Dillsburg Borough

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Enjoy This Season of Transition

October is the time for cooler weather, beautiful colors, apple harvest, pumpkins, and fall festivals. It is also a time of transition as we winterize our homes and yards in preparation of spending more time indoors for the winter.

On the original Roman calendar, October was the 8th month of the year, hence it's name beginning with "Octo" When the calendar new year was changed to January in 153 BC, there was an attempt to change the name, but "October" still stuck in everyday use.

Today, October hosts several "holidays" including International Day of Older Persons (Oct. 1st), Columbus/Indigenous People's Day (Oct. 9th), Halloween (Oct. 31st), and a variety of other awareness and cultural days. If you would like to know more about October holidays or the holidays of any other month, visit http://www.nationaltoday.com



There will be a national test of the Emergency Alert System (EAS) and Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEA) on Wednesday, Oct. 4, at approximately 2:20 p.m.

The test is to ensure the systems continue to effectively warn the public about emergencies, particularly those on the national level. The WEA portion of the test will be directed to all consumer cell phones. The EAS portion will be sent to radios and televisions.

In case the Oct. 4 test is postponed due to widespread severe weather or other significant events, the back-up testing date is Oct. 11.

PA MEDI Is On The Air!

Host Bill O'Brien, of the Better Living Radio Show, will be talking with our PA MEDI counselors with information on the Medicare Open Enrollment period and how to navigate the Medicare system.



Monday, October 16th 10 - 11:00 am WHVR 1280 am / 98.3 fm

Get Ready for Medicare Open Enrollment

Make Your Personal Appointment Today!

Questions about your Medicare?

We are here to

HELP

Open Enrollment Dates





Join, switch or drop Medicare Advantage or Prescription Drug Plans. Appointments are required.
Call the PA MEDI scheduling line

717-771-9042

Understanding Medicare can be difficult.

PA MEDI counselors are specially trained staff and volunteers who can answer your questions and provide you with nonbiased, objective, easy-to-understand information about Medicare.

They can help you:

- Make informed choices about Medicare coverage options, Medigap policies and Medicare Advantage Plans
- Understand Medicare eligibility & enrollment
- Understand what services are covered under Medicare Parts A and B and your Medicare Summary Notice
- Understand your Medicare Prescription Drug (Part D) benefit
- Apply for Medicare Savings Programs to save you money... and more!



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2023 MEDICARE ANNUAL OPEN ENROLLMENT EVENTS

For additional information or to register:

717-771-9042 or 800-632-9073

Please do not call the event sites

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

York County at Pleasant Valley Road 9:00 am - 1:00 pm 2401 Pleasant Valley Rd., York PA 17402

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

Heritage Senior Center 9:00 am - 2:00 pm 3700-4 Davidsburg Rd., Dover PA 17315

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

SpiriTrust Lutheran The Village at Kelly Drive 9:00 am - 3:00 pm 750 Kelly Dr., York PA 17404

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

Dallastown Area High School 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm 700 New School Ln., Dallastown PA 17313

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

West York High School 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm 1800 Bannister St., York PA 17404

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

South Western High School 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm 200 Bowman Rd., Hanover PA 17331

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Dillsburg Senior Center 9:00 am - 2:00 pm 1 N. 2nd St., Dillsburg PA 17019

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Delta Senior Center 9:00 am - 3:00 pm 5 Pendyrus St., Delta PA 17314

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

York County at Pleasant Valley Road 9:00 am - 1:00 pm 2401 Pleasant Valley Rd., York PA 17402

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

West York High School 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm 1800 Bannister St., York PA 17404

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

South Western High School 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm 200 Bowman Rd., Hanover PA 17331

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

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Schedule Your Appointment Today!



Find a Class

Keep Moving with our Health & Wellness Classes

The York County Area Agency on Aging offers a variety of health & wellness classes to help you live your best life. From **fall prevention** to **managing chronic conditions** we can help to keep you moving and preserve your peace of mind.

Click the button for <u>class descriptions</u> and a link to our schedule.

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The primary focus of the York County Area Agency on Aging is to provide education, advocacy and coordination of community-based services to empower older adults to maximize their independence and quality of life.

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