



BlueCross BlueShield of Illinois

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Service in the Neighborhood

APRIL 2010 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Dates and time may be subject to change.

Medicare Seminars – Over 65

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Dekalb	April 8 1:00 p.m.	Managing Your Health Insurance Choices and Costs in Tough Financial Times	Explores why health insurance is so important. Some of the topics include: different types of health plans available, and how they work, tips on what to look for in a plan	Dekalb Unemployment Office	1701 E. Lincoln Hwy.

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Joliet	April 8 9:30 a.m.	Turning 65 - Get the Facts about Medicare	Understanding Medicare, eligibility enrollment, and Medicare supplement plan options	Joliet Jr. College	1215 Houbolt Rd. Registration required 815-280-1555 (Class LLC 3824)
Malta	April 7 6:00 p.m.	Turning 65 - Get the Facts about Medicare	Understanding Medicare, eligibility enrollment, and Medicare supplement plan options	Kishwaukee College	For more information, contact Reservation required Kishwaukee College 815-825-2086
Normal	April 15 10:30 a.m.	Medicare Updates 2010	Get the latest updates for Medicare eligibility, enrollment, Medicare supplement plan options	Normal Township Community Center	1110 Douglas
Peoria	April 28 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Medicare Help Desk	Face to Face counseling from a Service in the Neighborhood specialist to answer your insurance questions	Proctor Hospital	5409 N. Knoxville

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Rockford	April 19 6:00 p.m.	Managing Your Health Insurance Choices and Costs in Tough Financial Times	Explores why health insurance is so important. Some of the topics include: different types of health plans available, and how they work, tips on what to look for in a plan	Rockford Public Library	215 N. Wyman Registration required 800-382-4548
Rockford	April 20 1:00 p.m.	Turning 65 - Get the Facts about Medicare and Social Security	An educational program providing information about social security and Medicare Parts A,B,C and D	First Presbyterian Church	406 N. Main Registration required 800-382-4548 Please reserve by 4/19/10
Rockford	April 22 6:00 p.m.	Turning 65 - Get the Facts about Medicare and Social Security	An educational program providing information about social security and Medicare Parts A,B,C and D	Rockford Public Library	6685 E. State Reservation required by April 20 1-800-382-4548

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Rockford	April 24 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Alzheimer's Association Family Forum and Resource Fair	Community Event	Clock Tower Inn	7801 E. State St. Registration required Alzheimer's Association Greater Illinois Chapter 815-484-1300
Rockford	April 28 5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Diabetes Education Fair	Community Event	Radisson Hotel & Conference Center	200 S. Bell School Rd.
Rockford	April 30 10:00 a.m.	Managing Your Health Insurance Choices and Costs in Tough Financial Times	Explores why health insurance is so important. Some of the topics include: different types of health plans available, and how they work, tips on what to look for in a plan	The Workforce Connection	303 N. Main - Room 104 Registration required 800-382-4548
South Holland	April 13 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Health & Wellness Fair	Community Event	South Suburban College	15800 S. State
Springfield	April 9 7:30 a.m.–9:30 a.m.	Red Cross Heros Breakfast	Community Event	Crown Plaza Hotel	3000 S. Dirksen Pkwy.

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Tinley Park	April 21 11:00 a.m.	Health Insurance Options	An educational program covering employer and individual health insurance options, learn how to choose for you and your family and tips on how to control your costs	Tinley Park Library	7851 Timber Dr. Reservation required 708-845-5711
West Chicago	April 19 10:00 a.m.	Health and Wellness Annual Senior Fair	Community Event	American Legion	123 Main St.
West Frankfort	April 15 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Healthy Lifestyles Fair	Community Event	Aquatic Center	1100 E. Cleveland

Do You Understand Medicare's Uncovered Costs?

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"Choosing the Medicare Supplement Plan That's Right for You"

This FREE seminar will offer you a step-by-step approach to Medicare and Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois Medicare Supplement Insurance Plans, including the standard benefits and the special design features of each plan.

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Seating is Limited.

For accommodation of persons with special needs at sales meetings, call 1-888-285-2252.

