

Medicare Part D Helpline



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SHIP (State Health Insurance Assistance Programs) helps local people with Medicare.

Remember: Extra Help can help pay for the following costs in your Medicare Part D Drug plan:

- Part D monthly premium
- Part D annual deductible
- Part D prescription copayments

Questions?

Call Disability Rights Wisconsin Medicare Part D
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We are SHIP Counselors! What does this mean?

- We do not sell Medicare Part D Plans.
- We provide information and education to help you make the best decision.
- We provide free, confidential information and help to **ALL** Medicare beneficiaries including:
 - Anyone under age 65 with a disability
 - Anyone over age 65



SHIP

State Health Insurance
Assistance Program

Local Help for Local People

SHIP is funded by state and federal agencies.

DRW Program Brochure: Medicare Part D Helpline

Medicare Savings Programs

State programs that can **SAVE** you money

You *may* qualify to get help paying for your Medicare premiums and other Medicare costs.

Wisconsin has programs that can help pay your Medicare expenses.

- Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (**QMB**)
- Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (**SLMB**)
- Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary Plus (**SLMB+**)
- Qualified Disabled and Working Individual (**QDWI**)

If you qualify for **QMB, SLMB, SLMB+, or QDWI**, you automatically qualify for Extra Help.

Medicare has a special program called “Extra Help”

If you have limited income and resources, you can get help paying for the following costs in your Medicare Part D Drug plan:

- Part D monthly premium
- Part D annual deductible
- Part D prescription copayments

If you have both Medicaid and Medicare at the same time, you might already be eligible for Extra Help.

If you have Medicare, but do NOT have Medicaid, Wisconsin Medicaid has several programs or benefits for which you may be eligible.

“Extra Help” can provide significant savings.

Many people may qualify for these big savings and not even know it!

Saving money on Medicare Part D drug costs: Extra Help Program

**On Part D and having trouble paying for
your medications?**

**Not picking up all your Rx (prescription) drugs
because you cannot afford them?**

- We can explain how Medicare works with Medicaid and how Medicaid can get you Extra Help.
- We can inform you about different Medicaid programs and how to apply.

- We can explain how Medicare works with other insurances.

There is help! Disability Rights Wisconsin Medicare Part D Helpline

Contact Us

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- Phone: 1-800-926-4862
- Email us at medd@drwi.org

The SHIP Counselors at the Helpline can:

- Answer questions about Part D benefits
- Explain how Part D will affect you
- Explain what to do and when

- Explain what can be done during Open Enrollment from October 15 to December 7
- Help anytime of the year to answer your Part D questions and enrollment
- Help you navigate common Medicare Part D problems.

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