

# Medicare Fraud Prevention Week

## BENEFICIARIES

The most effective way to stop fraud from occurring is to prevent it in the first place.

Remember the three steps from the SMP:  
Prevent, Detect, Report!

- **Prevent:** Learn how to read your Medicare statements.
- **Detect:** When reviewing your MSN or EOB, look for services, products, or equipment you didn't receive, double charges, or items your doctor didn't order.
- **Report:** Call or email your local SMP if you believe that you have experienced health care fraud, errors, or abuse.



# SMP

Senior Medicare Patrol

Preventing Medicare Fraud

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