A VISITOR’S GUIDE
to Local Health Care Services

MIT Medical’s Urgent Care Service

The Urgent Care Service at MIT Medical only accepts MIT insurance and Draper Harvard Pilgrim HMO. We do not take most other insurances. If you are a visitor to the MIT campus and use the Urgent Care Service, you may need to pay the full cost of your visit, including any copays, deductibles, and co-insurance, unless otherwise covered by your health insurance.

Before we can see you in Urgent Care, you must provide your insurance information and sign a form agreeing to pay for any services your insurance does not cover. If you have U.S.-based insurance, we will submit a claim to your insurance company, and bill you for any amount that is not covered by your insurance.

MIT Medical’s Urgent Care Service is open from 7 a.m to 11 p.m. every day and treats common medical problems, such as high fever, earaches, or sprains. Urgent Care does not provide physical exams or vaccines. For general advice regarding symptoms, visit medical.mit.edu/symptoms or symptoms.wedmd.com

The following listing of medical care providers is for informational purposes only; MIT Medical does not endorse any of these providers, nor does it represent that all costs incurred by visitors to MIT for services provided by MIT or other local providers will be completely covered by visitors’ health insurance policies. We strongly encourage visitors to contact their health insurance representatives for plan-specific limitations when obtaining services away from home.

OTHER URGENT CARE OPTIONS

These local, walk-in clinics provide care for minor illnesses and injuries without an appointment, and some may accept your health insurance. In addition, some can provide vaccines, on-site lab tests, and even X-ray services. Some clinics do not treat children. Visit a clinic’s website or call for more information about services and hours.

- CareWell Urgent Care
  • 1400 Cambridge Street (at Inman Square), Cambridge, MA 02139
  • carewellurgentcare.com
  • 617-714-4534

- CVS MinuteClinic
  • 36 White Street, Cambridge, MA 02140
  • cvs.com/minuteclinic
  • 866-389-2727

- Massachusetts General Hospital Medical Walk-In Unit
  • Wang Ambulatory Care Center, 15 Parkman Street, Suite 108, Boston, MA 02114
  • massgeneral.org/appointments/walkinunit
  • 617-726-2707

- Mt. Auburn Hospital Walk-In Clinic
  • 330 Mount Auburn Street, Cambridge, MA 02138
  • mountauburnhospital.org
  • 617-499-5065
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOMS

Hospital emergency rooms are open 24 hours a day, every day. They will see patients of any age and can handle nearly any type of urgent care illness or injury. In some cases, children may be sent to Boston Children’s Hospital for additional care. If the hospital does not accept your insurance, a visit to the emergency room will be much more expensive than a visit to a walk-in clinic.

- **Boston’s Children’s Hospital**
  - 300 Longwood Ave. Boston, MA, 02115
  - childrenshospital.org
  - 617-355-6000

- **Cambridge Hospital/Cambridge Health Alliance**
  - 1493 Cambridge St., Cambridge, MA, 02139
  - challiance.org
  - 617-665-1000

- **Massachusetts General Hospital**
  - 55 Fruit Street, Boston, MA 02114
  - massgeneral.org/emergencymedicine
  - 617-726-2000

- **Mt. Auburn Hospital**
  - 330 Mount Auburn St, Cambridge, MA 02138
  - mountauburnhospital.org
  - 617-499-5025

PHARMACIES

There are many pharmacies in the area that may accept your insurance plan.

- **CVS in Central Square**
  - 624 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139
  - 617-876-7868

- **CVS by Charles/MGH Station**
  - 155 Charles Street, Boston, MA 02114
  - cvs.com
  - 617-523-1028

- **CVS by MGH**
  - 191 Cambridge Street, Charles River Plaza, Boston, MA 02114
  - cvs.com
  - 617-367-0441

- **Inman Pharmacy in Inman Square**
  - 1414 Cambridge St, Cambridge, MA 02139
  - inmanpharmacy.com
  - 617-876-4868

- **Walgreens in Central Square**
  - 625 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139
  - walgreens.com
  - 617-491-8157

TRAVEL VACCINES

If you need a vaccine for international travel, you will need to make an appointment at a travel clinic. Travel clinics do not treat illnesses. These are the nearest travel clinics:

- **Mount Auburn Hospital Travel Medicine Center Travel Clinic**
  - 330 Mount Auburn Street / South 1, Cambridge, MA, 02138
  - mountauburn.caregroup.org
  - 617-499-5757

- **Passport Health Cambridge**
  - 705 Cambridge Street, 2nd Floor, Cambridge, MA 02141
  - passporthealthusa.com/locations/ma/cambridge/411/
  - 617-307-7599
HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO RECEIVE CARE AT MIT MEDICAL?

If you get care at MIT Medical’s Urgent Care Service, the cost of your care depends on the specific services you receive and how much time the clinician spends with you. The chart below is intended to give you an idea of how much you can expect to pay for several different types of visits if the visit is not covered by your insurance*. Costs are estimates and subject to change.

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<th>Visit type</th>
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<td>Strep throat (may include: office visit, throat swab, lab test)</td>
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<td>Sprained ankle (may include office visit, strapping ankle, crutches, X-ray)</td>
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<td>Upper respiratory symptoms (office visit only)</td>
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<td>Minor wound (may include office visit, wound treatment, and Tetanus shot)</td>
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*as of March 2015

For medical emergencies on campus, call 100 from a campus phone, or call 617-253-1212 from a cell phone.

For medical emergencies off campus, call 911.