

## About the Health Insurance Taxes

### 1 Legal basis for taxation

The national health insurance taxes are stipulated according to the local taxation tax and in ordinance of the Nishio city national health insurance regulations. Insurance taxes are charged to the householder, therefore, even if the householder does not hold national health insurance, if any household member applies for national health insurance, a notification of taxation will be sent under the householder's name.

### 2 Tax proceeds

The total amount of national health insurance taxes are allocated in the following ways, for medical fee expenses (a tax amount established to cover those who have national health insurance), aid fees (a tax amount established to cover costs for payments such as support for elderly senior citizens), long-term care fees (levied to cover long-term care contributions, applicable only to those aged 40 to 64), and child and child-rearing fees (levied to cover contributions for child and child-rearing support.)

### 3 Delinquent taxes and payment delays

When payment deadlines have passed, interest may apply from the date of deadline until the date of payment, furthermore, demand and delinquent dispositions will be carried out.

### 4 Transfer notification

The health insurance holder must notify the city of any changes (address, birth, death, changing to social health insurance, changes of the householder, etc.) within 14 days.

### 5 Payment place

Payments can be made at Nishio City Hall, or at any of its branches, or by any of the methods that appear on the back of the bill, such as through banks, convenience stores, and smartphone apps.

- Bank names might differ. If payments are made at a bank that it is not stated on the back of the bill a transaction fee may apply.
- Bills that do not have a barcode cannot be used at convenience stores.

### 6 Further information

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