

Understanding Medicare:

Providing patients with information to evaluate Medicare insurance options during Open Enrollment







MEDICARE

MEDIGAP

MEDICARE ADVANTAGE

Medicare is a program for people who are 65 years or older or have certain disabilities

Questions that may help assess your patients' current insurance needs:

MEDICARE ESTABLISHED PATIENTS

- Can they reconfirm their current coverage with Medicare? Do they have a copy of their current insurance card(s)?
- Do they need help identifying the name(s) of the drug(s) and the dosing they receive at your office?
- Have they confirmed that their current insurance will continue to cover the injections they receive at your office?
- Do they know their out-of-pocket costs for these medications next year?
- Would they like a list of questions to ask their insurance representative about coverage?
- Do they plan on keeping or changing their insurance during Open Enrollment?

NEW ENROLLEES TO MEDICARE

- Do they understand the Medicare options available?
- What are the most important factors for them when they are evaluating health insurance options?
- Do they understand the differences between Traditional Medicare and Medicare Advantage?
- Do they understand the implications of switching Medicare insurance options?
- Do they understand the difference between Medicare Advantage and Medigap?

It is important for patients to understand total yearly expenses and the types of medications covered under Part B (medications/injections administered at the doctor's office, such as SYFOVRE) and Part D (medications picked up at the pharmacy).

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND RESOURCES:

Syfovre.com SyfovreECP.com

AccessSupportNavigator.SyfovreECP.com



If your patient is considering changing insurance, Apellis has additional patient resources you could share for more information



These materials are intended to provide general information about insurance options. In no way should this information be considered a guarantee of eligibility for any program or coverage or reimbursement for any product or service. Patients should always contact the insurer directly for the most up to date and comprehensive information.



Apellis Assist® is a program designed to help your patients along their treatment journey





Insurance verification support for SYFOVRE



ECP online portal



Financial assistance for eligible patients



Ongoing support via a dedicated

Apellis Care Educator (ACE)

We recognize that you are the expert in your patients' care. The Apellis Assist program is here to provide support by helping patients overcome potential access barriers to treatment.

Questions or concerns?



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