

## **SHIBA** 2025 Medicare Savings Program and "Extra Help" **Limited Income Subsidy fact sheet**

Medicare Savings Program | State help with federal support

Program and monthly gross income limits	Asset test	Part B premium paid	Retroactive 90 days from eligibility date	Covers medical deductibles, co-pays and coinsurance	Drug help through "Extra Help"
Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) Single: \$1,325 Couple: \$1,783	×		×		<ul> <li>Drug co-pay \$4.90 generic / \$12.15 brand for up to 90-day refills</li> <li>No deductible</li> <li>No coverage gap</li> <li>No catastrophic co-pay</li> <li>Rx premium \$0 if enrolled in a benchmark PDP</li> <li>2025 premium benchmark is \$26.15</li> </ul>
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SMB/SLMB) Single: \$1,585 Couple: \$2,135	×			×	
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SMF/QI) Single: \$1,781 Couple: \$2,400	$\boldsymbol{\times}$			×	
<ul> <li><b>"Extra Help" ONLY</b></li> <li>Single: Less than \$1,976</li> <li>Couple: Less than \$2,664</li> <li><b>Asset test limits</b> (includes savings, investments, 401k etc.):</li> <li>Single: \$17,660</li> <li>Couple: \$35,130</li> </ul>		×	×		