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provides grace period for members to register students as dependants

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Platinum Health (PH) is aware that the 2020 matric results will only be available during February 2021 and that universities will be starting later this year.

Consequently, PH will allow members who need to provide proof of study for their children above 21, grace until end of March 2021 to submit documentation to the scheme.

If the child is studying full-or part-time and is financially dependent on you as the parent, PH will allow your child on the scheme for the duration of his/her studies. The following documentation needs to be submitted to the Scheme by end of March 2021, and then on an annual basis onwards:

- Full-time
  - Proof of study from tertiary institution.
- Part-time
  - Proof of study from tertiary institution and an affidavit that confirms the adult child is financially dependent on the parent and earns no income of more than the maximum social pension per month.
- Kindly note that student cards or accounts will not be accepted.

Submit the relevant documentation to Client Liaison at phclientliaison@platinumhealth.co.za or call 014 590 1700 or 080 000 6942, should you have any questions.

Important to note: Once a child turns 21, they are classified as an adult dependant and adult dependant contributions will apply.