

Health Care and Emergency Health Care Facilities in Springfield

UIS Students who have minor illnesses or injuries should call the [UIS Health Services](#) at 206-6676 to schedule an appointment. Students with the [UIS Student Insurance \(Academic HealthPlans / Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois\)](#) can call an after-hours nurse at 1-800-299-0274 with any medical questions or concerns.

EMERGENCY CARE

Private medical care from an emergency room or an urgent care center is extremely expensive. Your insurance may pay only a portion of the total bill. Contact [Human Resources](#) with any [Student Insurance \(Academic HealthPlans\)](#) questions at 217-206-6652. If you should have need of emergency care, the local emergency/urgent care centers are as follows:

Please check to be sure which one your insurance cover

St. John's HSHS Medical Group

Phone & hours vary

1. Priority Care South MacArthur
1836 S. MacArthur Blvd. Springfield, IL
Phone: (217) 789-1403
2. Walk-In Clinic in Meijer
4200 Conestoga Dr Springfield, IL
Phone: (217) 321-9323
3. HSHS Medical Group Family Medicine –
Chatham
125 E Plummer Blvd, Suite A
Phone: (217) 483-3333

Central Counties Health Centers, Inc.

2239 E. Cook St.
Springfield, IL
Phone: 217-788-2300

Memorial ExpressCare

Phone (217) 588-2600 7a.m. – 7p.m.

1. Koke Mill – ExpressCare
3132 Old Jacksonville Rd, Springfield, IL
2. South Sixth Street ExpressCare
2950 S. 6th Street, Springfield, IL
3. North Dirksen ExpressCare
3220 Atlanta Street, Springfield, IL
4. Chatham ExpressCare
101 East Plummer Chatham, IL 62629

Springfield Clinic Prompt Care

Phone (217) 528-7541 8a.m. – 8p.m.

1. Prompt Care Main
1025 South 6th Street Springfield, IL
2. Prompt Care West
2200 W. Wabash Ave Springfield, IL

MAJOR ILLNESSES OR ACCIDENT ON CAMPUS THAT REQUIRE AMBULANCE TRANSPORTATION TO THE HOSPITAL

Accidents or serious illnesses may occur on the campus requiring the aid and assistance of member of the campus community. It is important that you know how to respond in an emergency in order to insure that prompt medical assistance is obtained for the sick or injured person. It is also important that we maintain an accurate record of accident or injuries that occur on campus.

In the event of an injury or illness on campus, the person(s) aiding the injured or ill party or parties should follow the procedure below:

Emergencies or potential emergency conditions should be reported immediately to the [University Police Department](#) at 217-206-777 (emergency) or 217-206-6690 (non-emergency).

University Police Telecommunications will follow a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP). The SOP, review/updated annually, will be followed for nearly all emergency situations.

1. Dispatch police officers to the scene and call an ambulance or emergency Medical Personnel.
2. Write a report on the incidence.

LOCAL HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS

(Private Pay)

There are many dentists and eye doctors in the Springfield Community. The following is a list of private dentists and eye doctors that the [Health Services](#) has worked with in the past. They require appointments in advance. It is important for you to know that your student insurance does not cover any of the cost for routine eye examinations or routine dental care unless you have requested it to be added to your plan. Contact [Human Resources](#) with any [UIS Student Insurance](#) ([Academic HealthPlans](#) / [Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois](#)) questions at 217-206-6652.

DENTISTS

1. [Catholic Charities Community Services of Spfld](#)
700 N. 7th St. Ste A
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-523-1474
1. [Central Counties Health Centers Dental Clinic – Hope Pavilion](#)
5220 South 6th, Suite 2100
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-788-2337
2. [SIU School of Dental Medicine](#)
2800 College Ave
Alton, IL
Phone: (618)-474-7208
3. [Springfield Dentist - Dental Group of Springfield](#)
2701 South Koke Mill Road - Springfield, IL
(217) 793-8899
4. [Secure Dental Springfield](#)
687 E Linton Ave
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217) 522-1111

OPHTHALMOLOGIST and OPTICIANS

(for eye examinations, minor ailments, illnesses, glasses and contact lenses)

Please check your insurance to be certain the following providers are acceptable.

1. [Catholic Charities Community Services of Spfld](#)
700 N. 7th St. Ste A
Springfield, IL 62702
Phone: (217)-523-1474
2. [Springfield Clinic Optical Centre](#)
1025 South 6th Street West Bldg
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-528-7541
3. [Springfield Clinic Optical Centre West](#)
1937 West Iles Ave
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-528-7541
4. [Gailey Eye Clinic](#)
1401 S. Koke Mill Rd
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-529-3937
5. [Vision Care Associates](#)
121 N. Grand Ave. W.
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-528-3233
6. [Vision Care Associates](#)
2741 Prairie Crossing Dr
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-528-3233
7. [Lens Crafters](#)
101 White Oaks Mall
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217)-546-0738
8. [America's Best-Contacts & Eyeglasses](#)
3207 S Veterans Pky.
Springfield, IL
Phone: (217) 241-0132