

HEALTH SERVICES AT A GLANCE

PHONE: 518-580-5550

HOURS & LOCATION

MONDAYS—FRIDAYS: 9AM—12PM & 1—4:30PM
SUNDAYS: 12-5PM Walk-ins Only
JONSSON TOWER 1ST FLOOR
—SKID ID card is necessary to enter building.

AFTER HOURS CARE

A nurse practitioner is always on call after hours & can be accessed by calling Campus Safety at 518-580-5567.

WEBSITE

Find valuable information regarding our services & self-care at www.skidmore.edu/health-services.

IMMUNIZATION & TB RECORDS ON PORTAL

Students can access the portal & print immunization & TB records for classes, Early Childhood Center, jobs, volunteer positions, camp, etc. at <https://skidmore.studenthealthportal.com>.

WALK-IN VISITS

Nurses & nurse practitioners are available to see students on a walk-in basis for the following:

- *Acute illness & injury*
- *General medical problems*
- *Immunizations*
- *Lab work ordered by an outside provider*

Health Services staff can provide treatment to Skidmore employees for:

- *Minor injuries which occur at work & requires first aid only*
- *Blood pressure checks*
- *Hepatitis B vaccinations*

If immediate medical treatment is required, seek treatment at Urgent Care/Wilton Medical Arts or Saratoga Hospital ER. For all other health concerns, employees should seek care from their primary care provider or community facility.

APPOINTMENTS

- *Birth control counseling* • *Chronic illness*
- *Physicals* • *Gynecological exam/problems*
- *STD/HIV testing & counseling*

SERVICES PROVIDED

We confidentially see students for a variety of reasons & provide care similar to what is obtained from a primary care provider.

CHARGES/INSURANCE

We DO NOT charge for visits to HS or bill health insurance. There are nominal fees associated with some medications & lab testing. Health insurance is utilized when a student is seen by an outside provider (Urgent Care, ER, specialist, lab, PT, etc.).

MEDICATIONS INCLUDING BIRTH CONTROL & PLAN B

We are not a pharmacy however, we do offer a variety of over-the-counter & prescription medications that may be dispensed during a visit.

Providers at Health Services have the ability to write prescriptions, including birth control.

Plan B is over-the-counter and may be purchased during a visit, at a local pharmacy or at Planned Parenthood.

No medications are handed out at the front desk or are dispensed to anyone other than the student being evaluated.

LAB TESTS

HS performs in-office testing for strep, mono, urinary tract infections, and pregnancy.

The office can draw blood/collect specimens ordered by a HS or outside provider and includes STD & HIV testing.

VERIFICATION OF MEDICAL ILLNESS POLICY

HS does not provide documentation of visits or excuses for missed classes.