

# Guard your card

## Follow these tips to prevent Medicare ID fraud:

- Keep your Medicare and Social Security cards secure.
- Don't share your numbers with anyone but your health care team.
- If someone calls and asks for your Medicare information, hang up. Medicare will only call you if you've called and left a message or if a representative said that someone will call you back.
- Check your statements carefully and log into [medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov) to spot possible fraud and billing mistakes.
- Report suspicious activities by calling 800-MEDICARE (800-633-4227) or by calling the Senior Medicare Patrol at 877-808-2468.

