

STUDENT DECLARATION OF MEDICAL SERVICES PLAN (MSP) COVERAGE

As outlined in the [Student Healthcare Policy](#), all students studying in Canada must have basic medical insurance. International students are expected to register with BC's medical services plan (MSP) upon arrival in BC. There is a three-month waiting period for all new MSP applicants and therefore new international students are required to enrol in the guard.me@RRU health insurance program to cover the first three months in BC.

You may opt-out of purchasing guard.me@RRU coverage if you already hold active MSP at the start of your Royal Roads program.

To opt-out of guard.me@RRU health insurance coverage and declare coverage under MSP, complete this form and submit it to international.support@royalroads.ca.

By submitting this form I confirm that:

- I understand basic health insurance is mandatory for all Royal Roads international students studying in Canada;
- I am currently covered under MSP and will opt-out of purchasing guard.me@RRU health insurance;
- Failure to maintain active basic health insurance may result in unexpected medical bills and expenses, for which I am wholly responsible; and
- The information provided in this declaration is true and I understand I may be contacted by Royal Roads University for additional documentation to confirm active coverage under MSP.

Student Name	
Student ID	Today's Date
MSP coverage dates (as indicated on your MSP enrolment letter or BC Services Card)	
Signature	

The personal information collected in this form is collected under the authority of the University Act and is subject to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. The personal information collected will be used for tracking compliance with the Royal Roads University [Student Healthcare Policy](#). For more information regarding the collection and use of personal information please contact Royal Roads University's Privacy Officer via [email](#) or in writing to 2005 Sooke Road, Victoria, BC Canada, V9B 5Y2.