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NHI REQUIRES COLLEGE STUDENTS TO CONFIRM ENROLMENT

Students over age 18 should send a letter to NHI for every year they are in college

Road Town, Tortola, March 27, 2019– National Health Insurance (NHI) is requiring students between age 18 and 25 to validate their enrolment in college on an annual basis.

Students up to age 25 are covered by NHI once they are enrolled full-time in a tertiary academic institution.

Social Security Board Deputy Director with responsibility for NHI, Mr. Roy Barry, said students can confirm enrolment via a letter including the classes they are enrolled in and/or current transcript from their college. This documentation should be sent once a year to NHI, for every year the student is enrolled in college.

Mr. Barry said, “This confirmation is necessary to ensure students are able to get the necessary healthcare they require while they are in college. It is also important to keep our NHI records up to date.”

Letters can be sent via email to info@vinhi.vg or mailed to National Health Insurance, P.O. Box 698, 15 Administration Drive, Tortola, Virgin Islands.

For more information, students can call (284) 852-7860, or email info@vinhi.vg, or visit the NHI office at the Social Security Board Building on Wickham’s Cay I.

National Health Insurance is designed to improve health outcomes and provide financial risk protection by ensuring that every resident of the Virgin Islands will have affordable access to the health services they need.

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