DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS TO CONFIRM DEPENDENT ELIGIBILITY
PASSHE ACTIVE EMPLOYEE HEALTH CARE PROGRAM

If required documentation is not provided within **60 days of the date of hire** or within **60 days of the date of a life event change**, the dependent(s) will be removed from coverage retroactively to the date of their enrollment. COBRA benefits will not be offered as the dependent was not deemed eligible for coverage. If claims were incurred for an ineligible dependent, restitution will be required.

For dependents added during open enrollment, the required documentation must be provided **by the end of the open enrollment period** in order for the dependent’s coverage to be effective.

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| Spouse    | • Marriage Certificate (this is not the certificate provided from the official conducting the ceremony)  
• Affidavit attesting to the existence of marriage performed outside of the United States if a foreign marriage | • County courthouse that issued original marriage certificate. A list of Pennsylvania County Courthouses can be found at [www.health.state.pa.us](http://www.health.state.pa.us) under Health Statistics and Vital Records.  
• Foreign Marriages Affidavit available from university human resources office |
| Same-sex domestic partner (domestic partner) | • Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form | • Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form available from university human resources office |
| Child(ren) by birth | • Birth certificate  
If the child is age 19-26, you also must complete an Attestation Form attesting that the child does not have coverage available through their own employer (or through their spouse’s employer if married) | • For Pennsylvania births, birth certificates are available from the PA Department of Health, Division of Vital Records and can be requested by fax, mail, or online at [www.health.state.pa.us](http://www.health.state.pa.us) - Fee is $10.  
• Many states allow you to order a new birth certificate from their website. Access to other state websites can be linked through [http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/w2w.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/w2w.htm)  
• Attestation Form available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS |
| Child(ren) by adoption | • Court approved adoption order  
• Placement letter from court/adoption agency for pending adoptions  
If the child is age 19-26, you also must complete an Attestation Form attesting that the child does not have coverage available through their own employer (or through their spouse’s employer if married) | • County courthouse that issued final adoption order  
• County court/adoption agency that issued placement letter  
• Attestation Form available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS |
| Child(ren) by legal guardianship | • Court or agency order establishing guardianship  
• Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form  
If the child is age 19-26, you also must complete an Attestation Form attesting that the child does not have coverage available through their own employer (or through their spouse’s employer if married) | • County courthouse/agency that issued guardianship order  
• Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form available from university human resources office  
• Attestation Form available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS |
### Stepchild(ren)
- Birth certificate  **AND**
- Marriage certificate

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- County courthouse that issued original marriage certificate. A list of Pennsylvania County Courthouses can be found at [www.health.state.pa.us](http://www.health.state.pa.us) under Health Statistics and Vital Records.
- **Attestation Form** available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS

### Same-sex Domestic partner’s child(ren) by birth ✭
- Birth certificate  **AND**
- Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form
- Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form

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- Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form available from university human resources office
- Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form available from university human resources office
- **Attestation Form** available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS

### Same-sex Domestic partner’s child(ren) by adoption ✭
- Court approved adoption order  **OR**
- Placement letter from court or adoption agency for pending adoptions  **AND**
- Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form
- Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form

If the child is age 19-26, you also must complete an **Attestation Form** attesting that the child does not have coverage available through their own employer (or through their spouse’s employer if married)

- County court that issued final adoption order
- County court or adoption agency that issued placement letter
- Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form available from university human resources office
- Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form available from university human resources office
- **Attestation Form** available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS

### Domestic partner’s child(ren) by legal guardianship ✭
- Court or agency order establishing guardianship  **AND**
- Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form  **AND**
- Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form

If the child is age 19-26, you also must complete an **Attestation Form** attesting that the child does not have coverage available through their own employer (or through their spouse’s employer if married)

- County court that issued guardianship order
- Same-sex Domestic Partnership Certification Form available from university human resources office
- Affidavit of Residence and/or Dependency for Other Children Form available from university human resources office
- **Attestation Form** available from university human resources office or online when enrolling via ESS

### Disabled dependent
- Will be verified by health plan vendor

- **Health Plan Vendor**

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* ✭ applies only to Faculty, Non-faculty Coaches and Non-represented employees*