You must enroll in a Supplemental Security Income (SSI) HMO for your health care services. You will soon get an enrollment packet that includes an HMO Program Guide and Choice Booklet (pictured right) that will help you to choose the SSI HMO that is best for you.

In the past, SSI members could choose to opt out from an SSI HMO after an initial 60-day trial period. Starting January 1, 2018, this process is changing in order to improve the quality of health care benefits you get.

You will still have access to the same health care services. Benefits of an SSI HMO include:

• Better access to care.
• Coordinated care.
• Increased quality of care.
• Member safeguards.

If you do not choose an SSI HMO, one will be chosen for you, and you will be enrolled in that SSI HMO effective February 1, 2018.

• If you wish to change your assigned SSI HMO before February 1, 2018, you must do so by January 31, 2018, by contacting an HMO enrollment specialist at 1-800-291-2002 or mailing in your choice form from your SSI enrollment packet.
• You may also change your SSI HMO anytime during your first 90 days of enrollment.

How to Make Your Choice
Call an HMO enrollment specialist at 1-800-291-2002 for more information about this change. They can answer your questions and enroll you in the SSI HMO of your choice. Interpreter and hearing-impaired services are available.

To Learn More
For more information, you can attend a public meeting on Wednesday, January 10, 2018, at 1:30 — 3:30 p.m. or 5 — 7 p.m. at Northcentral Technical College, 1000 W. Campus Drive, Wausau, WI 54401. You can also go to www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/medicaid/hmo-2018chnq.htm.