

2009 Table of Government Programs and Benefits/Coverage

Government Program	Source	Income Limit	Asset Limit	Provides Income	Hospital Insurance	Major Medical Coverage	Other Services (Dental, Eyeglasses)	Prescriptions	Part B Premium	Part D LIS ("Extra Help")
Social Security	Federal (SSA)	None	None	◆						
Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	Federal (SSA)	\$653	\$2000	◆						◆ (SSI Only)
Medicare Part A	Federal (CMS)	None	None		◆					
Medicare Part B	Federal (CMS)	None	None			◆				
Medicare Part D	Federal (Various Companies)	None	None					◆		
Medicaid	State	Varies by State	Varies by State		◆ Supplements Medicare A	◆ Supplements Medicare B	◆ (Varies by State)	◆ (Pays for some drugs not covered by Part D)	◆	◆
Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB)	State (Medicaid Office)	\$887	\$4000		◆ Supplements Medicare A	◆ Supplements Medicare B			◆ (Part A Premium if needed)	◆
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB)	State (Medicaid Office)	\$1060	\$4000						◆	◆
Qualified Individual (QI-1)	State (Medicaid Office)	\$1190	\$4000						◆	
Low-Income Subsidy "Extra Help" (LIS)	Federal (SSA)	\$15,600 Annual (Single)	\$11,990 (Single)							◆ (Sliding Scale)