



# INDIVIDUAL ENROLLMENT REQUEST FORM TO ENROLL IN A MEDICARE ADVANTAGE PRESCRIPTION DRUG PLAN (MAPD)

#### Who can use this form?

People with Medicare who want to join a Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug Plan (MAPD)

## 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 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.

# 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.

#### **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?

Send your completed and signed form to:

### Elderplan Inc.

Attention: Member Operations 6323 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11220 Once they process your request to join, they'll contact you.

## How do I get help with this form?

Call Elderplan Member Services at 1-800-353-3765. TTY users can call 711. Or, call Medicare at 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048

**En español:** Llame a Elderplan al 1-800-353-3765/TTY 711 o a Medicare gratis al 1-800-633-4227 y oprima el 2 para asistencia en español y un representante estará disponible para asistirle.

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. 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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Section 1 – All fields on this page are required (unless marked optional)							
Select the plan you want to join:							
	Elderplan for Medicaid Beneficiaries (HMO D-SNP) – \$38.90 per month		☐ Elderplan Extra Help (HMO) – \$38.90 per month				
	Elderplan Advantage for Nursing Home Residents (HMO I-SNP) – \$38.90 per month		☐ Elderplan Assist (HMO IE-SNP) – \$38.00 per month				
	Elderplan Plus Long-Term Care (HMO D-SNP) – \$0.00 per month			Elderplan (HMO) – S	Flex \$0.00 per month		
		Choose one of the following Select Extras benefits:					
			☐ Over-the-counter (OTC)				
			OR				
			☐ Transportation				
FIRST name: LAST name:					Optional:	Middle Initial:	
Birth date: (MM/DD/YYYY) Sex:			Home phone number:				
		☐ Male	( )				
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Permanent Residence Street address (Don't enter a PO Box):							
City: Optional: County		<b>/</b> :		State:	ZIP Code:		
Mailing address, if different from your permanent address (PO Box allowed):							
Street address: City:					State: ZIP (	Code:	
Do you have an email? If yes:							
Your Medicare information:							
Medicare Number:							
Answer these important questions:							
Will you have other prescription drug coverage (like VA, TRICARE) in addition to Elderplan?   Yes  No Name of other coverage: Member number for this coverage: Group number for this coverage							



To enroll in Elderplan Special Need Plan you must meet the criteria listed below and live in our plan service areas:						
Are you enrolled in your New York State Medicaid Program?   Yes   No						
If yes, please provide your New York State Medicaid number:						
• Elderplan for Medicaid Beneficiaries (HMO D-SNP), you must be entitled to Medicare and New York State Medicaid program, you must be eligible for Medicaid coverage and meet the enrollment eligibility requirements for Elderplan for Medicaid Beneficiaries. The kind of Medicaid benefits you receive are determined by New York State and may vary based upon your income and resources.						
Are you eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under New York State Medicaid?   Yes   No						
• Elderplan Plus Long-Term Care (HMO D-SNP) you must be entitled to Medicare and New York State Medicaid program, you must be eligible for full benefits from Medicaid and meet the enrollment eligibility requirements for Elderplan Plus Long-Term Care. The kind of Medicaid benefits you receive are determined by New York State and may vary based upon your income and resources.						
Please indicate if you meet all the following requirements. 1) You are eligible for full New York State Medicaid coverage, 2) you are 18 years or older, and 3) you believe you are eligible for a nursing home level of care, are capable of safely remaining in your home, and require care management and home care or day care services for 120 continuous days or longer?    Yes   No						
To enroll in Elderplan Special Need Plan you must meet the criteria listed below and live in our plan						
<ul> <li>Elderplan Advantage for Nursing Home Residents (HMO I-SNP) you must live in an institutional nursing home contracted with Elderplan Special Needs Plan.</li> </ul>						
Do you reside or expect to reside in a contracted nursing facility within the service area? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No						
Are you a resident in a long-term care facility, such as a nursing home?   Yes   No						
If "yes," please provide the following information:						
Name of Institution:						
Address & Phone Number of Institution (number and street):						
• Elderplan Assist (HMO IE-SNP) your current residence should be an assisted living facility while also getting nursing home level of care.						
Do you reside or expect to reside in a contracted nursing facility within the service area? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $-$ or $-$						
Do you live at home and New York State has certified that you need the type of care that is usually provided in a nursing home? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No						
Are you a resident in a long-term care facility, such as a nursing home?   Yes   No  If "yes," please provide the following information:						
Name of Institution:						
Address & Phone Number of Institution (number and street):						



