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## Watch falls prevention in action

If you've heard of evidence-based falls prevention programs, but aren't sure exactly what they are, our new videos are for you. Watch and share these shorts that detail 4 programs designed to empower seniors to stay on their feet.

[Watch now](#)

*Nov. 29, 2016*

## President-elect announces choices for HHS, CMS

President-elect Donald Trump has nominated Rep. Tom Price (R-GA) to lead the Department of Health & Human Services (HHS) and Seema Verma as administrator of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). Price, who must be confirmed by the Senate, is chairman of the House Budget Committee and has played a key role in developing legislation to replace the Affordable Care Act (ACA). Verma is best known for helping Vice President-elect Mike Pence design Indiana's Medicaid expansion under the ACA. NCOA and other aging advocates are concerned that Price is a strong proponent of repealing the ACA, replacing Medicare with vouchers, and turning Medicaid into a block grant program—changes that would likely impact seniors' access to health care and increase their out-of-pocket costs.

[Read Trump's statement](#)

## Medicare Open Enrollment ends next week

For older adults, switching their Medicare Advantage or Part D plan by Dec. 7 could save them hundreds of dollars a year. Before the deadline passes, please share our Complete Guide to Medicare Open Enrollment with the seniors you serve.

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## Last chance: Present at Senior Centers 2017

*Senior Centers 2017: Fostering Well-Centered Aging* is next year's must-attend conference for senior center professionals! The event is set for June 14-16 in Oak Brook, IL. Applications to present a session at the conference are due Nov. 30.

[Apply now](#) | [Be an exhibitor](#) | [Read highlights from Senior Centers 2016](#)

### *Coming up...*

- **Seniors & SNAP: Promising Enrollment Strategies:** Learn the latest in senior outreach, application assistance, and follow-up for SNAP. *Nov. 30 @ 3 p.m. ET*
- **Facilitating Transportation to Evidence-Based Programs:** Explore resources to help individuals in your community stay connected to health care services. *Jan. 24 @ 3 p.m. ET*

### *Did you miss this?*

- **Election 2016: What's on the Horizon for Aging Policy:** While much is still uncertain, here are some things we can expect in the near future.
- **Savvy Saving Seniors®:** Get everything you need to host a financial education workshop for seniors in your community.

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