



2021 Updated Income / Resource Information On programs available to help with Medicare costs

Do you have Medicare and limited income and assets? You may qualify for one of the following programs to help you with Medicare costs.

Low Income Subsidy (Extra Help):

INCOME: less than \$19,560 single (\$1,630 /month)
less than \$26,370 married (\$2,198/month)

ASSETS: less than \$14,790 single
less than \$29,520 couple

BENEFITS: low or no premium for Part D plan
low copays for generic and brand-name drugs

Medicare Savings Program:

ELIGIBILITY: Monthly income \$1,469 individual
Monthly income \$1,980 couple

ASSETS: \$7,970 individual or \$11,960 couple

BENEFIT: Pays your Medicare Part B premium

PACE/PACENET (resources not counted):

Must be 65 years of age, or older

Must be a Pennsylvania resident for at least 90 days prior to application

Cannot be enrolled in benefits under the Pennsylvania's Medicaid Program

PACE income: Single \$14,500 Married \$17,700 based on prior year income
PACENET income: Single \$27,500 Married \$35,500 based on prior year income

For more information, or for an appointment to receive assistance in completing an application, contact the APPRISE Program at GECAC (814)459-4581 Ext. 519 or 480. The APPRISE Program provides free assistance to Medicare beneficiaries of any age.