STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE
ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Information for May 6, 2015
I. Approve: Minutes from the February 4, 2015 meeting

II. MHECare Reports – MHECare indicates that the data is not yet meaningful and therefore a report will not be provided until the next SIAC meeting scheduled for September.

III. UHC-SR Brochures for PY 15-16
   a. Policy filing with the Kansas Insurance Department
   b. Common end dates used for Plans 01 and 04 (for PY 15-16 we requested 8/28/15; 1/25/16 and 6/21/16. If application and premium payment is received by UHC-SR by those dates, coverage will be retroactive to 8/1, 1/1 or 6/1.)

IV. Outstanding Items from Prior Meeting, February 4, 2015:
   Discussion about ACA and Expatriate Health Plans: Jim Parker, KSU, stated it would be helpful to have a discussion with direct stakeholders because there has been confusion with insurance coverage purchased by international students. He cited service issues including that some insurance companies will not allow electronic transmission of health claims. Cindy Bontrager reiterated that it would be helpful to provide more time to discuss international health insurance coverage with campus constituents. Mary McDaniel stated that the university health center directors would discuss this at their April meeting and Carol Solko-Olliff stated that the Kansas international educators group would discuss this at their March meeting. This item will be added to the SIAC’s May agenda.

   In an April 13, 2015 email, Dale Burns wrote: “With respect to the comments…regarding the ACA and Expatriate Health Plans, our concern is that since the expatriate plans are exempt from all of the provisions of the ACA (except that they have to be at least have an actuarial value of 60% +/- 2% - Bronze), there will be many plans in the marketplace that are offered that are not comparable to the KBOR plan. If the waiver standards are not applied consistently throughout the system or not set in a manner that requires comparable or better coverage, students that use these non-comparable plans to waive off of the KBOR plans will have inferior coverage. The KBOR plan is a Gold Plan, with an actuarial value of 80.9%.

   a. Student Health Center directors (with input from KBOR university International Offices)

V. Good of the Order

VI. Future SIAC meeting tentatively scheduled for 12:30, KBOR Board Room
   A. Wednesday, September 2, 2015
   B. Wednesday, December 2, 2015