



New York State Assembly Albany, NY 12248

What is **EPIC?**

The Elderly Pharmaceutical Insurance Coverage (EPIC) program is a New York State program for seniors administered by the Department of Health.

Last year's budget included \$93.2 million to help seniors afford their medications.

To join EPIC, a senior must:

> Be a New York State resident;

> Be 65 years or older;

Have an annual income below \$75,000 if single or \$100,000 if married;

Be enrolled or eligible to enroll in Medicare Part D (no exceptions); and

Not be receiving full Medicaid benefits.

For more information regarding the EPIC program, call 1-800-332-3742 (TTY: 1-800-290-9138).

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Veterans' Affairs
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National Consumer Voice for Quality Long-Term Care
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A	Pederal Information Center (for all locations) 1-800-333-4636
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A	The Official Health Plan Marketplace
A	NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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Golden Park Program

If you are a New York State resident 62 or older, on any weekday (except holidays), you can obtain:

Free access to state parks, boat launch sites, and arboretums (except at Walkway Over the **Hudson State Historic Park) Lake Superior** State Park, Fahnestock Winter Park, Mark Twain State Park, Soaring Eagles Golf Course and Ganondagan State Historic Site; and

Fee reduction to state historic sites and stateoperated golf courses.

Simply present your currently valid New York State Driver License or New York State Non-Driver Identification Card.*

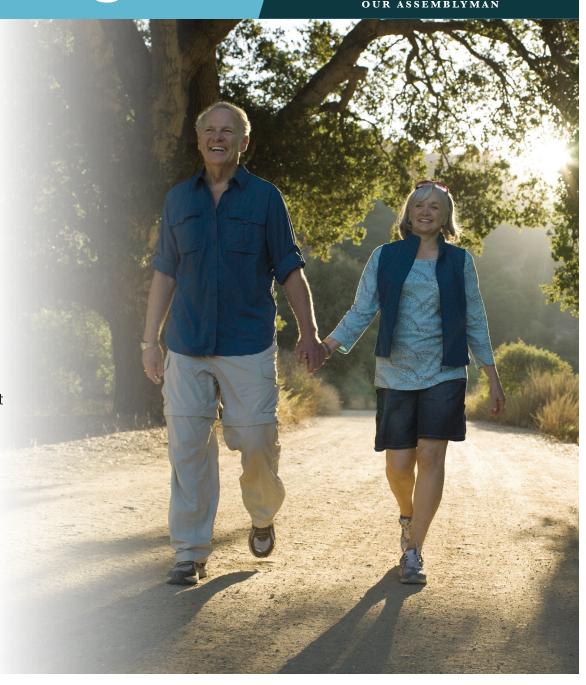
For locations with pay stations, please contact the facility directly for information. For information about facilities where this program is valid, contact the nearest state park or state park regional office.

General Information: 518-474-0456

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TTY/TDD through 711 Relay Service

*A New York State Driver License or a New York State Non-Driver Identification Card may be obtained from your local Motor Vehicle office. You may want to contact them first to be certain you bring the required forms of identification.



What is RSVP?

The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) partners with non-profit organizations in the community to engage men and women 55 and older in meaningful volunteer services.

- It provides life-changing opportunities for volunteers aged 55 and over.
- communities by mobilizing tens of thousands of hours of volunteer service.
- It strengthens public and nonprofit agencies by matching skilled volunteers with vital programs and services.

If you are interesting in volunteering or for more information regarding the RSVP program visit www.tricountyunitedway.org or call (585) 244-8400.

What is NY Connects?

NY Connects helps anyone who needs information on long-term services and supports children with disabilities, older adults, family members and caregivers, friends or neighbors, veterans, and helping professionals.

NY Connects can help you ...

Find care and support Remain independent Understand care options Find transportation Learn about supports in caregiving Find supported employment programs Get answers about Medicare Apply for medical and other benefits

For more information regarding NY Connects, visit www.nyconnects.

Senior Citizens Real Property Tax Exemption

Local governments and school districts in New York State can opt to grant a reduction on the amount of property taxes paid by qualifying senior citizens. This is accomplished by reducing the taxable assessment of the senior's home.

To qualify, seniors generally must be 65 years of age or older and meet certain income limitations and other requirements. To see if your locality provides a tax exemption, call your local assessor.





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