

# A quick look at your Medicare coverage choices

There are 2 main choices for how you get your Medicare coverage. These choices will be explained in more detail on the next page and throughout this book.

## Option 1: Original Medicare

*(See pages 61–64)*

This includes Part A and B.



**Part A**  
Hospital Insurance



**Part B**  
Medical Insurance

**You can add:**

*(See pages 83–96)*



**Part D**  
Medicare Prescription  
Drug Coverage

**You can also add:**

*(See pages 79–82)*



**Medigap**  
**Medicare Supplement Insurance**  
(Medigap policies help pay your out-of-pocket costs in Original Medicare.)

## Option 2: Medicare Advantage (Part C)

*(See pages 65–78)*

These plans are like HMOs or PPOs, and typically include Part A, B, and D.



**Part A**  
Hospital Insurance



**Part B**  
Medical Insurance



**Part D**  
Medicare Prescription  
Drug Coverage

(Most plans cover prescription drugs. If yours doesn't, you may be able to join a separate Part D plan.)