

# Notice to Kaiser Permanente Individual Medicare Advantage Plan Members\*

# Know your options

As of January 1, 2020, Kaiser Permanente has elected to no longer have its <u>Individual</u> Medicare Advantage\* plan be contracted with Island Hospital primary care providers (see list below).

# Is your provider on this list?

If yes, you <u>must</u> choose a new Medicare Advantage plan in order to continue to see your provider. If you do not choose a new plan, Kaiser will assign you to one of their in-network providers.

## When do I need to make a decision?

Medicare's open enrollment period for 2020 is going on now through December 7, 2019.

# What Medicare plans are available to me?

#### ISLAND HOSPITAL PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS

#### **Anacortes Family Medicine**

Jason Hogge MD, Family Medicine/Obstetrics Lindsay Newlon MD, Family Medicine/Obstetrics Caroline Roeder DO, Family Medicine/Obstetrics

#### Fidalgo Medical Associates

James Abbey MD, Internal Medicine
Sharon Brown AGPCNP-BC, Family Medicine
C. Les Conway MD, Family Medicine
JoAnn Eastman ARNP, Family Medicine
Erin Flanigan ARNP, Family Medicine
Susan Jordan PA-C, Family Medicine
John Mathis MD, Internal Medicine
Tari Roche DO, Family Medicine
Alan Craig Thom DO, Family Medicine
Susanne Wilhelm DO, Family Medicine

In addition to traditional Medicare and supplement plans, the following Medicare Advantage plans are contracted with Island Hospital primary care providers.

- AARP United Healthcare Medicare Advantage HMO
- Community Health Plan of WA Medicare Advantage Extra HMO
- Community Health Plan of WA Medicare Advantage Pharm HMO
- Community Health Plan of WA SNP Plan
- Humana Choice PPO
- Humana Honor PPO
- Premera Blue Cross MA Core HMO
- Premera Blue Cross MA Core Plus HMO
- UnitedHealthcare Dual Complete

<sup>\*</sup>Does not apply to group Kaiser Medicare Advantage plans (PEBB, OPM, other retiree plans).

# Need help choosing a new plan?

We understand that having to choose a new insurance plan can be overwhelming, however, we are here to help.

Island Hospital's SHIBA (Statewide Health Insurance Benefits Advisors) counselors offer a number of Medicare Open Enrollment classes to help you make an informed decision regarding your Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C) and Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage (Part D). The classes are free, however, registration is required. Sign up today!

#### **Medicare Open Enrollment Classes**

**Island Hospital -** To register, call (360) 299-1309 or go online at www.islandhospital.org/classes.

Tuesday, October 29, 10 a.m., Fidalgo Room

Tuesday, November 5, 1 p.m., Fidalgo Room

Tuesday, November 19, 10 a.m., Fidalgo Room

**Anacortes Senior Activity Center -** *To register, call (360) 293-7473.* 

Wednesday, November 13, 10 a.m.

# Still having trouble deciding?

For additional assistance, contact our SHIBA coordinator at (360) 299-4212.