



We are RISE (Retirees investing in Social Equity) Delaware!

We are a group of retired State of Delaware (SOD) employees and retirees whose employers participate in the SOD retiree healthcare plan. We are working together to protect and secure our original Medicare and the Medicfill plan promised to us. Except for our law firms, we are all volunteers who began this fight in 2022.

Why RISE Delaware continues to fight for 30,000 retirees, as well as future retirees:

Many retirees are diagnosed with life threatening conditions or have chronic medical problems that need regular monitoring and attention. Medicare Advantage harms you by taking control of your Medicare, requiring massive prior authorizations, allowing doctors and medical facilities only in their limited network, charging co-pays and denying much needed diagnostics and procedures.

What RISE Delaware has accomplished so far:

- Generated thousands of emails, letters to legislators and other officials to try to keep our Medicfill supplement plan and stop Medicare Advantage.
- Written numerous published articles and opinion pieces in local media to explain to retirees what is at stake. Offered hours of legislative and committee testimony. Received national publicity for our fight.
- Brought litigation that has succeeded, so far, to stop the SOD from implementing Medicare Advantage before June 2024. Our legal and political battles are far from over, however. We want to prevent Medicare Advantage from ever happening to us which requires continuing the litigation and political fight.
- Named as one of the “most valuable to the progressive cause” by Delaware Liberal blog and most “politically influential” by the News Journal.

How you can help RISE Delaware:

- Visit our website www.risede.com and join our email list: <https://www.risede.com/RD-join.html>
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