000 and contact the Dental Resident on duty. The Dental Service is located on the second floor of the outpatient clinic in the University of Toledo Medical Center.

Counseling Services

Counseling services are available at the Main Campus Medical Center by appointment. Counseling services are also available at the Counseling Center at Rocket Hall on the Main Campus. Use of mental health services is strictly confidential and is not reported outside the Centers.

Psychiatric/Mental Health Services

Psychiatry services are provided at both student services sites by board certified psychiatrists for mental health and medication management needs. Health professions students other than medical students may also receive mental health services through the Department of Psychiatry.
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