

For many Canadians, vacations are all about creating selfie-worthy experiences. Moments you'll be talking about for weeks -- even years. Like the time you immersed yourself in a completely different world... Or when you tasted the unfamiliar and loved it. As a traveler, you welcome new experiences... Well, most of them.

My name is Alycia and my husband and I travel quite extensively, and about a year and a half ago I fell ill in the Dominican Republic with a stomach issue and as beautiful as the Dominican was it was very scary to be that ill so far away from home. From the second that we contacted Manulife travel insurance we felt very safe. They had sent an ambulance within minutes to the resort. We had a translator, a private doctor, a private nurse, and a private hospital room. I was feeling definitely really well taken care of and when I got on the phone with my parents and they heard that I had a translator with me and that Manulife had already contacted the hospital and had a private room for me, my dad was just so excited. Before we were going away my husband and I were discussing travel insurance and he said "No way, we don't need it. We're young". Thankfully we did end up purchasing it as I ended up needing it and it got me home safely to my family. I guess you could say, thanks to Manulife I was saved by travel insurance.