

S.H.I.N.E Counselors (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders)

SHINE Program at 1-800-AGE-INFO (1-800-243-4636)

Merrimack Valley SHINE Office 1-800-892-0890

Beverly Council on Aging 978-921-6017

Patricia Reade, Tuesdays 10am-1pm

Joanne Kimball, Fridays 10am-1pm

By Appointment Only

Gloucester Council on Aging 978-281-9765

Sefatia Romeo, SHINE Counselor, Tuesdays 10:30am-12pm

Fatima Calisto (In training), Thursdays 9:30am-3pm

Sign Up Sheet Posted @ GCOA

Manchester-by-the-Sea Council on Aging 978-526-7500

Nancy Hammond, Director, SHINE Counselor

Topsfield

Susan Winship 978-887-1523

Available by Appointment

Other Counseling Services

Gloucester Family Health Center, 302 Washington Street , 978-282-8899

Offers financial counseling in four languages: English, Spanish, Italian, & Portuguese.

The center has two financial advisors on staff. Hours are M-F, 8:30 - 5PM

Marisa at the Gloucester Health Clinic is able to help folks apply for MassHealth at the Standard level. These would be individuals whose income is \$923 or less per month and couples whose income is \$1,235 or less per month. She does not assist with FEW applications at this time. She can be reached at 978-282-8899. Feel free to use her for standard MassHealth application referrals.

Mediservices

ALTERNATIVELY, for a \$750 flat fee, Mediservices completes MassHealth applications regardless of complexity. Contact: Lauren Althschuler Irvine

Mediservices

100 Cummings Ctr., Ste. 331J

Beverly

978-927-3322

***Note:** SeniorCare does not specifically endorse Mediservices, but includes it in this list because nursing homes and hospitals refer patients to it.

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