



BlueCross BlueShield of Alabama

Dear *Blue Advantage* Member:

Attached is the disenrollment form you asked for. Please choose one of the following steps to disenroll:

1. Fill out the whole form, sign it, and send it back to us in the enclosed envelope. You can also fax the form with a readable signature and date to us at 1 888 246-0230.
2. Visiting your local Social Security Office or Railroad Retirement Board Office.
3. Call 1 800 MEDICARE (1 800 633-4227). TTY users should call 1 877 486-2048.

You must keep using Blue Advantage doctors until your disenrollment date. To avoid any unexpected expenses, you may want to contact us to make sure you've been disenrolled before you seek medical services outside of Blue Advantage's network.

IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT MEDIGAP RIGHTS

If you will be changing to the Original Medicare Plan you might have a special temporary right to buy a Medigap policy, also known as Medicare supplement insurance, even if you have health problems. You do not have to buy Medigap insurance to get coverage under the Original Medicare Plan.

You may have a special temporary right to buy a Medigap policy if any of the following apply to you:

- **Medigap Open Enrollment** - If you are age 65 or older and you enrolled in Medicare Part B within the past 6 months.
- **Moving** - If you move out of *Blue Advantage's* service area you need to apply for a Medigap policy no later than 63 days after the date your coverage in our plan ends.
- **Loss of Medicaid** - If you have been receiving any form of medical assistance (Medicaid) from the State (for example, if Medicaid was paying your Medicare premiums, deductibles or coinsurance) and you recently lost your Medicaid coverage, you can choose to disenroll from our plan and change to the Original Medicare Plan. If you change to the Original Medicare Plan and you would like to buy a Medigap policy, you should apply for a Medigap policy no later than 63 days after your coverage in our plan ends.