

GeorgiaCares is a trusted source of information about Medicare and other related insurance.

GeorgiaCares is a volunteer based program that provides free, unbiased and factual information and assistance regarding Medicare and other related health insurance.

GeorgiaCares is the State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) and SMP (Senior Medicare Patrol) project.

State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)

SHIP provides personalized counseling, education and outreach to assist Medicare beneficiaries with their Medicare questions. Services provided by SHIP help beneficiaries identify and understand Medicare programs and plans, including Medicare Supplement Insurance (Medigap policies), Prescription Drug Coverage, Medicare Advantage Plans, Long-Term Care Insurance and other public and private health insurance coverage options.

Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP)

The SMP project, known as Senior Medicare Patrol, empowers seniors to prevent health care fraud to preserve Medicare and Medicaid for future generations. The primary goal is to teach Medicare beneficiaries how to protect their personal identity, detect potential errors, fraud and abuse and how to report it.

GeorgiaCares Services

GeorgiaCares helps people with Medicare understand their choices and enroll in a Medicare plan that meets their needs. GeorgiaCares can help you understand Medicare and get the most out of your health care benefits. GeorgiaCares provides individual one-on-one counseling, community education and outreach about:

- Original Medicare
- Medicare Supplement Insurance
- Medicare Advantage Plans
- Medicare Prescription Drug Plans
- Medicare Appeals and Grievances
- Health care Rights and Protections
- Financial Assistance Programs
- Long-Term Care Insurance
- Georgia Long-Term Care Partnership
- Prescription Assistance
- Health care Fraud
- Consumer Protection
- Volunteer Opportunities



Learn About Medicare

GeorgiaCares counselors are trained on all parts of Medicare. GeorgiaCares can help you understand your benefits and provide ways to protect yourself from Medicare errors, fraud and abuse.

Understand Your Medicare Enrollment Options

GeorgiaCares can help you make informed decisions about your health care options. Counselors can empower you to choose and enroll in a plan that best meets your needs.

Reduce Your Medicare Out-of-Pocket Costs

Financial assistance programs are available for Medicare beneficiaries who qualify. GeorgiaCares can assist beneficiaries with completing applications to reduce Medicare out-of-pocket expenses.

Call GeorgiaCares Today

Request a one-on-one counseling session, guest speakers, printed resources and information about rewarding volunteer opportunities.

1-866-552-4464 (Option 4)