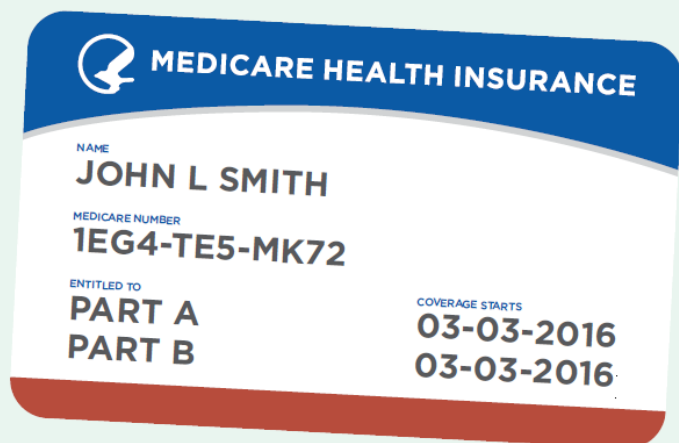


NEW MEDICARE CARDS WILL BE MAILED, DON'T FALL VICTIM TO MEDICARE FRAUD!



You don't have to do anything to get your new Medicare card.

You can go to

[medicare.gov/newcard](https://www.medicare.gov/newcard)

to get emails that tell you when cards are being mailed to your area. Otherwise just wait for it to arrive in the mail.

- New Medicare cards will be mailed anytime between April 2018 through April 2019.
- Medicare is removing Social Security Numbers from Medicare cards. Your new card will have a new number that will be unique to you.
- You may not receive the card at the same time as your family or friends.
- There is NO CHARGE for new cards and Medicare will NEVER ask you to give out personal or private information to get your new Medicare number and card.
- Once you get your new card, destroy your old card and start using your new card right away.

Scam artists may try to get personal information, like your current Medicare Number by contacting you about your new card. Medicare will never call you uninvited and ask you for personal information to get your new Medicare Number and card.



People will continue to try and steal your new Medicare number, but they'll never be able to steal your identity with it again. Always read your Medicare Summary Notice to make sure no one is billing for services in your name.

If you receive a similar call or are suspicious, hang up and call your local Montana SMP at

1-800-551-3191

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