Getting Started With Medicare



Turning 65 soon?

This guide is here to help you **sort through the Medicare junk mail** and **make confident choices** about your health coverage.

Do this first.

Are you still covered by **your employer's health plan** or **your spouse's health plan**? Talk to your plan administrator before enrolling in Medicare. You may not need to enroll right away and will have the opportunity to enroll at a later date if you already have employer coverage.

Start with the basics.

Enroll in Original Medicare (parts A & B) directly through the Social Security Administration at www.ssa.gov or **1-800-772-1213**. Do this during your birth month, the three months preceding your birth month, or the three months following to avoid paying a late-enrollment penalty.

If you would like complimentary assistance with this process, give me a call.

Understand your options.

After you've enrolled in Original Medicare (Parts A & B), finding additional coverage can help protect you from unexpected costs related to your healthcare. These plans range from **inexpensive** (including no monthly premium) to **expensive**, depending on the plan type.

I can help you understand **the basics of each plan type** and how they relate to **your goals and preferences**. As a Licensed Medicare Agent, my mission is to help clients make **confident choices** about their coverage, so they can get back to living their best life in retirement.

Thank you!

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