Save on your Medicare drug costs with **Extra Help**

Extra help is a program that covers Medicare drug coverage (Part D) costs for people who have limited income and resources.

If you qualify for Extra Help, you’ll pay:
- $0 for your Medicare drug plan premium and deductible.
- A reduced amount for both generic and brand-name drugs.

**Will I qualify for Extra Help?**

You might qualify for Extra Help if:
- You live in one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia.
- Your annual income is below $21,870 for an individual, or $29,580 for a married couple.
- Your resources are below $16,600 for an individual, or $33,240 for a married couple.
  - Resources include money in a checking, savings, or retirement account, stocks, and bonds. Resources don’t include your home, personal items, one car, burial plots, up to $1,500 for burial expenses if you’ve put that money aside, furniture, and other household and personal items.
How do I apply for Extra Help?

You might qualify automatically for Extra Help, but if you don’t, it’s easy to apply:

• Visit Social Security online at SSA.gov/extrahelp.
• Call Social Security at 1-800-772-1213. TTY users can call 1-800-325-0778.

After you apply, Social Security will send you a letter to let you know if you qualify. Once you qualify, you can choose a Medicare drug plan, or Medicare will select a plan for you.

How do I learn more?

Visit Medicare.gov/extrahelp, or call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048.