

# INDIVIDUAL ENROLLMENT REQUEST FORM TO ENROLL IN A MEDICARE ADVANTAGE PLAN (PART C)

## Who can use this form?

People with Medicare who want to join a Medicare Advantage Plan

### *To join a plan, you must:*

- Be a United States citizen or be lawfully present in the U.S.
- Live in the plan's service area

**Important:** To join a Medicare Advantage Plan, you must also have both:

- Medicare Part A (Hospital Insurance)
- Medicare Part B (Medical Insurance)

## When do I use this form?

You can join a plan:

- Between October 15–December 7 each year (for coverage starting January 1)
- Within 3 months of first getting Medicare
- In certain situations where you're allowed to join or switch plans

Visit [Medicare.gov](https://www.Medicare.gov) to learn more about when you can sign up for a plan.

### *What do I need to complete this form?*

- Your Medicare Number (the number on your red, white, and blue Medicare card)
- Your permanent address and phone number

**Note:** You must complete all items in Section 1. The items in Section 2 are optional — you can't be denied coverage because you don't fill them out.

### *Reminders:*

- If you want to join a plan during fall open enrollment (October 15–December 7), the plan must get your completed form by December 7.
- Your plan will send you a bill for the plan's premium. You can choose to sign up to have your premium payments deducted from your bank account or your monthly Social Security (or Railroad Retirement Board) benefit.

### *What happens next?*

Mail your completed and signed form to:

Capital Health Plan, P.O. Box 15349, Tallahassee, Florida 32317-5349

Fax to Capital Health Plan Enrollment Department at 850-523-7369 or email at [enrollment@chp.org](mailto:enrollment@chp.org)

Once they process your request to join, they'll contact you.

### *How do I get help with this form?*

Call Capital Health Plan at 850-523-7441 or 1-877-247-6512 (TTY 850-383-3534 or 1-877-870-8943) 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., seven days a week, October 1 – March 31; 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., Monday Friday, April 1 – September 30.

Or, call Medicare at 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY 1-877-486-2048.

### *Individuals experiencing homelessness*

- If you want to join a plan but have no permanent residence, a Post Office Box, an address of a shelter or clinic, or the address where you receive mail (e.g., social security checks) may be considered your permanent residence address.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0938-1378 (Expires 7/31/2023). This is mandatory to retain or obtain a benefit information collection. The time required to complete this information is estimated to average 20 minutes per response, including the time to review instructions, search existing data resources, gather the data needed, and complete and review the information collection. If you have any comments concerning the accuracy of the time estimate(s) or suggestions for improving this form, please write to: CMS, 7500 Security Boulevard, Attn: PRA Reports Clearance Officer, Mail Stop C4-26-05, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

#### IMPORTANT

Do not send this form or any items with your personal information (such as claims, payments, medical records, etc.) to the PRA Reports Clearance Office. Any items we get that aren't about how to improve this form or its collection burden (outlined in OMB 0938-1378) will be destroyed. It will not be kept, reviewed, or forwarded to the plan. See "What happens next?" on this page to send your completed form to the plan.

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**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT**

The Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) collects information from Medicare plans to track beneficiary enrollment in Medicare Advantage (MA) Plans, improve care, and for the payment of Medicare benefits. Section 1851 of the Social Security Act and 42 CFR §§ 422.50 and 422.60 authorize the collection of this information. CMS may use, disclose and exchange enrollment data from Medicare beneficiaries as specified in the System of Records Notice (SORN) "Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug (MARx)", System No. 09-70-0588. Your response to this form is voluntary. However, failure to respond may affect enrollment in the plan.

**Office Use Only:**

Name of Agent/Broker (if assisted in enrollment): \_\_\_\_\_ Agent/Broker/NP# \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date of Coverage: \_\_\_\_\_

ICEP/IEP: \_\_\_\_\_ AEP: \_\_\_\_\_ SEP (type): \_\_\_\_\_ STAR (R) \_\_\_\_\_ Not Eligible: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Read This Important Information:**

**Typically, you may enroll in a Medicare Advantage plan only during the annual enrollment period from October 15<sup>th</sup> through December 7<sup>th</sup> of each year.** There are exceptions that may allow you to enroll in a Medicare Advantage plan outside of this period. If you are applying outside of the annual enrollment period, please read the following statements carefully and check the box if the statement applies to you. By checking any of the following boxes you are certifying that, to the best of your knowledge, you are eligible for an Enrollment Period. If we later determine that this information is incorrect, you may be disenrolled.

- I am new to Medicare.
- I am enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan and want to make a change during the Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period (MA OEP).
- I recently moved outside of the service area for my current plan or I recently moved and this plan is a new option for me. I moved on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently was released from incarceration. I was released on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently returned to the United States after living permanently outside of the U.S. I returned to the U.S. on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently obtained lawful presence status in the United States. I got this status on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently had a change in my Medicaid (newly enrolled in Medicaid, had a change in level of Medicaid assistance, or lost Medicaid) on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently had a change in my Extra Help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage (newly enrolled in Extra Help, had a change in the level of Extra Help, or lost Extra Help) on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I have both Medicare and Medicaid (or my state helps pay for my Medicare premiums) or I get Extra Help paying for my Medicare prescription drug coverage, but I haven't had a change.
- I am moving into, live in, or recently moved out of a Long Term Care Facility (for example, a nursing home or long term care facility). I moved/will move into/out of the facility on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently left a PACE program on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I recently involuntarily lost my creditable prescription drug coverage (coverage as good as Medicare's). I lost my drug coverage on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I am leaving employer or union coverage on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.
- I belong to a pharmacy assistance program provided by my state.
- My plan is ending its contract with Medicare, or Medicare is ending its contract with my plan.
- I was enrolled in a Special Needs Plan (SNP) but I have lost the special needs qualification required to be in that plan. I was disenrolled from the SNP on (insert date)\_\_\_\_\_.

- I was affected by a weather-related emergency or major disaster (as declared by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)). One of the other statements here applied to me, but I was unable to make my enrollment because of the natural disaster.
- I am currently enrolled in a plan that is experiencing financial difficulties to such an extent that a state or territorial regulatory authority has placed the organization in receivership.
- I am currently enrolled in a plan identified with the low performing icon (LPI)

**If none of these statements apply to you or you're not sure**, please contact Capital Health Plan to see if you are eligible to enroll. We can be reached at 850-523-7441 or 1-877-247-6512 (TTY 850-383-3534 or 1-877- 870-8943) 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., seven days a week, October 1 – March 31; 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., Monday–Friday, April 1 – September 30.