

BETter Living ...

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Medicare Open Enrollment

Are you currently on Medicare? Do you have a prescription drug plan? If you are answering yes to one of these questions, then the enrollment might be for you. The enrollment period for Prescription Drug Plans is October 15th – December 7th. The plans enrolled in during this period will take effect January 1, 2014. Persons with Medicare are encouraged to compare prescription drug plans each fall during the Open Enrollment Period.

I am a certified Senior Health Insurance Counselor for Kansas (SHICK) and I am willing to assist Medicare beneficiaries with shopping to find the best prescription drug plan. There have been several changes to the Part D plans for next year, so I encourage you to shop this year.

Here are some dates and locations available:

October 17 – Alta Vista Senior Center, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

October 30 – Harveyville Library, 11:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

November 13 – Eskridge Library, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

November 14 – Maple Hill Senior Center, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

November 26 – Mill Creek Valley Junior High, 3:30 – 7:30 p.m.

These enrollment opportunities allow for you to receive FREE assistance from a Medicare Certified Counselor and are filling up fast. **Appointments are required.** To schedule your appointment, please call the Wabaunsee County Extension Office at (785) 765-3821. More dates are available, so call today!