

8-1-4 Medicare 4 Step Guide

Division of The Health Insurance Place

- 1. Contact <u>The Health Insurance Place</u> for a free of charge consultation that explains the best way navigate through the Medicare enrollment process.
- 2. Whether in our office or at your home, The Health Insurance Place will advise you on all parts of Medicare in every Pennsylvania county.
- **3.** We are an independent general agent with regional and national insurance carrier relationships.
- 4. If you choose to work with our staff, we will help you enroll in a plan that best matches your healthcare needs. (Remember this is a free of charge consultation that will educate you on advantage and supplement plans)

Click Here to speak with a Medicare Specialist

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Carrier Plans

Regional

- UPMC
- Highmark
- Geisinger

National

- United
- Aetna
- Cigna

More Value for Retirees

- Medicare Consultation
- Medicare Enrollment
- Medicare Advantage
- Medicare
 Supplements

Benefits Matter



Original Medicare Part A and B

Includes Part A (inpatient/hospital coverage) and Part B (outpatient/medical coverage). You will receive a red, white, and blue card to show your providers when receiving care. Original Medicare does not cover Part D prescription drugs, dental, hearing, or vision.

Medicare Advantage Plans

Known as Medicare Part C. Advantage plans are administered through private insurance companies. Medicare Advantage plans cover your Medicare Part A and Part B, and offer Part D Prescription Drug coverage. They typically add extra benefits such as: hearing, routine vision & dental, or health wellness programs. To be eligible for Medicare Part C.

- You must have Medicare Part A and Part B
- Live in the service area of the Medicare Advantage Plan you are considering
- Not have end stage renal disease (with some exceptions)

Medicare Supplements

Medicare Supplment Insurance policies (Medigap) help to pay the balance of your Original Medicare Benefits such as:

- Copayments
- Coinsurance
- Deductibles

It is important to understand Medigap does not add Medicare benefits. Medigap only supplements your original Medicare benefits, and generally does not include Part D Prescription Drug coverage.