

Accident insurance during practice period

By law, students at Åland University of Applied Sciences are insured for accidents and injuries during their practice period in accordance with Finlex 2002/1318. The insurance is issued by Ålands Ömsesidiga försäkringsbolag, insurance policy 159970. The insurance is valid for practical work performed in for example kitchens, laboratories, at the maritime safety centre and on board the M/S Michael Sars (the insurance is not valid during off-duty hours on board). By law, the insurance is also valid when travelling to and from the place of practice, however only on a direct route between the home and place of practice without any deviations.

The insurance is not valid during theory lessons, between lessons and for travelling to and from the university.

All students (exchange students included) are insured for accidents during practice periods on the Åland Islands as well as abroad.

Note that the insurance **is not valid** during free time during the practice period. Students going abroad for a practice period need additional travel insurance and an accident insurance valid during free time. These are paid for by the student.

The internship co-ordinator is responsible for verifying that the insurance is valid throughout the practice period.