



# l'Assurance Maladie

Agir ensemble, protéger chacun



## MEMO FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

As soon as you get to France and have registered at your institute of higher education, follow the steps below to get coverage for your health care expenses for the duration of your studies:

### 1

#### SIGN UP ONLINE ON: [ETUDIANT-ETRANGER.AMELI.FR](http://ETUDIANT-ETRANGER.AMELI.FR)



Enter the **required** information

- Last name
- First and middle name(s)
- Date of birth
- Country of birth
- Email address
- Mailing address in France
- Telephone number



Upload the **required** supporting documents

- Passport/ID card
- Residency permit
- A long copy of your birth certificate, or a birth certificate showing your parents' information (or other document issued by a consulate)
- Certificate of school enrollment for the current year
- Certificate of parental authorization (under-16s)
  - IBAN
- Any additional documents required based on your country of origin

### 2

#### CREATE YOUR PERSONAL ACCOUNT



Download your **provisional** certificate of membership in the French social security system

Upload any **missing or non-standard** supporting documents to your personal account

As soon as you receive a message with your new French social security number ("NIR")...

...download your **official** certificate of membership in the French Social Security system

### THE ETUDIANT-ETRANGER.AMELI.FR WEBSITE

To get French health insurance coverage, all new international students need to sign up online on: [etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr](http://etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr)



This dedicated website - available in French, English, and Spanish - and accessible through language assistance in Mandarin and Arabic - has been set up for international students to communicate directly with the French health insurance system.



#### NEED HELP?

Check out the tutorial in the "Help" section on [etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr](http://etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr)

### 3

#### ONCE YOUR REGISTRATION IS COMPLETE, THERE ARE A FEW ADDITIONAL STEPS TO MAKE SURE YOU RECEIVE YOUR REIMBURSEMENTS IN A QUICK AND CONVENIENT MANNER.



**Create your personal ameli account** on [ameli.fr](http://ameli.fr) or using the ameli application



**Apply for a health insurance card ("carte Vitale") and submit the required supporting documents**

- Recent passport photo
- ID



**Declare a doctor practicing in France as your primary care physician ("médecin traitant")**

To maximize your reimbursements, the French healthcare system ("l'Assurance Maladie") recommends that you take out a supplementary health care policy.

You belong to the local health insurance fund ("CPAM") that covers your address. **YOU WILL ONLY BE ABLE TO REGISTER ONCE YOU HAVE ARRIVED IN FRANCE.**