### To get started or for more information, call today! 1-800-794-5907; TTY: 711.

From October 1 - March 31, we are open 7 days a week, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. From April 1 - September 30, we are open Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. You may always leave a voicemail after hours, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays and we will return your call within one business day.

Additional information or assistance is available by contacting the Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders (SHINE) program offered by the Florida Department of Elder Affairs and the local Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-963-5337, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday; TTY 711, or 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227); 24 hours per day, 7 days per week; TTY 1-877-486-2048; www.Medicare.gov. You may also contact the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213; TTY 1-800-325-0778, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday.



CarePlus proudly serves the community as a Department of Children and Families ACCESS Florida Partner. You may apply, report any changes, or complete an updated review for Public Assistance Benefits with us:

- Medicaid\*\*
- Food Stamps\*\*
- Temporary Cash Assistance\*\*
- Long Term Care Community Diversion Program Referral\*\*

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1-866-76-ACCESS or 1-866-762-2237; from 8a.m. to 5p.m., Monday through Friday For Telecommunications Relay Services (TRS) dial 711, or continue to use TTY: 1-800-955-8770 or 1-800-955-8771



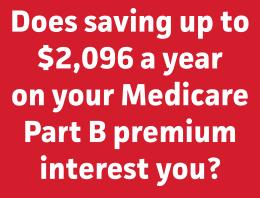
If you are interested in learning more about the Social Services Program available to CarePlus members, please return the attached card, visit our website, or call:

> CarePlus Health Plans, Inc. PO Box 14741 Lexington, KY 40512 1-800-794-5907; TTY: 711 CarePlusHealthPlans.com

Important: At CarePlus, it is important you are treated fairly. CarePlus Health Plans, Inc. complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, qender, gender identity, disability, age, marital status, religion, or language in their programs and activities, including in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, their programs and activities. The following department has been designated to handle inquiries regarding CarePlus' non-discrimination policies: Member Services, PO Box 277810, Miramar, FL 33027 1-800-794-5907 (TTY: 711). Auxiliary aids and services, free of charge, are available to you. 1-800-794-5907 (TTY: 711). CarePlus provides free auxiliary aids and services, such as qualified sign language interpreters, video remote interpretation, and written information in other formats to people with disabilities when such auxiliary aids and services are necessary to ensure an equal opportunity to participate. This information is available for free in other languages. Please call our Member Services number at 1-800-794-5907. Hours of operation: October 1 - March 31, 7 days a week, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. April 1 - September 30, Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. You may leave a voicemail after hours, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays and we will return your call within one business day.

Español (Spanish): Esta información está disponible de forma gratuita en otros idiomas. Favor de llamar a Servicios para Afiliados al número que aparece anteriormente.

Kreyòl Ayisyen (French Creole): Enfòmasyon sa a disponib gratis nan lòt lang. Tanpri rele nimewo Sèvis pou Manm nou yo ki nan lis anwo an.







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Medicare beneficiaries with limited income and assets may be eliqible for assistance from state and federal programs to pay for all or part of their monthly premiums, annual deductibles and coinsurance. Many beneficiaries are eligible for these savings and don't even know it.

Members receiving assistance from Medicare for help with prescription drug costs through the Extra Help program; and members who are dual eligible through Medicare and Medicaid are also allowed to take advantage of Special Election Periods (SEP) that may not be available to other Medicare Advantage members.



# CarePlus is committed to helping members maximize health benefits through our Social Services **Outreach Program**

We take great pride in our ability to serve our members. Participation is entirely voluntary and does not affect your enrollment as a member of CarePlus in any way. Members are not obligated to provide any personal information and any information provided will only be shared with the state and federal agencies directly responsible for determining eligibility. However, information regarding Medicaid status may be needed to confirm dual eligibility. CarePlus is only providing an initial eligibility screening and only the appropriate state agency can make a final eligibility determination. If you do not agree with our initial screening, you can apply directly at a state or federal office.



### How can I get Extra Help?

The CarePlus Social Services department assists members to apply for public assistance through a variety of state and federal programs. This assistance and quidance are offered at no additional cost to you.

All you need to do is call a Member Services representative and request a Social Services referral. One of our specially-trained Social Services associates will then contact you and quide you through the application process.

# Do I qualify?

### Extra Help:

To be eligible for Extra Help with Medicare Prescription Drug Plan costs, you must:

- Have a monthly gross income of less than \$1,882 for an individual or less than \$2,555 for a couple\*
- Have assets valued below \$17,220 for an individual or \$34,360 for a couple living together\*
- Reside in the United States

The help you receive regularly from someone else to pay your household expenses does not count as income. Assets include bank accounts or stocks and bonds, but do not include your home, car, personal possessions or life insurance policies.

### Medicaid:

To be eligible for Medicaid benefits through the Medicare Savings Programs, which are part of the State Medicaid Program (Dual Eligibility status\*\*), you must:

- Be entitled to Medicare Part A
- Be a Florida resident
- Be a U.S. citizen or qualified resident
- Have a monthly gross income of less than \$1,715 for an individual or less than \$2,320 for a couple\*\*+
- Have assets valued below \$9,430 for an individual or \$14,130 for a couple living together\*\*

\*Eligibility requirements and benefit amounts vary by state and federal program, and are subject to change. Resource and income levels for Extra Help are published by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) annually. Eligibility determination is made by the Social Security Administration and not by CarePlus.

\*\*The Florida Department of Children and Families remains the designated state agency to determine eligibility for program services/benefits.

<sup>†</sup>A \$20 general income exclusion is included in the income amounts.

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Telephone Number City/State/Zip Code

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