

**Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge
Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina**
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Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities
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**North Carolina Department of Insurance
Seniors' Health Insurance Information Program
(SHIIP)**

A Senior Health Partnership

- Goal:** Prevent Disparities in the Medicare Part D Outpatient Prescription Drug Program.
- Objective :** To assure that low-income African American Medicare beneficiaries **apply** for the prescription drug program subsidy.
- Objective :** To assure that African American Medicare beneficiaries **enroll** in the Part D Prescription Drug Program.

How Can Your Organization Help in this Effort?

- Promote and host at least one event to assist low-income Medicare beneficiaries to **apply** for the low-income subsidy.
- Promote and host at least one event to assist Medicare beneficiaries to **enroll** in the outpatient prescription drug program.
- Every Chapter will receive information and materials from SHIIP on Medicare Part D and the low-income subsidy and will serve as an information source on these Medicare benefits at the community level.

How Can OMHHD and SHIIP Help in this Effort?

Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities

- In cooperation with the District Deputies, select and place community workers to assist the Chapters in their efforts.
- Provide technical assistance and consultation and overall supervision for the community education, outreach and enrollment activities.

North Carolina Department of Insurance/SHIP

- Provides education, outreach, and enrollment training, information and materials for the partnership.
- Provides financial assistance to support the partnership.

Administration and Oversight

All partners participate in the overall administration governance, coordination, oversight and evaluation of the partnership.

For more information or to set up an event, contact
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