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THE WASHINGTON DC CHAPTER WILL PRESENT A ZOOM WEBINAR, "**MEDICARE IN THE AGE OF COVID,**" THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 15, 2020, 7:30 PM

DC Chapter member Bob Rosenblatt is an expert on Medicare and Medicare, Social Security and Disability Insurance. Bob served as a correspondent for 25 years with the Los Angeles Times where he created the paper's first beat on aging issues. He also wrote a column for the paper's health section entitled "Benefits Bob" that dealt with health insurance issues. Bob is a Senior Fellow at the National Academy of Social Insurance (NASI) which focuses on Social Security, Medicare and Disability insurance. He maintains an active website, "HelpwithAging.com. "

Bob will discuss several timely issues:

- A- I lost my job and health insurance due to the COVID-related economic slowdown (or for any other reason) and I need to sign up for Medicare. Should I pick Medicare Advantage or traditional Medicare?
- B- Open enrollment begins in October for people with Medicare Part D with drugs. Do I stay with the same plan this year or pick a new one?
- C- I have a new drug - awfully expensive! What are some places to look for discounts?
- D- My spouse on Medicare will lose her expensive therapy treatments because her doctor or home care agency says there has been no improvement in her condition. What do I do?

There will be ample time for questions on the above issues following Bob's presentation. Please forward your specific questions to Phil (see info below) at least a week before the webinar, to allow Bob ample time to prepare tailored responses (which he will send privately afterwards in the event time we run out of time.)

ZOOM MEETING PARTICULARS(RSVP to Phil Barsky,
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