

Medical Welfare

■ The Medical Welfare System *Fukushi Iryou Seido*

By presenting your health insurance certificate***Note 1** and Medical Welfare Recipient Certificate (*Pink Card*) *Fukushi Iryouhi Jukyū Shikakushashō* at a reception desk (within a medical facility in Gunma Prefecture), you are not charged for the portion of the co-payment of medical fees which covered by insurance, in principle.

Please check below if you fall under any of the conditions for Eligible Persons to receive medical welfare benefits. Upon completing the procedures, you will be issued the certificate.

● Location for application procedures:

Medical Welfare and Pension Division *Iryou Nenkin-Ka* (Ota City Hall, 1F / Counter 12)

● Eligible Persons

Category	Eligible Persons	Items needed for applying
Child	Child ages 0 to 18 years old	Health Insurance Certificate* Note 1
Individuals with severe mental or physical disability	National Pension Act. Level 1 (<i>1 Kyū</i>)	Health Insurance Certificate* Note 1 , Disability Basic Pension Certificate <i>Shougai Kiso Nenkin Shousho</i>
	Special Child-Raising Allowance, Level 1	Health Insurance Certificate* Note 1 , Special Child-Raising Allowance Certificate <i>Tokubetsu Jidou Fuyou Teate Shousho</i>
	Physical Disability Certificate, Level 1 to 3	Health Insurance Certificate* Note 1 , Physical Disability Certificate <i>Shintai Shougaisha Techou</i>
	Medical Treatment and Education Handbook Grade A1 to A3, B1 or B2 (For children 17 years old or younger), IQ 50 or under	Health Insurance Certificate* Note 1 , Medical Treatment and Education Handbook <i>Ryouiku Techou</i> , etc.
Single parents, etc.	Members of a household without a mother or father in which their children are under 18 years old	Health Insurance Certificate* Note 1 Single Status documents issued by embassy is also necessary for non-Japanese nationals. Please note that there may be other requirements, so please consult with staff at the counter.

Note 1: Insurance Certificate and similar documents include the 'My Number Insurance Card (*Myna Hokencho*),' 'Health Insurance Card,' 'Eligibility Certificate,' and 'Notice of Eligibility Information.'

Ota City Hall Contact Information:

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■ Other Points to Note

1. When there are changes to your type of health insurance, address, or when there are changes to the eligibility requirements, please submit a notification as follows.
 - ① Place to make a notification:
Medical Welfare and Pension Division *Iryou Nenkin-Ka*
(Ota City Hall, 1F / Counter 12).
 - ② Items needed: 1) Pink Card (Medical Welfare Recipient Card),
2) Insurance Certificate*^{Note 1} (If there are changes in the information.)
2. This card is not valid if used outside of Gunma Prefecture. For treatment received outside of the prefecture, please follow the application procedures below on a later date to receive a reimbursement:
 - ① Locations for application procedures:
 - 1) Medical Welfare and Pension Division *Iryou Nenkin-Ka*
(Ota City Hall, 1F / Counter 12)
 - 2) Various *Gyousei* (Community) Centers within the city
(Excluding Ota Community Center)
Note: Applications cannot be submitted at East and West Service Centers.
 - ② Items needed: 1) The pink card (Medical Welfare Recipient Card),
2) Insurance card *^{Note 1},
3) Receipts,
4) Bankbook, etc.
3. If you no longer meet the eligibility requirements for welfare medical care due to changes in your circumstances, your eligibility will be revoked, and if necessary. You will be required to repay the medical expenses retroactively from the date that you became ineligible.

Contact Information:

Ota City Hall (1F / Counter 12),

Medical Welfare and Pension Division *Iryou Nenkin-Ka*,

Medical Welfare and Pension Section *Fukushi Iryou Nenkin-Kakari*

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