

# We're here to help you protect yourself and your loved ones from Medicare Fraud.



## The Senior Medicare Patrol

*Empowering Seniors to prevent Healthcare Fraud*

### How does the Senior Medicare Patrol Prevent Medicare Fraud?

The Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) is a group of highly trained volunteers who help Medicare and Medi-Cal beneficiaries prevent, detect and report healthcare fraud.

SMP volunteers teach Medicare beneficiaries how to protect their personal health information, identify and report errors on their healthcare statements, recognize scams – such as illegal marketing, providing unnecessary services and charging for services that were not provided and report fraud and abuse to the proper authorities.

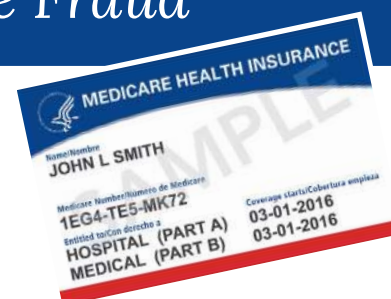
According to the U.S. government, the Medicare Trust Fund loses between \$60 and \$90 Billion dollars every year to fraud, waste and abuse.

Our Senior Medicare Patrol program helps you recognize and guard yourself from becoming a victim of Medicare fraud.

### What you can do to prevent Medicare Fraud:

- Don't respond to TV commercials or answer robocalls offering free medical braces—see your own doctor.
- Check your medical statements routinely for services not received.
- Report Medicare fraud to the Senior Medicare Patrol at 855-613-7080.

**PASSAGES**   
530-898-6716



### Keep Your Medicare Safe

Never give your Medicare number to strangers.



**Call us at 855-613-7080 for a Fraud Prevention Presentation or for guidance if you suspect you may be a victim of Medicare Fraud.**