



Department of Civil Service

ANDREW M. CUOMO
Governor

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Dear SEHP enrollee:

Effective January 1, 2016, the employee share of the biweekly premium for medical/dental/vision coverage for enrollees in the Student Employee Health Plan (SEHP) under the New York State Health Insurance Program (NYSHIP) will be:

Individual coverage **\$14.09**
Family coverage **\$83.23**

The new rate will be deducted automatically from employees' biweekly paychecks beginning with the paycheck dated:

- December 24, 2015 for Institution Lag-Exempt Payroll employees,
- January 7, 2016 for Institution Lag-Payroll employees, and
- December 30, 2015 for Administration Lag-Payroll employees.

Please contact the Health Benefits Administrator (HBA) on your campus, usually in the Human Resources (Personnel) office, if you have any questions about enrollment, eligibility or the cost of your health insurance.

The *Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC)* is a standardized comparison document required by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. To view a copy of the *SBC* for SEHP, visit <https://www.cs.ny.gov/sbc>. If you do not have internet access, call 1-877-7-NYSHIP (1-877-769-7447) to request a copy.

Note: *If your employment with SUNY or CUNY in a benefits-eligible position is ending, please destroy your health insurance and dental plan ID cards and contact the HBA on your campus to update your records. Be sure to ask about the date your coverage will end; it may be different from the date printed on your ID card. Expenses you incur after your coverage ends will not be paid, unless you enroll for COBRA continuation coverage.*

COBRA enrollees: Your monthly bills will reflect your new rate, beginning with the bill you receive in December 2015. If you have questions about the cost of your COBRA continuation coverage, or wish to end your COBRA continuation coverage, contact the Employee Benefits Division at 518-457-5754 or 1-800-833-4344.

Sincerely,

David J. Boland
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