

NUTRITIONAL DRINK SCAM WARNING

Don't accept "free"
nutritional drinks from
anyone, for any reason.

Giving out your Medicare
number for these drinks,
which **Medicare generally
doesn't cover**, puts you at
risk for being enrolled in
hospice or other services
you don't need and could
be **harmful to you**.

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The Senior Medicare Patrol is warning people about a new scam involving nutritional shakes. People are offering seniors "free" nutritional drinks at senior living facilities, public fairs, and even grocery stores in exchange for their Medicare number. When they get their Medicare information, these scammers are signing the seniors up for hospice services. This is incredibly dangerous because once signed up for hospice services, any curative services (surgeries, medications, treatments) will be denied. Please share this with every older adult you know. Never accept "free" services or products from someone saying they just need your Medicare information. If you have been approached about "free" nutritional shakes, please report this to the Wisconsin Senior Medicare Patrol right away at 1-888-818-2611