Scams That Take Aim at Veterans
ND SMP – Who We Are

- ND SMP has been in existence since 2006
- ND SMP is a statewide program
  - ND SMP partners with local, state and federal organizations working to empower seniors within the state.
- SMP mission – “To empower and assist Medicare beneficiaries, their families and caregivers to protect, detect, and report health care fraud, errors, and abuse through outreach, counseling, and education.”
- SMP message - Protect, Detect, Report
Scams Affecting Veterans and Veterans Organizations

- VA Imposters
- Fake Charities
- Grandparent Scams
- Benefits Scams
- Military Loans
- Job Scams
- Housing Scams

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Scam Affecting Veterans and Seniors
You’re Getting a New Medicare Card

What about the new Medicare card:

- Cards will be mailed between April 2018 – April 2019.
- Your Medicare card will have a number that’s unique to you.
- The new card won’t change coverage or benefits.

Here’s how you can get ready:

- Make sure your mailing address is up to date.
- Beware of anyone who contacts you about your new Medicare card.
- Understand that mailing everyone a new card will take some time.
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