

# NEW Required Information for a Medicare Comparison



Client Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The Senior Health Insurance Information Program (SHIIP) is sponsored by the State of Iowa Insurance Division. SHIIP uses the Medicare.gov Medicare Plan Finder to compare Medicare Part D and Medicare Advantage drug plans for individuals.

Medicare has new security requirements to use the Medicare Plan Finder. In order for SHIIP to do a comparison for you, you will need an online user account. Your SHIIP counselor can use your current MyMedicare.gov account user name and password or help you create a new account to do your comparison(s). By having an online user account, you can keep your drug list stored, make updates from year-to-year, and quickly compare drug plans.

## **If you have a MyMedicare.gov account complete this section:**

If you already have a MyMedicare.gov account, your user name and password for that account will be needed to do a comparison using the Medicare Plan Finder. Please provide that information below. We will only use this information to do a Part D or Medicare Advantage comparison for you.

Username: \_\_\_\_\_

Password: \_\_\_\_\_

## **If you DO NOT have a MyMedicare.gov account complete this section:**

If you want a SHIIP counselor to be able to run comparisons for you, now and in the future, please provide a username and password below. Also answer **ONE** of the security questions.

Username: \_\_\_\_\_

- Suggest using your email address or you can create a username. Username must be 8-30 characters; no spaces; include at least 4 letters; can include numbers and these characters : @ ! . - \_ \$

Password: \_\_\_\_\_

- Passwords ensure the security and confidentiality of your information. A password is unique to you. You need to create a password that is 8-16 characters long and it must include upper and lower case letters, numbers and one or more of these special characters @ ! \$ % ^ \* ( ) Example: Howdy19\$

Security Question:

Choose **ONE** of the following security questions and provide your answer.

- Favorite vacation spot: \_\_\_\_\_
- City where you first met your spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

***Your user account information is confidential and will be securely stored in your SHIIP file.***

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