Key Questions to Consider About Medicare Initial Enrollment

Resources in your state

Please note: One or more of the programs and resources listed below may not be affiliated with AARP. Any information you provide to the host organization of these programs will be governed by its privacy policy.

AARP Kentucky

From sharing practical resources to holding fun activities and events, AARP KY provides opportunities to connect and help build an even stronger Kentucky for all ages to live, work and play.
Website: aarp.org/ky
Phone Number: 1-866-295-7275

KY Health Insurance Assistance Program SHIP

SHIP provides information, counseling, and assistance to seniors and disabled individuals, their families and caregivers. This service is provided at no cost by local, well-trained counselors.
Website: chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dail/Pages/ship.aspx
Phone Number: 1-877-293-7447

Social Security Administration

MEDICARE: HOW IT WORKS & HOW TO ENROLL
Medicare is the federal health insurance program for people age 65 or older. Some people under 65 may also qualify due to illness or disability.
Websites: usa.gov/medicare
ssa.gov/medicare
Phone: SSA 1-800-772-1213; TTY: 1-800-325-0778
USA.gov

Area Agency On Aging & Independent Living

Implements programs and services for older persons at the local level including senior benefit programs, e.g. Medicare.
Website: chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dail/Pages/aail.aspx
Lists all KY area agencies including counties served by each agency, local phone number(s) and website.
Phone Numbers: 1-502-564-6930; TTY 1-502-564-4595

Medicare.gov

Provides search tool to find and compare nursing homes, hospitals and other health care providers in your area that accept Medicare.
Website:
medicare.gov/forms-help-other-resources/contact-medicare
Phone Numbers: 1-800-633-4227; TTY 1-877-486-2048

Benefits CheckUp

A comprehensive online tool to connect older adults and people with disabilities to a variety of benefits, including Medicare.
Website: benefitscheckup.org
Phone Number: 1-800-794-6559

Still have questions? Visit learn.aarp.org/medicare for answers from a Medicare expert.

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