

How To: Sign Up for Medicare Through Social Security

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Visit the SSA Checklist

<https://www.ssa.gov/hlp/isba/10/isba-checklist.pdf>

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Select "Apply for Medicare Only"

<https://www.socialsecurity.gov/medicare/apply.html>

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Use the "Related Information" links

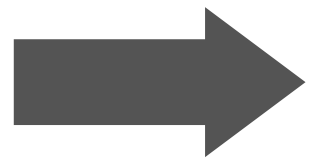
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Complete and Apply

Application length time is 10-30 minutes

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Select "Submit Now"



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FYI:

Automatic Enrollment

If you are already receiving Social Security Income 90 days prior to the month of your 65th birthday you will:

- Be automatically enrolled in both Parts A & B
- Receive your Medicare Card in the mail
- Receive an option to delay Part B

You do not have to receive Social Security Income to enroll in Medicare.

Advantages to Online Enrollment

If you are not receiving Social Security Income

- Contact Social Security Administration 90 days before the month of your 65th
- You may choose to delay Part B if you continue to work at an employer with 20 or more employees; that have credible health plan coverage.

Alternative Manual Enrollment

Contact Social Security Administration

1-800-772-1213

Contact a local Social Security Office

