

University of Pikeville Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine

Physical Health Services

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Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine (KYCOM) provides its students with access to diagnostic, preventive, and therapeutic health services 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, from all locations where students receive their education from KYCOM.

Policy Statement

University of Pikeville – Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine (KYCOM) students are strongly encouraged to establish a relationship with and utilize the services of a primary care provider for comprehensive healthcare, as well as for the acute care of illness. KYCOM requires all students to maintain active health insurance coverage in order to readily access diagnostic, preventative, and therapeutic healthcare in all regions where training occurs. KYCOM also maintains specific immunization and screening requirements that are maintained by the office of Clinical Affairs.

A registered nurse is on duty and/or on call during regular academic semesters at the University of Pikeville. The nurse is available for consultation, treatment, and referral. Campus Nurse Phone: (606) 218-5048; Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Closed from 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.). The nurse's office is located conveniently in the Coal Building Room 515.

Procedure

Diagnostic, preventative, and therapeutic health services can be provided within each community where the student is educated (Pikeville, Kentucky for years 1 and 2; clinical regions for years 3 and 4).