



The COVID-19 emergency may end this year. If it does, **Wisconsin Medicaid rules will change**. If you are over 65 and getting Wisconsin Medicaid, make sure you enroll in Medicare before March 31 so you do not have a gap in coverage or lose your health insurance.

### You could lose your health insurance if you:

- Turned 65 in the last two years.
- Did not enroll in Medicare.
- Have Wisconsin Medicaid now but no longer meet the program rules when it is time to renew.

Contact the Social Security Administration **by March 31** to see if you can enroll in Medicare.



**Call** 800-772-1213  
(TTY 800-325-0778)

or



Enroll **online** at  
[www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov).

### Need help?

If you are worried about paying for Medicare, there are programs that can help. To get free and unbiased help with Medicare, you can contact the State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) at any of the following resources:

- Wisconsin Medigap Helpline: 800-242-1060
- Disability Rights Wisconsin Part D Helpline: 800-926-4862
- Your local Aging and Disability and Resource Center (ADRC) (specific county information available at [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/consumer/index.htm](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/consumer/index.htm))
- The Medicare Counseling for Wisconsin Residents webpage at [www.dhs.wi.gov/medicare-help](http://www.dhs.wi.gov/medicare-help)
- A 211 specialist (Information about local county services available by phone at 211 or at [www.211.org](http://www.211.org).)

**Note:** You may get a call from SHIP to talk about enrolling in Medicare.