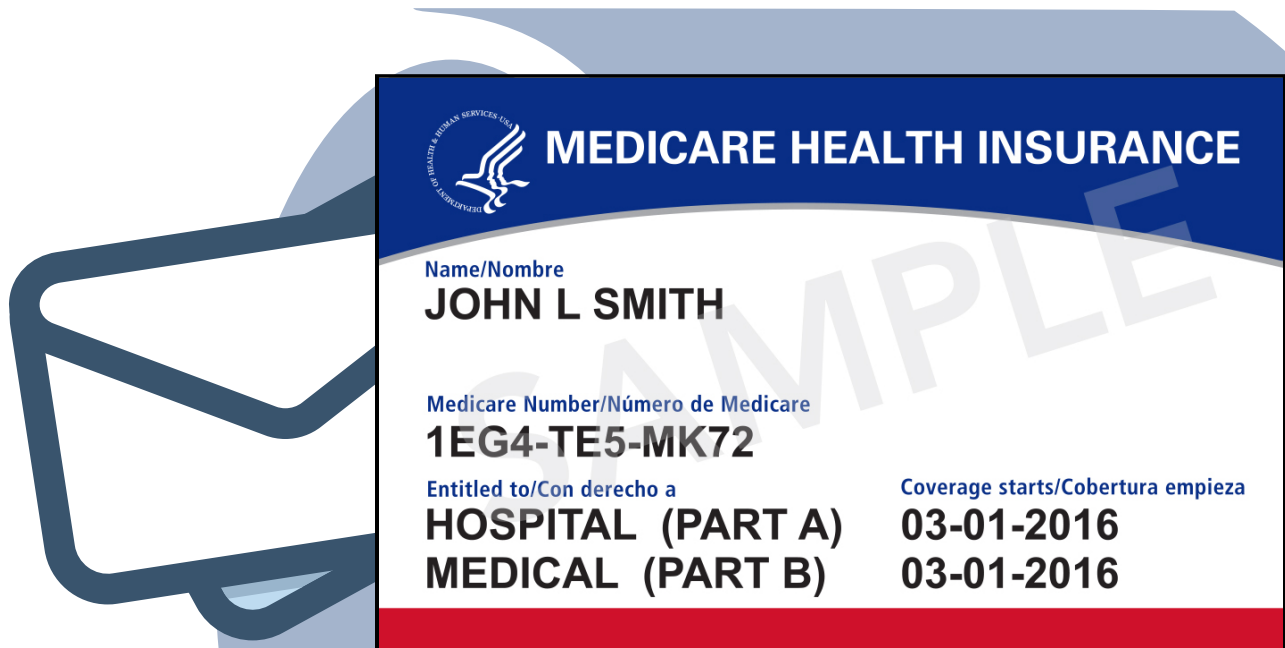


# New Medicare Cards Are Now Being Mailed!



## Every person on Medicare will be mailed a new Medicare card.

- Your new Medicare card will have a new number
- You may receive your new card at a different time than others
- Your Medicare benefits will stay the same

## When your new Medicare card arrives in the mail:

- Start using your new card right away
- Safely and securely destroy your old Medicare card
- If you have a Medicare Advantage plan, continue to use your plan's card

## Beware of Scammers!

If someone calls you and asks for your Medicare number in exchange for money or services, it is a scam!

Remember that Medicare will NEVER call you for personal information. Also, Medicare cards are free and you do not need to do anything to get one.

**For more information or  
to report suspicious  
callers, contact Illinois  
SMP at AgeOptions at  
(800)699-9043**

