

Wako-city's subsidy system for medical treatment fee of children

Amount of subsidy

Insured medical fee of outpatient, hospitalization or prescription can be subsidized. Medical fee that is exempted from insurance will not be subsidized.

Examples exempted from subsidy

1. Document fee, for example, a medical certificate
2. Health report or vaccination by your own expense
3. Medical material fee, for example, a container fee of medicine
4. Specific medical expense charged at hospitals
5. Hospital meals charge
6. Sick and wound by the third party act (Traffic accident and so on)
7. Injury or illness at school, kindergarten, or preschool (Japan sports promotion center law, School health security law and so on)

Period of qualification

You can receive subsidy for the period below.

Birth: From the date of birth of your child, and up to March 31, after child has reached the age of 18.

Moving in: From the date of moving in, and up to March 31, after child has reached the age of 18.

Moving out: Until the day before moving out.

※During eligible period, when your registered information (Insurance, address and so on) was changed, you must have your change to the city hall. If this was not done, future subsidy may be denied.

How to receive

When your child go to medical institutes (hospital／pharmacy／dental office) in Saitama prefecture ,you should present **“Children’s medical subsidy eligible card”** and **“health insurance card”** every turn to hospital’s reception desk.



You don't need to pay at medical institutes

(※This is only for Insurance medical care)

In case that it costs below 21,000 yen at one medical institute and in one month. In case that it costs beyond 21,000 yen in half of one month, you need to pay exceeding medical fees by yourself from the beginning of that month.

●In these cases, you need to pay medical expenses.

- **When it costed beyond 21,000 yen**
- **When your child saw a doctor out of Saitama prefecture.**
- **When forgetting subsidy eligible card. (Don't present your eligible card at medical institutes)**

※All case is limited to insurance medical care

How to apply

Please fill in the application form and hand out on and after the following month of medical care. The application form is different form by each child, each month, each medical institute, each pharmacy.

Application deadline

The period is 5 years starting from the day after the medical expenses were paid.

Application counter

Windows are Neuvola Promotion Division in the city office, and other branches (wako-shi station, Gobo, Sakashita, Shirakofukiage). Mails are also acceptable.

※Please divide application for hospitalization from that for outpatient. When the medical fee comes under high-cost medical care, you are needed to offer the medical fee payment statement that is issued by your insurance union.

About payment

After we receive your application, we transfer to your bank account in the middle of following month.

When the medical fee comes under high-cost medical care, we need to confirm something to your insurance union. So procedure may be longer and deposit will be late. In the deposit month, payment statement will be mailed you.

When medical expenses become expensive

In all amount of subsidy, when you paid high amount of medical fee, high-cost medical care or fringe benefits beyond a certain amount of expense will be paid for you through your insurance union and others.

When you get Family medical treatment fringe benefit from your insurance union, city subsidize medical fees exempted that sum.

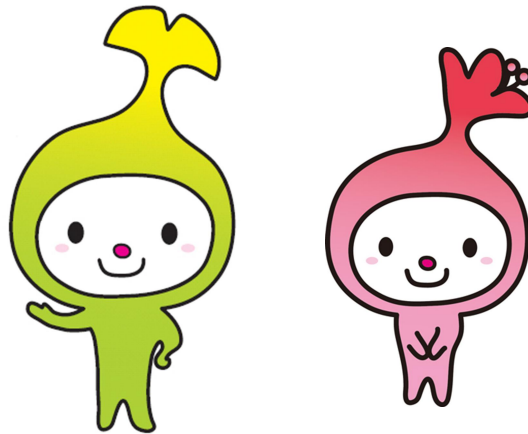
In case that is application of medical fee come under high-cost medical care, it needs “receipt” given by Insurance union and others (generally, “receipt” is issued after 2 or 3 months from the month of medical care.)

When your medical fees are expensive, please apply for children’s medical subsidy after payment from your insurance union as far as possible. Sometimes, it comes under high-cost medical care by adding up medical fee of you and your other family members. In case of that, we will confirm each situation by mail.

Attention

When your health insurance card was changed or your address was changed in sphere of Wako city or eligibility card was lost, please notify it to city office.

And, when you move out Wako-city, eligibility card must be returned to city office.



They are image character of Wako City, "Wakotti" and "satsukichan"

► For more information, please visit the Wako City website. Language translation is available.



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