

## HELPING WITH YOUR MEDICARE COSTS - 2023

	Medicare Savings Programs		
	<u>QMB</u>	<u>SLMB</u>	<u>QI</u>
<b>If monthly income is less than (1)</b>			
Single	\$ 1,843	\$ 2,086	\$ 2,268
Married	\$ 2,485	\$ 2,814	\$ 3,060
<b>AND</b>			
<b>Assets less than (2)</b>			
Single	\$ 9,090	\$ 9,090	\$ 9,090
Married	\$ 13,630	\$ 13,630	\$ 13,630
 <u>You may be eligible for:</u>			
	<u>QMB</u>	<u>SLMB</u>	<u>QI</u>
\$0 Medicare Part B premium	X	X	X
\$0 Medicare deductible	X		
\$0 Medicare co-pays	X		
Reduced prescription drug costs (3)	X	X	X
Application approval time	2-3 months		
Coverage begins	Mo. after application approval	Up to 3 months prior to application	

1) Only 1/2 of monthly wages (once \$65 is deducted) is counted.

2) Assets **exclude** house, 1 car, burial plots and \$1,500/person burial allowance.

3) It's recommended to separately apply online for Extra Help benefits for reduced drug costs to receive this benefit sooner. Apply using SSA.gov.

*Call SHIP at 260/373-7952 to assist in completing your application.*