SHIP (Alabama's State Health Insurance Assistance Program) provides education, counseling and information concerning:

- Medicare
- Medicare Supplement
- Medicare Savings Programs
- Medicaid
- Prescription Drugs
- Plan Comparisons
- Billing & Claims
- Rights & Protections
- Long-Term Care



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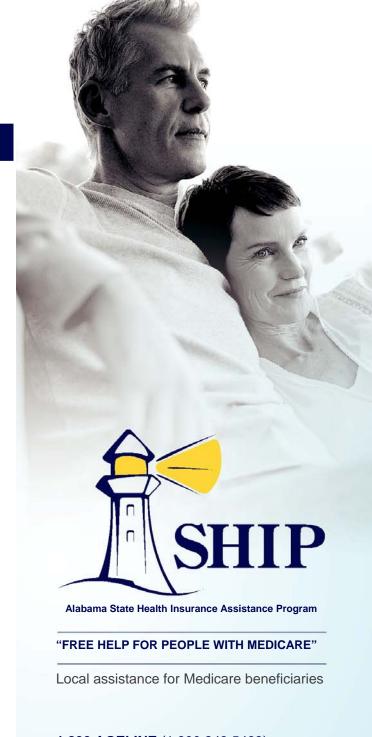


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ABOUT SHIP

SHIP Counselors & Volunteers

SHIP counselors and volunteers are committed to help you make informed choices for yourself regarding your insurance benefits. Counselors and volunteers are not affiliated with any insurance company and will not attempt to sell you insurance. All counseling records are strictly confidential. Call your local Area Agency on Aging if you are interested in serving as a SHIP volunteer.

SHIP Public Education and Public Speaking

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SHIP's Funding Source

SHIP is funded by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and is administered by the Alabama Department of Senior Services and the Area Agencies on Aging.



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- 1: The Alabama State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) can help you understand your Medicare benefits.
- 2: Alabama SHIP can help you determine which Medicare Prescription Drug Plan best fits your needs.
- **3:** Alabama SHIP **can answer** your questions about Medigap, long-term care insurance policies and other health insurance programs for seniors.
- **4:** Alabama SHIP **can assist** Medicare beneficiaries in specific areas such as home health benefits, Medicare claims and appeals and other similar issues.
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