### **Medical Help for the Elderly**

There are various medical programs for low-income elderly individuals. For elderly individuals to be eligible, the household must meet specified asset and income limitations.

# What are the different medical programs for the elderly?

Below are some of the medical programs for the elderly with links to the program for more detailed information:

- Aged Medical
- Medicare Cost Sharing Program Medicare Cost Sharing Programs pay the cost of Medicare "Part B" Premiums for elderly and disabled individuals who receive Part A Medicare Benefits, are entitled to Part B Medicare Benefits, are a citizen or qualified alien, and meet specified income and asset limitations. Income limits for a household ("HH") are between 100% and 135% of poverty depending on the program. Asset limits for the HH are the same for all programs. A HH of one person can have up to \$4,000.00 in assets; and a HH of two persons can have up to \$6,000 in assets.
- Nursing Home
- Aging Home and Community Based Program (AW)
- New Choices

# How do I apply for medical assistance if I am elderly?

You can apply online at the Department of Workforce Services website or you can request an application form by mail through your local Medicaid office.

# Where can I go to find other resources for Medical help?

The Department of Workforce Services website (<u>jobs.utah.gov</u>) has some helpful resources.

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