

How to Protect Yourself from Medicare fraud



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- Protect your Medicare number. Don't give it out, except to your doctor or other health care providers.
- Never give your Medicare number to companies or a person in exchange for free items, services or special offers. It may not be real.
- Medicare will never contact you and ask for personal information over the phone, like your Medicare or bank account numbers.
- Never let someone use your Medicare card.
- If something is wrong or unclear, have someone help you contact your doctor to ask about the charge.
- If you were charged incorrectly, call Medicare at **1-800-633-4227**; or call the Senior Medical Patrol at

Help protect others in your community by becoming a volunteer with the Senior Medicare Patrol Program at

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