

ATTENTION UWINDSOR PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS:

OPUS Drug & Dental Plan – Winter 2019 OPT-OUT & FAMILY OPT-IN PERIOD!

Welcome to the University of Windsor! Any part-time undergraduate student who is enrolled in the **Winter 2019** semester and *taking 3 courses or less* on-campus are covered by the OPUS DRUG & DENTAL PLAN from **Jan. 1 - Aug. 31, 2019**. **The 2018-19 annual drug and dental plan fee is \$309.97**. Students who are in **distance education, co-op, senior, aboriginal, exchange and internship/practicum** students are not automatically assessed the health and dental fee and must **OPT-IN** to the plan if they would like to obtain coverage.

Please note: This message is intended for those students who are starting their first academic semester in Winter 2019. Those students who are returning from Fall 2018, please be advised that you have already been charged this annual fee and/or opted-out.

If you have existing comparable drug and dental coverage you may **OPT-OUT** of the OPUS Drug and Dental Plan (proof of insurance company and policy number is required) by completing an **online OPT-OUT form here** <http://www1.uwindsor.ca/opus/drug-dental-plan>. **If you opt-out successfully, your refund cheque will be available sometime in February.**

Follow this link to OPT-OUT: ***Winter 2019 OPT-OUT period: Jan. 1 – Feb. 1, 2019.***

After completing the online opt out, you will receive an e-mail confirmation. If you do not receive an e-mail confirmation, it could mean that it did not go through or was not successful. If you did not receive your opt-out email, please take a look in your spam/junk folder of your email account that you used when completing the online opt-out form. If you still cannot locate this email, please contact your OPUS Health Plan Administrator.

NOTE: OHIP and GSHIP (OHIP Equivalency) is not a comparable plan and is not accepted

You can also add dependents (spouse or children) to your benefits coverage for an additional fee. Please click here <http://www1.uwindsor.ca/opus/drug-dental-plan> for more information including the **OPT-IN FORM**, https://uwindsor.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_cBAj21CsTEJHzRb.

Once the form is completed, you can pay the fees to OPUS directly (**cash or cheque only**) by **Feb. 1, 2019**.