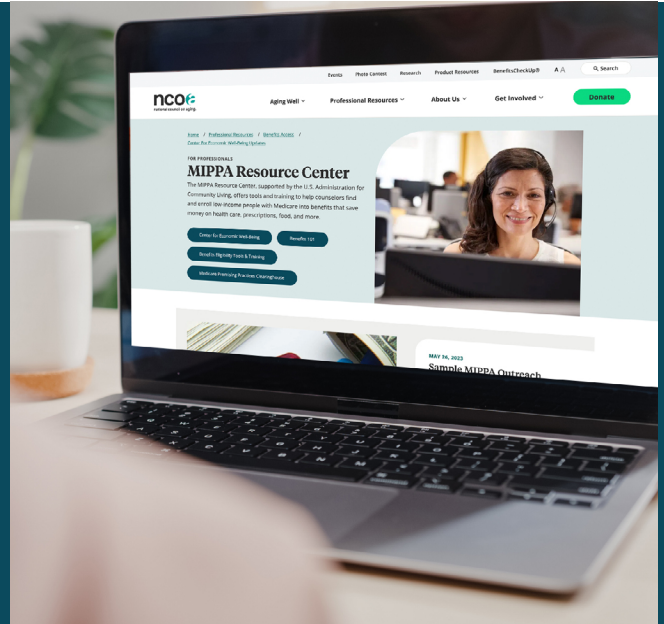


National Center for Benefits Outreach & Enrollment (NCBOE)

Training and Technical Assistance for State Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers (MIPPA) Leads and Benefits Enrollment Centers (BECs) | NCOA.org

What is NCBOE?

The National Center for Benefits Outreach and Enrollment (NCBOE) is also known as the MIPPA Resource Center. Led by the National Council on Aging (NCOA), NCBOE supports MIPPA program leads in all state and territories, and NCOA-funded BECs nationwide, in helping older adults and people with disabilities access critical benefits.



Benefits Enrollment Centers

The NCOA Center for Economic Well-Being supports a network of BECs around the country to help low-income people with Medicare access programs that pay for healthcare, food, and more. The full list of centers can be found on NCOA.org

NCOA Website

Information on MIPPA, resources and fact sheets on core benefit programs. Provides articles, outreach materials, toolkits, promising practices in benefits outreach and enrollment, and mapping/data visualization tools.

Benefits Participation Map

Our interactive tool shows program participation rates and number of individuals eligible but unenrolled in benefits for adults age 65+ nationally and by state and substate. The map allows you to select counties and/or states to compare on a chart and table beneath, with a further ability to filter by SNAP, SSI, and MSP participation rates.

BenefitsCheckUp® | [BenefitsCheckUp.org](https://www.benefitscheckup.org)

Free, confidential screening tool connecting individuals to 2,500+ public and private benefits:

- Call the Benefits Helpline, 1-800-794-6559, available Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. EST. Provides benefits information and referrals to older adults and caregivers through a national toll-free helpline
- Click the "Chat With Us" button in the bottom right to talk to a live representative
- Interactive map to locate NCOA partners and programs.

NCOA Connect | [Connect.NCOA.org](https://www.connect.ncoa.org)

Provides monthly webinars to help organizations identify and engage eligible individuals, as well as quarterly Peer-to-Peer Learning calls to connect State MIPPA Leads with BECs. These webinars provide technical assistance and training for counselors, case managers, and outreach staff with strategies to improve outreach and enrollment outcomes and support enrollment into programs including:

- Medicare Savings Programs
- Extra Help (Low-Income Subsidy)
- SNAP, SSI, and other supports

Boost Your Budget Week

NCOA's national campaign that takes place during the second full week of April each year. Unites aging and disability service providers under a common charge to educate low-income Medicare beneficiaries and their caregivers about the benefits available and connect individuals to online and community resources.

Youtube Channel | [Youtube.com/@NCOAAging](https://www.youtube.com/@NCOAAging)

Houses our “Benefits for Older Adults” and “Medicare Shorts Series” playlists

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