

**BOARD OF PENSIONS
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

Section:	7 (Free Coverage Prov.)	Subject:	Graduating Dependents
Rule Number:	702		

Reference:
[Article XIII, Section 13.2](#)
[Administrative Rule 601](#)
[Administrative Rule 701](#)

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A student's eligibility for medical coverage normally ends ninety days after the date of graduation.

If the student completes his/her studies before the graduation date (e.g., studies completed in December, graduation in May), he/she can remain covered as a dependent until graduation. The student will also receive 90 days of free coverage after the month of graduation.

There is a possibility that a student will receive two periods of free coverage in his/her academic career--once after graduation from an undergraduate program and again after the completion of a graduate program.

See Administrative Rule 701 for Free Coverage provisions and Rule 601 for Continuation of Coverage provisions.