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March 2025 Webinar Schedule & Information

SHINE (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders) will be hosting virtual classes

for anyone interested in learning more about Medicare.

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| Class Options | Date | Day | Time (EST) | Register |
| **Medicare 101**  Join SHINE, learn about the basics of Medicare and the importance of enrollment periods. | March 5 | Wednesday | 12:00PM | **Register in advance for this webinar:**  <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_7pPY2wLxRVOHg2DNWL9IkA> |
| **Medicare Part C + Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period**  Join SHINE, learn about Medicare Advantage Plan costs and  coverage as well as the opportunity to change coverage during the  MA-OEP from January – March 2025. | March 12 | Wednesday | 12:00PM | **Register in advance for this webinar:**  <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_8LXlWTZcTheBQrCtZZXiYA> |
| **Medicare Part D**  Join SHINE, learn about Part D costs and coverage,includingimportant changes for 2025. | March 19 | Wednesday | 12:00PM | **Register in advance for this webinar:**  <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mGdKh6BATUiyVDJAduUxXg> |
| **Senior Medicare Patrol**  **Medicare Fraud & Abuse**  Senior Medicare Patrol assists Medicare beneficiaries, their families, and caregivers to prevent, detect, and report health care fraud, errors, and abuse. | March 26 | Wednesday | 12:00PM | **Register in advance for this webinar:**  <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_DnRClQrfQoSpi_Lqk0GWUw> |

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and register for upcoming webinars.

**Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period (MA-OEP) Ends March 31**

Did you know that Medicare Advantage plans have their own enrollment period? If you are dissatisfied with your current Advantage plan, you have a single opportunity to switch to a new plan during the first quarter every year.

**To learn more, join SHINE on Wednesday, March 12,as we talk in-depth about Part C as well as the option to**

**change coverage by the March 31 deadline.**

**Local Help Navigating Medicare**

SHINE trained counselors are available year-round Monday – Friday to assist you with all matters related to Medicare, including access to preventive services, cost-saving programs, and identifying and reporting Medicare fraud.

SHINE services are confidential, free, and unbiased. To request SHINE counseling, call the **Helpline** at **866-413-5337**.

To learn more about the SHINE program or Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida, visit:

[www.floridashine.org](http://www.floridashine.org) or [www.AAASWFL.org](http://www.AAASWFL.org)

