



LOCAL 103, I.B.E.W. HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN



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Reaching Medicare Age?

Helpful Tips to Remember:

- Social Security Office should begin sending correspondence 3 months prior to your 65th birthday. If you have not received any information, please contact the Social Security Office using the contact information below.
- If you plan to participate in the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan, you are **REQUIRED** to elect both Part A and Part B of Medicare. *(If you are enrolled in the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan, you do not need to elect Part D Prescription Drug Plan).*
- If you do not enroll in both Part A and B, you will not be eligible to be covered by the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan.
- Once you have received your Medicare Card, you are required to submit a copy to the Trust Funds Office.
- The monthly premium for the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan is \$150.00. If you have dependents that remain on the Normal Retiree Plan, the monthly premium will be \$300.00.
- The Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan will act as a supplement to Medicare. This means that Medicare will pay their portion first, then the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan will come in.
- If a service is not covered by Medicare, it will not be covered by the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan. However, the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan does include certain vision, dental and hearing aid benefits.
- Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan does not cover the Medicare Part B deductible or \$200.00 of the Part A deductible.

If you have any questions regarding the Local 103 Supplemental Health Plan, please contact the Trust Funds Office at (617) 288-5999.

If you have any questions about enrolling in Medicare benefits, you can contact the Social Security Office at (800) 772-1213. Additionally, if you have any questions regarding what benefits Medicare covers, please contact the Medicare office at (800) 633-4227 or visit their website at www.medicare.gov.