

Need **Help**
with your Medicare
Plan Comparisons
for Open Enrollment?



It's that time of year again! If you are enrolled in a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or a Medicare Advantage Plan (HMO/ PPO), expect an information packet from your plan by the end of September. It is important to **understand** and **save** this information: it explains the changes in your plan for 2020. Premiums, deductibles, co-pays, and the drugs covered by your plan can change significantly!

During Medicare Open Enrollment, you can adjust your plan for next year. SHINE Counselors help you understand *your* plan changes as well as *other options* you may have. Call in early September to discuss your insurance questions, schedule your SHINE phone or face-to-face appointment, or learn about group meetings during the Open Enrollment from **October 15 through December 7th**!

REMINDER: Be on the alert for your new Medicare card in the mail and as always, bring your card and drug list to your appointment!

To make an appointment with a SHINE counselor, call your local senior center and ask for a SHINE appointment. You can reach a SHINE counselor by telephone. Call 508-222-1399. Remember that appointments fill fast during Open Enrollment.