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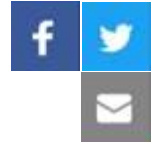
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2 Medicare Workshops to be Offered in Kellogg

BOISE ID – A pair of free Medicare Workshop for individuals turning 65 and those approaching Medicare eligibility will be held in Kellogg during the first full week of May. Caregivers and all those interested in learning how the federal Medicare program works are encouraged to attend.

The first workshop will take place Tuesday, May 7 from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Pizza Palace, located at 201 Main St., Kellogg. The second session will be held Thursday, May 9 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the same location.

Medicare workshops are designed to introduce the various parts of Medicare and to share some of the costs and benefits associated with the program. Sessions cover enrollment timeframes for Medigap, Medicare Advantage, prescription drug plans, and how the different parts of Medicare work together.

Staff with the state's Senior Health Insurance Benefits Advisors (SHIBA) program, a unit of the Idaho Department of Insurance, conduct the workshops. To register for the either session, please contact the SHIBA Helpline at 1-800-247-4422.

About the Department of Insurance

The Idaho Department of Insurance has been regulating the business of insurance in Idaho since 1901. The mission of the Department is to serve and protect Idahoans by equitably, effectively and efficiently administering the Idaho Insurance Code and the International Fire Code. For more information, visit doi.idaho.gov.

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