#### IMPORTANT: Read and sign below:

- I must keep both Hospital (Part A) and Medical (Part B) to stay in Elderplan.
- By joining this Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug Plan, I acknowledge that Elderplan will share my information with Medicare, who may use it to track my enrollment, to make payments, and for other purposes allowed by Federal law that authorize the collection of this information (see Privacy Act Statement below). Your response to this form is voluntary. However, failure to respond may affect enrollment in the plan.
- I understand that I can be enrolled in only one MA plan at a time and that enrollment in this plan will automatically end my enrollment in another MA plan (exceptions apply for MA PFFS, MA MSA plans).
- I understand that when my Elderplan coverage begins, I must get all of my medical and prescription drug benefits from Elderplan. Benefits and services provided by Elderplan and contained in my Elderplan "Evidence of Coverage" document (also known as a member contract or subscriber agreement) will be covered. Neither Medicare nor Elderplan will pay for benefits or services that are not covered.
- The information on this enrollment form is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I intentionally provide false information on this form, I will be disenrolled from the plan.
- I understand that my signature (or the signature of the person legally authorized to act on my behalf) on this application means that I have read and understand the contents of this application. If signed by an authorized representative (as described above), this signature certifies that:
  - 1) This person is authorized under State law to complete this enrollment, and
  - 2) Documentation of this authority is available upon request by Medicare.

Signature:	Today's date:			
Instructions for Electronic Signature:				
• Click on Fill & Sign in the Tools pane on the right.				
Click Sign, and then select Add Signature.				
• A popup will open, giving you three options - Type, Draw, and Image. Once you're done, click the Apply button. Drag, resize and position the signature inside your PDF file.				
If you're the authorized representative, sign above and fill out these fields:				
Name:	Address:			
Phone number:	Relationship to enrollee:			
Agent Name:	Enrollment Effective date:			



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Section 2 – All fields on this page are optional						
Answering these questions is your choice. You can't be denied coverage because you don't fill them out.						
Select one if you want us to send you information in a language other than English.  □ Spanish □ Chinese □ Other						
What is your preferred spoken language? Select one:  ☐ English ☐ Spanish ☐ Chinese ☐ Other						
What is your race? Select all that apply.						
□ Chinese       □ White       □ Samoan         □ Korean       □ Black or African American       □ Guamanian or Chamorro         □ Japanese       □ Native Hawaiian       □ Other Pacific Islander         □ Filipino       □ American Indian or Alaska Native         □ Vietnamese       □ Asian Indian         □ I choose not to answer.       □ Other Asian						
Are you Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin? Select all that apply.						
<ul> <li>□ No, not of Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin</li> <li>□ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/a</li> <li>□ Yes, Puerto Rican</li> <li>□ I choose not to answer.</li> <li>□ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/a</li> <li>□ Yes, Puerto Rican</li> <li>□ Yes, Cuban</li> </ul>						
Select one if you want us to send you information in an accessible format.  □ Braille □ Large print □ Audio CD  Please contact Elderplan at 1-800-353-3765 if you need information in an accessible format other than what's listed above. Our office hours are 8 AM to 8 PM, 7 days a week. TTY users can call 711.						
Do you work? □ Yes □ No Does your spouse work? □ Yes □ No						
List your Primary Care Physician (PCP), clinic, or health center:						
I want to get the following materials via email. Select one or more.  □ Summary of Benefits □ Evidence of Coverage □ Annual Notice of Change □ Provider/ Pharmacy Directories □ Formularies  E-mail address:						



## Paying your plan premiums

You can pay your monthly plan premium (including any late enrollment penalty that you currently have or may owe) by mail, "Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)", or "credit card" each month. You can also choose to pay your premium by having it automatically taken out of your Social Security or Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) benefit each month.

If you have to pay a Part D-Income Related Monthly Adjustment Amount (Part D-IRMAA), you must pay this extra amount in addition to your plan premium. DON'T pay Elderplan the Part D-IRMAA.

Please select a premium payment option:						
	Get a bill.					
	Electronic funds transfer (EFT) from your bank account each month. Please enclose a VOIDED check or provide the following:					
	Account holder name:					
	Bank routing number:					
	Bank account number:					
	Account type:    Checking    Saving					
	Credit Card. Please provide the following information:					
	Type of Card:					
Name of Account holder as it appears on card:						
	Account number:					
	Expiration Date:/(MM/YYYY)					
	Automatic deduction from your monthly Social Security or Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) benefit check.					
	I get monthly benefits from:   Social Security   Railroad Retirement Board (RRB)					
	(The Social Security or RRB deduction may take two or more months to begin after Social Security or RRB approves the deduction. In most cases, if Social Security or RRB accepts your request for automatic deduction, the first deduction from your Social Security or RRB benefit check will include all premiums due from your enrollment effective date up to the point withholding begins. If Social Security or RRB does not approve your request for automatic deduction, we will send you a paper bill for your monthly premiums.)					

#### PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) collects information from Medicare plans to track beneficiary enrollment in Medicare Advantage (MA) or Prescription Drug Plans (PDP), improve care, and for the payment of Medicare benefits. Sections 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.