**Medicare Related Programs**

**Brief Descriptions**

**Medicare Savings Programs:** Help seniors with limited incomes and assets pay for some or all of Medicare’s premiums, deductibles, and co-payments. If qualified, at a minimum your Part B premium would be paid for you, saving you over $100 per month!

**Extra Help/Low Income Subsidy:** For people with limited incomes and assets, this program helps pay their Medicare Part D (Prescription drug plan) premiums, deductibles, and co-payments.

**Senior Care:** Wisconsin’s prescription drug assistance program for people age 65 and older. It is designed to help seniors with their prescription drug costs. There is no monthly premium and your annual income determines your level of coverage. Assets are not counted. People with lower incomes often find Senior Care to be more affordable than other Medicare drug plans.

**Medicare Preventive Services:** Medicare covers a wide range of preventive services and screenings including a yearly wellness visit, vaccinations and more – all at low or no cost. Preventive health care focuses on preventing disease and maintaining proper health which will allow you to live a longer, healthier life. Take advantage of these preventive services.

**Health Promotion Classes:** Educational programs designed for older people which have been researched and proven effective to help individuals manage their own health and improve their quality of life. Topics include fall prevention, managing chronic health conditions, living with diabetes and other wellness topics.