ADVO.CATES for SeniorIssues

YOU'RE INVITED

IN-PERSON MEMBERSHIP MEETING

NOVEMBER 19, 2021 10am – 12pm

WHO: The Advocates for Senior Issues Members, Guests, and Sponsors

WHAT: An opportunity to be together in-person once again to ADVOCATE, LEARN, and BUILD Community while GROWING together!

WHEN: November 19, 2021 10am-12pm

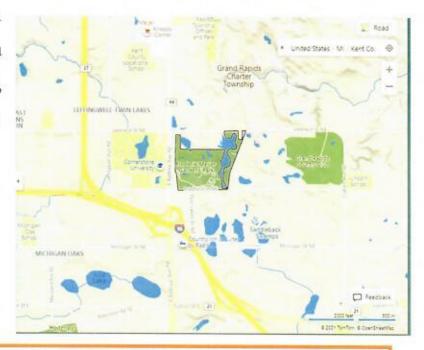
WHERE: Frederick Meijer Garden Huizenga Grand Room & Atrium 1000 E Beltline Ave NE,

Grand Rapids, MI 49525

Questions?

Please contact Advocacy Coordinator, Sheri Harris

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Back by popular demand the LUNCH VOUCHERS are available once again! Enjoy lunch after the meeting at the Café located at Frederick Meijer Garden.

BE OUR GUEST

The Advocates for Senior Issues WELCOMES guests to attend our meeting and enjoy lunch too! Don't forget to bring a friend.



The Source for Seniors

Consumers Energy

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Frederick Meijer Gardens

1000 E Beltline Ave NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49525

Friday November 19, 2021 10:00 am

AGENDA

Call to Order and Announcements: Lody Zwarensteyn, President





Mental Health

Count on Us

Robert Levine, MD

Blue Cross

Blue Shield

Legislative Presentation

Katharyn Barron, Assistant Attorney General









Skill and Compassion When You Need It Most

Barron began her career with the Attorney General's office in 1992 and has served in various roles, including the department's corrections division and state operations division. Barron has played a critical role in the Attorney General's Elder Abuse Task Force, working to protect Michigan's seniors from elder abuse, neglect and exploitation.

PEN

Parents Empowering Network







Program Presentation

"Surviving the Pandemic and Planning for the Future" Mark Eastburg, PhD

CEO of Pine Rest Christian Mental Health Services.

Chad Tuttle

Senior Vice President for Hospital and Post Acute Operations at Spectrum Health.



Joel Jason, CFP* Certified Financial Planner

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Next Meeting: January 21, 2022

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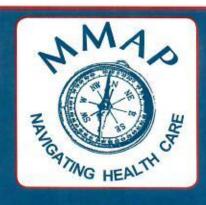


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- Free health benefits counseling assistance

How Can MMAP Help?

A MMAP counselor helps you:

- Understand new health care options
- Understand Medicare and Medicaid
- Compare or enroll in Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage
- Review your Medicare supplemental insurance needs
- Understand Medicare health plans
- Apply for Medicaid or a_ Medicare Savings Program
- Identify and report Medicare and Medicaid fraud and scams

Are Speakers Available?

MMAP speakers can cover many topics:

- Medicare and Medicaid
- Supplemental insurance
- Prescription drug coverage
- Long term care insurance
- · Medicare health plans
- Medicare/Medicaid fraud and abuse
- · New health care options

