

HOSPITAL PAPERS

HOW CAN I GET
AME OR CMU / PUMA?



IN FRANCE, EVERYBODY CAN HAVE ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE

I don't have papers to stay in France, can I ask for hospital papers?

FRENCH PEOPLE AND FOREIGNERS CAN ASK TO HAVE HOSPITAL PAPERS TO SEE A DOCTOR AND RECEIVE A TREATMENT.

Even if you don't have papers, you can ask to have hospital papers. We advise you to give true name and address: don't use the card of your friend because you will not receive the results and it can be dangerous for you and your friend.

When you have AME, you do not pay if you see a general doctor, a dentist or if you need to have surgery. You will also not pay for drugs, laboratory tests, contraception and abortion.

THERE ARE DIFFERENT TYPES OF HOSPITAL PAPERS, DEPENDING ON YOUR SITUATION.

You need to go to the hospital paper office of the city where you have your address to ask for it.

AME and CMU last for 1 year. Don't forget to renew it two months before the expiry date.

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE RESIDENT PERMIT TO STAY IN FRANCE, YOU CAN ASK FOR AIDE MÉDICALE D'ÉTAT.

You have to bring:

- * an ID paper (passport, birth certificate...)
- * an address paper ("domiciliation" or a proof of your own address like EDF bill + letter from the owner + copy of the ID of the owner)
- * 1 photo
- * documents with your name and dates showing that you have been in France for the last 3 months (for example, a letter from your social, results from hospital...).

IF YOU HAVE RESIDENT PERMIT LIKE OFPRA PAPER, RÉCÉPISSÉ OR CARD AND YOU DO NOT WORK OR YOU DO NOT HAVE A LOT OF MONEY, YOU CAN HAVE CMU.

You have to bring:

- * resident permit card, récépissé or papers that show you have appointment in Préfecture.
- * an ID paper
- * an address paper
- * 1 photo
- * documents with your name and dates showing that you have been in France for the last 3 months.

VOCABULARY ↓

HEALTH INSURANCE SYSTEM AND OFFICE
→ assurance maladie

ID PAPER
→ papier d'identité

ADDRESS PAPER FROM AN ORGANISATION
→ domiciliation/attestation d'élection de domicile

ORGANISATION HELPING ASYLUM SEEKERS
→ France Terre d'Asile (FTDA)

ANY PROOF SHOWING YOU HAVE BEEN STAYING IN FRANCE FOR THE LAST 3 MONTHS
→ preuves de présence

HOSPITAL PAPER FOR FRENCH RESIDENTS
→ couverture Maladie Universelle (CMU)

HEALTH INSURANCE SYSTEM AND OFFICE
→ Assurance maladie

RECEIPT OF PREFECTURE APPLICATION
→ récépissé

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