CALLER Helping People. Changing Lives. Dedicated to September 2016

Making a Difference











INCA is very fortunate to have so many loyal, dedicated and passionate staff. Several staff members were presented with years of service awards at the OKACAA Annual Conference on September 23, 2016 in Oklahoma City.

30 Years: Fay Webster 25 Years: LaToy Eldred 20 Years: Pamela Springer 15 Years: Colene Dodson, Mary Garrison, Timothy Hardy, Pamela Sanders, Sandra Trevino 10 Years: Erica Pogue, Ollie Cook Thanks to all our staff who are committed to our mission.



SO FAR IN 2016. WE HAVE SERVED...

SELF SUFFICIENY 278 OUTREACH / REFERRAL

329 PRESCRIPTION/

867 TAX PREP

LIVING CONDITIONS 247 QUALITY OF

INDEPENDENT LIVING 131 SENIORS

176 DISABLED

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE **3,241** FOOD/RENT/ CLOTHING/ETC

INCA'S MEDICAL LENDING CLOSET MAKING STRIDES TO IMPROVE LIVES



INCA Medical Lending Closet was able to provide a much needed walker and electric wheel chair to two individuals in Atoka and Murray County. These items help to maintain a quality of life for the individuals but also helps to sustain their independence and overall happiness by allowing them to do chores and tasks we sometimes take for

granted. Without the aid of these items it would be difficult to have the mobility to complete things, much less just be able to get outside and enjoy the sunshine. We appreciate all the donations from the community that allow us to provide these items to individuals in need and continue a cycle of helping others.



JLives



So far for the current program year, JAMM has provided...

17,883 elderly rides
15,749 disabled rides
93,509 public rides
FOR A TOTAL OF 127,141 PASSENGER TRIPS
738,599 revenue miles

September 2016 INCA INFORMER

RX for Oklahoma had 142 unduplicated participants for FY2016, 71 were surveyed

The Rx for Oklahoma program has saved hundreds of thousands of dollars to the people within our counties and surrounding areas. The success of the program is evident by participants responses to what they are able to do with the money they saved from the program:



Improve Health	30%
Pay utility bills	16%
Pay medical bills	11%
Buy household needs	11%
Buy other medicine	8%
Fewer doctor visits	7 %
Maintain or find employment	7 %
Fewer emergency room visits	5%
Other	4%

Of the individuals surveyed an average savings of \$240,300 per year, averaging \$282 per person per month.

Improving Health & Finances



INCA-RSVP volunteers came together to honor those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001 by serving communities and giving back. They were joined by thousands across the country commemorate the #911Day of Service and Remembrance.



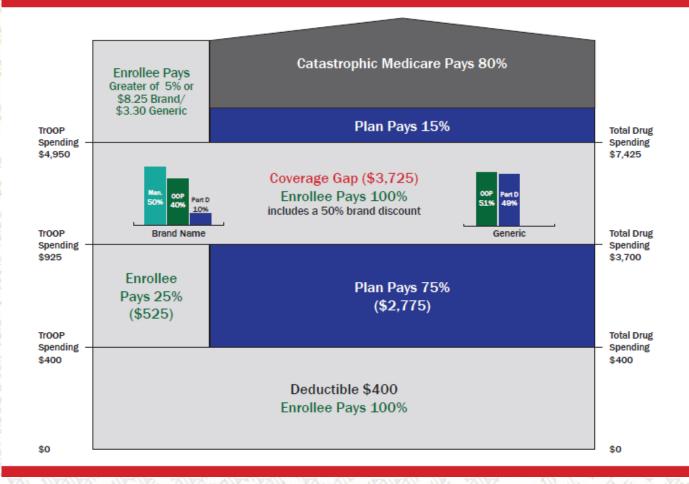






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Overview of Medicare Part D Standard Benefit 2017



DO YOU SUFFER WITH MIGRAINE HEADACHES?

<u>RX for Oklahoma</u> at INCA can help your doctor enroll you for FREE medication from the pharmaceutical company for medically necessary control of migraines!

Most common migraine triggers: Tyramine and Nitrites

<u>Tyramine</u> is an amino acid that triggers our bodies to release hormones that cause blood vessels to constrict which will rebound and dilate at some point beginning the migraine throb. Tyramine is found in chocolate, red wine and aged cheese.

<u>Nitrites</u> are used to preserve foods. Nitrites are found in hotdogs, canned meats and bologna. Nitrates often cause the blood vessels in the head and body to dilate painfully triggering the throbbing migraine.

If you suffer with migraine headaches try to remember if you have ate one of these trigger foods and avoid future pain.

MIGRAINE NO MORE DESCRIPTION ASSISTA

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS



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September 2016

JAMM TRANSIT

Flex Drivers (All counties) Operates a transit vehicle, as assigned, for the transporting of participants in the transit programs, following established policies, practices and procedures.

HEAD START

No open positions at this time

RAVE

Habilitation Training Specialist-HTS (Atoka, Bryan, McCurtain, Pushmataha) Help train individuals on certain tasks to help them become more independent for themselves. These can be daily living skills such as cleaning tasks, personal hygiene, etc. This depends on the actual person what you would be training on. HTS jobs right now would be fill-in positions as needed and are available in all counties.

Daily Living Support Staff-DLS (Atoka) Assists individual(s) with developmental disabilities in acquiring and maintaining individually prescribed self-help, socialization and adaptive skills necessary to reside in a home or community-based setting. Daily living support services are provided to the individual for supervision issues who needs 24/7 care with goals to be worked on daily so the individual can reside successfully and accomplish tasks they would normally do for themselves if they did not have a disability in the home they lease or own by providing supervision and oversight.

JOIN OUR TEAM

For more information about INCA's employment opportunities please visit www.incacaa.org/page/employment

DONATIONS NEEDED

We need your help!

INCA's Medical Lending Closet

is in need of donated

wheelchairs

Contact your local INCA county office for more info: Johnston: 371-2352 Atoka: 889-5193

Marshall:795-2372

Murray: 622-5206



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