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Student Health at UPMC Passavant

La Roche College Commitment

La Roche College values all students and strives to provide the best possible care while you are at your “home away from home.” One of the area’s most respected health care systems, in fact, helps La Roche meet its commitment to you when it comes to health – UPMC Passavant. UPMC Passavant, within walking distance of the College campus, is committed to the enhancement of your physical, mental and emotional well-being.

To meet your medical needs, La Roche College Student Health at UPMC Passavant offers the following services:

- primary care and specialist referrals
- laboratory services
- emergency care through the Emergency Department

All medical records are strictly confidential and will not be released without your specific written permission.

Where to Call

If you require medical attention or if you have a health-related question, call **412-367-6420** for assistance. Depending upon your individual circumstances, you may be directed to Health Service Care during the regular hours of 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. daily in the Wellness area at UPMC Passavant.

If you have an emergency, you may be referred to UPMC’s Emergency Department for evaluation. Students who require urgent care after 3:30 p.m. daily or on the weekend also may be referred to the Emergency Department.

In an acute emergency, contact La Roche College’s Public Safety Office at **412-536-1111**. The director of Residence Life also should be contacted. You may reach the director at **412-536-1195**.

Identification Cards Required

In order to provide you with care, UPMC's staff will require you to show your student identification card when you go to the hospital. You also should bring your health care insurance card. It is helpful for the staff to know the type of coverage you have, who your primary care physician is, and other pertinent information your identification will provide.

Health Service Cost

Routine, non-emergency care is provided at no cost under the terms of the UPMC Passavant/La Roche College agreement. This includes tests and/or procedures normally handled in a primary care physician's office. This service is available only from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. daily. You may seek emergency care after hours, on holidays and on weekends.

Health care services provided outside regular business hours or over and above routine care will be billed as emergency services to the student or your own insurance provider. Your insurance provider may not cover the visit. If you are not sure whether a service is covered, please ask at the time of service how the visit will be billed.

Health Care Insurances

La Roche College Student Health at UPMC Passavant is designed to provide a source of care during your years as a student at the College. However, when an emergency or expanded medical treatment is necessary, La Roche College has made an optional policy available. Your own family plan also may be used to provide coverage. For more information on this, please visit the Student Life Office in Zappala College Center.

Medical Excuses

Medical excuses are not provided for missed classes, examinations, etc. Students are responsible for notifying professors. A record of service may be requested to verify a Health Service visit.

Health Service Hours:

Daily from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Wellness)

Emergency Care Hours:

Emergency Department: **412-367-6300**

Where to Go:

In most circumstances, you must call **412-367-6420**
before going to the hospital.

If you need transportation, call **412-536-1111** for Public Safety.

When you arrive at UPMC Passavant,
please ask for the Wellness Office.