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Anna	April 19 10:00 a.m.	Shawnee Community College Extension	1000 N. Main
Arlington Heights	April 12 2:30 p.m.	Panera Bread	5 W. Rand Rd. Reservation required 312-653-7573
Bannockburn	April 8 10:00 a.m.	Panera Bread	1211 Half Day Road Reservation required 312-653-7573
Batavia	April 27 7:00 p.m.	Panera Bread	154 West Wilson St. Reservation required 312-653-5779

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Belvidere	April 21 11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.	Belvidere Public Library	320 N. State Registration not required. For more information contact Mary Ginther Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois 815-639-7192
Benton	April 21 10:00 a.m.	University of Illinois Extension Office	1212 Route 14 West
Crete	April 16 10:00 a.m.	Annie's Café	1375 Benton St.

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Crystal Lake	April 7 7:00 p.m.	Panera Bread	6000 Northwest Highway Reservation required 312-653-5779
Effingham	April 22 1:00 p.m.	Helen Matthes Library	100 E. Market
Frankfort	April 30 9:30 a.m.	Panera Bread	11069 E. Lincoln Highway
Homer Glen	April 9 9:30 a.m.	Purple Onion Restaurant	13150 W. 143 rd St.

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LaSalle	April 28 10:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.	LaSalle Public Library (Meeting Room)	305 Marquette St. Registration not required. For more information contact Mary Ginther Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois 815-639-7192
Naperville	April 6 7:00 p.m.	Panera Bread	2775 Showplace Dr. Reservation required 312-653-5779
Orland Park	April 15 11:00 a.m.	R.C. Mulligans	8801 W 143 rd St.

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Plainfield	April 7 9:30 a.m.	Panera Bread	2360 State Route 59
Quincy	April 13 2:00 p.m.	Panera Bread	3720 Broadway
Rockford	April 14 10:30 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.	Rockford Public Library	6685 East State RSVP Rockford Public Library (815) 965-7606 option 5 Or online at: www.rockfordpubliclibrary.org/events

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West Frankfort	April 13 10:00 a.m.	Aquatic Center	1100 E. Cleveland St.
Wheaton	April 15 7:00 p.m.	Panera Bread	25 Rice Lake Square Reservation required 312-653-5779

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Bloomington	April 21 9:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m.	Wesleyan University	104 E. University
Bolingbrook	April 20 10:00 a.m.	Fountaindale Public Library	300 W. Briarcliff Rd. Reservation required 630-685-4176
Champaign	April 20 10:00 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.	Champaign Public Library (Room C)	505 S. Randolph
Chicago	April 17 11:00 a.m.	Chicago Public Library (Roden Branch)	6083 Northwest Hwy.
Chicago	April 19 10:00 a.m.	Wilbur Wright College	4300 N Narragansett 800-382-4548

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Chicago	April 20 2:00 p.m.	Chicago Public Library (North Austin Branch)	5724 W. North Ave.
Chicago	April 20 6:30 p.m.	Chicago Public Library (Scottsdale Branch)	4101 W. 79 th St.
Chicago	April 21 6:30 p.m.	Chicago Public Library (McKinley Park Branch)	1915 W. 35 th St
Chicago	April 23 11:00 a.m.	Chicago Public Library (Uptown Branch)	929 W. Buena 800-382-4548
Crete	April 23 11:00 a.m.	Crete Public Library	1177 Main St. 800-382-4548

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Des Plaines	April 20 7:00 p.m.	DesPlaines Public Library	1501 Ellinwood St. 800-382-4548
Evergreen Park	April 22 1:00 p.m.	Waddell & Reed	9730 S. Western Ave. Reservation required 708-229-1500
Pekin	April 19 2:00 p.m.	Miller Senior Center	551 S. 14 th St. 800-382-4548
Peoria	April 19 5:00 p.m.	Lakeview Library	1317 W. Lake (No phone call necessary)
Peoria	April 23 2:00 p.m.	Lakeview Library	1317 W. Lake
South Holland	April 19 1:30 p.m.	South Holland Public Library	16250 Wausau Ave. 800-382-4548

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Springfield	April 20 10:00 a.m. April 22 6:00 p.m.	Capital Area Association of Realtors	3149 Robins Rd. 800-382-4548

Under 65 - Individual & Family Seminars

Health insurance is more affordable than you think.
Learn more at our free seminar:

“Health Insurance Boot Camp”

Please call 1-800-382-4548 to make a reservation, unless another number is listed. Seating is Limited.

This seminar topics will include: How to maximize your plan benefits, what to look for in a plan, how to tailor a plan to fit your budget, and questions to ask when selecting a plan.

If you are under 65, in between jobs, losing your group coverage, self-employed, shopping for health care coverage or retiring early, this seminar is for you.

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Anna	April 19 11:00 a.m.	Shawnee Community College Extension	1000 N. Main
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