Additional Helpful Health Insurance Information

- **60-day SEP** (Special Enrollment Period) **to enroll in healthcare.gov plan** (your employer health insurance coverage ends on the last day of the month your employment, or severance, ends)
- Can enroll any day during the month (Marketplace coverage starts first day of following month)
- **30-day SEP** to enroll in other **employer coverage** (i.e., spouse's employer) from the date your employer coverage ends

Contact Numbers and Information

- Group informational and enrollment sessions will be offered locally for colleagues to get in-person oneon-one assistance for Marketplace, WI Medicaid/BadgerCare or Medicare coverage. HSHS will notify you of the dates and locations in your healthcare portal.
- Family Health Center of Marshfield, Inc. licensed Navigators: Call 800-942-5420 or email <u>fhcmarkettm@familyhealthcenter.org</u>
 - Phone prescreening first, then appointment for services scheduled by phone, computer, or inperson
 - Free expert and unbiased assistance
- Covering Wisconsin, Inc. licensed Navigators: 608-261-1455 or https://coveringwi.org
- WisCovered.com: website that has information on health insurance options and connections to assisters
- Wisconsin BadgerCare/Medicaid programs: <u>https://access.wisconsin.gov/access/</u>
- Healthcare.gov website ("Marketplace" or "Obamacare"): <u>https://healthcare.gov</u>
 - Be careful of "copycat" sites that look like the correct or similar one
 - If it asks for a phone number immediately, it is NOT the correct site
 - Can do "window shopping" by entering "see plans & prices" into the search box on healthcare.gov site: will ask for zip code/county, ages of everyone in tax household, if anyone has other coverage, estimated gross income for 2024; will give you estimated advanced premium tax credit amount first, then you can look at plans. Can enter your preferred doctors or clinics, prescriptions, etc. to narrow down choices
 - We do not recommend that you call and enroll over the phone with the Marketplace call center unless you have already done research on coverage options and are ready to enroll in a plan
 - Search "find local help" for qualified agents and assisters
- Security Health Plan, Medica, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, and Quartz offer plans on healthcare.gov
 - o 55 plans offered
 - Bronze (low cost, high deductible)
 - o Silver- possible cost sharing reductions on deductibles, copays, coinsurance or out of pocket maximum
 - Gold (higher cost, may have lower deductibles)