

I volunteer with SHIP to educate individuals on the finer points of Medicare with the intent of improving their quality of life emphasizing medication prescribing from a pharmacist's perspective. Secondly my ultimate goal is to save them health care dollars.

**Don - Scottsbluff**



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# NEBRASKA SHIP

Local help for Nebraskans  
with Medicare



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I enjoy helping people wade through overwhelming information to find the plan that best fits their needs.

**Deb - Fairbury**

I just finished my first year as a SHIP Volunteer and I am amazed at how many people this organization has helped. This organization is absolutely essential to help others understand the ins and outs of Medicare, Medicaid, Supplements and so much more.

**Chandell - Potter**



For more information about  
becoming a volunteer contact:

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## SHIP Volunteers

*Free, unbiased Medicare information  
for Nebraskans*



## Why Volunteer?

SHIP is a program based on Nebraskans helping Nebraskans. Our counselors are known statewide as trusted advocates who provide unbiased and confidential Medicare information while educating Nebraskans to identify and report possible Medicare fraud, error, or waste.

## What's Required?

SHIP volunteer training includes both online and classroom training. All counselors complete a certification to ensure they have the knowledge to educate Medicare beneficiaries.

Licensed insurance agents and individuals working for an insurance company may not volunteer.

## How Can I Volunteer?

### One-on-One Counseling

Meet with clients to answer Medicare questions and help to identify potential fraud or waste.

### Health Fairs

Represent SHIP with a booth at a community or health fair.

### Plan Comparisons

Assist in comparing Part D Prescription Drug Plans or Medicare Advantage Plans to help find the best option.

### Office Assistance

Assist our local offices in answering phones and completing data entry.

### Presentations

Provide Medicare presentations to community groups.

### Community Outreach

Work with community partners to educate staff and clients on our program.

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