

## Join the MMAP Volunteer Team Today

**Your talents and skills are needed!** MMAP needs people who have computer skills, are internet-savvy, and who have a sincere desire to help others understand their health benefits. If this describes you, call today to find a volunteer opportunity that is right for you.

**1-800-803-7174**

### **These volunteers have made a difference... so can you.**

*"A woman at a senior center had a small Social Security check as her only income. She and her family didn't know about a program that would cover her Medicare premiums. When she saw more than \$100 added to her Social Security check, she hugged my neck. Things will be a little better for her now."*

*"I helped a friend get a drug card for his mother. The card reduced the cost of one drug from \$100 to \$20. Every time he sees me he thanks me, and he tells other people about what I did."*

**Feel good about helping someone.  
Become a volunteer!**

## About MMAP

The Michigan Medicare Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) is part of the State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP). This national network offers free, confidential counseling and assistance for people with Medicare. Congress established SHIPs in 1990 to help beneficiaries navigate an increasingly complex health care system.

Each year MMAP, through its dedicated staff and volunteers, provides invaluable service to Michigan's communities, including:

- Counseling people with Medicare through the annual prescription drug plan enrollment period.
- Connecting with seniors who have limited incomes to help them save money on health care costs.
- Educating the community about health insurance issues.

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# Want to help your community?

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# About the MMAP Volunteer Team



MMAP volunteers are diverse in age, gender, ethnic group and community type.

They work together with local MMAP Team Leaders to provide a much-needed service to Michigan's older adults and people with disabilities.

## Your Talents and Skills Are Needed

### Become a MMAP volunteer

Your experience can have a meaningful impact on our program and on the lives of Michigan's residents.

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### Reasons to Join the MMAP Volunteer Team

1. Make a Difference in Your Community
2. Assist People With Their Health Benefits
3. Save People Money
4. Positively Impact Other's Lives
5. Meet New People
6. Experience Professional Growth
7. Educate the Michigan public
8. Be Part of a Dynamic Team

## Volunteer Opportunities

### Counselor

- Help clients apply for and access public benefit programs
- Educate clients about the Medicare and Medicaid programs

### Outreach Assistant

- Promote community awareness of the MMAP program and its services
- Represent MMAP at local community events

### Administrative Assistant

- Provide administrative support for fellow MMAP Team Members
- Help with data collection and entry
- General office assistance

**Please Note: Insurance agents, insurance brokers, and financial planners are not eligible to serve as MMAP volunteers.**

## Navigating Medicare

### MMAP, Inc. Mission Statement

*To educate, counsel and empower Michigan's older adults and individuals with disabilities, and those who serve them, so that they can make informed health benefit decisions.*