### COST OF A STUDENT HEALTH CENTER VISIT FOR A SORE THROAT

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<th>Name</th>
<th>Office Visit</th>
<th>Lab Tests at SHS</th>
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<th>Total Care Costs</th>
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<td><strong>Alex: UC SHIP</strong></td>
<td>$0</td>
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<td><strong>Jen: Private Insurance</strong></td>
<td>$206</td>
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<td><strong>Tyler: CruzCare with private insurance</strong></td>
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- **Alex Pays:** $7.65
  - Plus $5 pharmacy prescription
  - Visit appears on Student Account as "Health Center Fee." Alex pays it when they pay their normal quarterly UCSC bill.

- **Jen Pays:** $329
  - Plus unknown pharmacy prescription costs
  - Jen gets an itemized bill to submit to the insurer. Jen might not know how much of the $329 the insurer will reimburse.

- **Tyler Pays:** $51.00
  - Plus unknown pharmacy prescription costs
  - Tyler’s bill is like Alex’s, but Tyler pays a little extra because CruzCare doesn’t cover medicine or outside labs. CruzCare costs $125 per quarter.

**Learn more about health insurance and UC SHIP at**
[https://healthcenter.ucsc.edu/billing-insurance](https://healthcenter.ucsc.edu/billing-insurance)