



“The best opportunities are often the least utilized. I want to ensure that every senior in our Mohawk Valley community is able to recognize and access the resources available to them.”

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Essential Resources for Seniors in the Mohawk Valley *from*

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is helping seniors access important resources

Consumer Scam Protection

Consumer scams have caused individuals to lose millions of dollars through deception and false promises. Seniors are vulnerable to these scams and are less likely to file claims, making it more important to learn how to prevent this type of fraud before it happens.

New York has programs available to educate seniors on the risks of consumer scams and resources available to victims. For more information and tips, visit <https://ag.ny.gov/resources/individuals/consumer-issues>. You can also contact the Consumer Hotline at **800-771-7755**.

Prescription Drug Assistance

The Elderly Pharmaceutical Insurance Coverage (EPIC) Program provides secondary coverage for Medicare Part D and EPIC-covered drugs purchased after any Medicare Part D deductible

is met. Seniors can apply for EPIC at any time of the year and must be enrolled or eligible to be enrolled in a Medicare Part D drug plan. EPIC also covers approved Part D-excluded drugs once a member is enrolled in Part D.

For more information on EPIC, call **800-332-3742** or visit https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/epic/



Questions or concerns? I'm here to help!

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Important Phone Numbers

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Oneida County:

Board of Elections:315-798-5765
Department of Health:315-798-6400
Motor Vehicle Department:315-798-5749
Aging Office:315-798-5456
Department of Social Services:315-798-5700

Emergencies

Call 911

Non-Emergencies

211 Service:211
Oneida County Sheriff:315-736-8364
Oneida County Emergency Services:315-765-2527

State Assistance

Attorney General Consumer Hotline:800-771-7755
NYS Office of Victim Services:800-247-8035
Department of Tax and Finance:518-457-5181
Department of Health:855-355-5777
Suicide and Crisis Lifeline:988
Unemployment Assistance:888-209-8124
Office for the Aging Helpline:800-342-9871

Federal Assistance

Federal Trade Commission Identity
Theft Hotline:877-438-4338
Consumer Response Center:877-382-4357
Postal Service:800-275-8777
Congressman John Mannion:315-732-0713
Congresswoman Stefanik:315-541-2670
Senator Charles Schumer:315-423-5471
Senator Kirsten Gillibrand:315-448-0470
Social Security:800-772-1213

Services & Hotlines

"Do Not Call" Telemarketing Registry:888-382-1222