

# 2026 Genesee County Office for the Aging Medicare Counseling Options

<b>2026 Medicare Advantage, Medigap &amp; Part D Charts</b>	<p>Created specifically for Genesee County Medicare beneficiaries, includes 2026 updates, and all plans available for Genesee County residents (Medicare Advantage, Medigap Supplemental, and Part D). Available by attending a presentation, picking one up from the Office for the Aging reception area, or requesting one to be mailed or emailed to you. They will be available beginning October 15<sup>th</sup>.</p>
<b>Upcoming Assistance Days</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wednesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> – <b>MEDICARE 101, for those becoming new to Medicare</b> – at Office for the Aging, 2 Bank Street, Batavia – 5pm – <i>Call to reserve your place 585-343-1611</i></li> <li>• Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup> – 400 Towers Presentation – 2:30pm (<i>for residents ONLY</i>)</li> <li>• Tuesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> – <b>How to navigate Medicare.gov to assist yourself during open enrollment</b> – 10am, at Office for the Aging, 2 Bank Street, Batavia – <i>Call to reserve your place 585-343-1611</i></li> <li>• Tuesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> – Washington Towers Presentation – 2:30pm (<i>for residents only</i>)</li> <li>• Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup> – <b>Gillam Grant WALK-IN ASSISTANCE DAY</b> – 10am-2pm – 6966 W Bergen Road, Bergen. <i>First come, first served. <u>Bring list of prescriptions!</u></i></li> <li>• Thursday, November 6<sup>th</sup> – <b>MEDICARE 101, for those becoming new to Medicare</b> – at Office for the Aging, 2 Bank Street, Batavia – 5pm – <i>Call to reserve your place 585-343-1611</i></li> <li>• Wednesday November 12<sup>th</sup> – <b>The GOOSE WALK-IN ASSISTANCE DAY</b> – 10am-2pm – 33 S Main St., Oakfield. <i>First come, first served. <u>Bring list of prescriptions!</u></i></li> </ul>
<b>2026 Medicare Health Insurance Fairs</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tuesday, October 28<sup>th</sup> – 10am-2pm</b>  <b>Batavia First United Methodist Church</b>  <b>8221 Lewiston Road, Batavia</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Monday, November 17<sup>th</sup> – 10am-2pm</b>  <b>Batavia Downs - Genesee Room (take escalator upstairs, to the left)</b>  <b>8315 Park Road, Batavia</b></p> <p>Insurance company representatives will be available to discuss insurance plans and provide enrollment assistance at this time. Independent Health will NOT be in attendance.</p>
<b>NYS Office for the Aging (NYSOFA) Additional Counselors</b>	<p>If you leave us a message for an appointment: Due to the volume of calls we receive during open enrollment, you may be receiving over the phone counseling by another Medicare counselor in NYS. You may expect a call from them within 3-5 business days, and the person who is calling should indicate that they <u>are calling on behalf of Genesee County when they introduce themselves</u>. (You may get an initial call from NYSOFA to help triage your situation and refer you to the proper certified NYS counselor.)</p> <p><i>*Note*</i> You may wish to keep a list of your prescriptions nearby as, when you receive a call back, they will need to enter them in to the system to assist you in finding the plan that covers your prescriptions at the best price.</p>
<b>585-343-1611</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Genesee County Office for the Aging</b>  Health Information, Counseling, and Assistance Program (HIICAP)  2 Bank Street  Batavia, NY 14020  <a href="mailto:ofa.dept@geneseeny.gov">ofa.dept@geneseeny.gov</a></p>