

Do You Qualify for **Extra Help**?

If your Medicare costs put you over your budget, there are local, state, and federal resources available that could help cover your costs.

You may be able to get **Extra Help** to cover premiums, deductibles, and copayments for your Medicare Prescription Drug Plan.

DID YOU KNOW?

Assistance received from the **Extra Help** program is estimated to be worth about **\$5,000** per year.

Are You Eligible?

For Individuals

Are you single, divorced, or living separately from your spouse?

Do you have Medicare Part A (hospital insurance) and/or Medicare Part B (medical insurance)?

Is your annual income **\$19,140 or less***?

For Couples

Are you married and living with your spouse?

Do you have Medicare Part A (hospital insurance) and/or Medicare Part B (medical insurance)?

Is your combined annual income **\$25,860 or less***?

*Do not include your home, vehicles, personal possessions, life insurance, burial plots, or back payments from Social Security or Supplemental Security Income.

If you answered “**Yes**” to the income questions, you may be eligible for **Extra Help**. Even if your annual income is higher, you may still be able to get some assistance.

How To Apply

You can apply online by visiting [Social Security's Extra Help web page](#). You can also apply with the Social Security office by phone at **1-800-772-1213**. Please note that the application can take two to four weeks to process.

Need More Info? If you would like additional details, we encourage you to contact our team by visiting www.retiremediq.com/schedule to schedule a call. You can also call us directly at **1-877-222-1942**.

Applying for this program costs you nothing, and does not affect your current health coverage or access to other benefits. Please note if you meet these conditions and are enrolled in Medicaid, no further action is required because you are automatically enrolled in the **Extra Help** program. You may also be automatically enrolled in **Extra Help** if you qualify for some [Medicare Savings Programs](#).

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