

NYC Retiree Call Script for the State Bill

Who You Are:

Hello, my name is **[Your Name]**, and I am a member of the NYC Organization of Public Service Retirees. I retired from _____ (where did you work)

Why You're Calling:

I'm calling to ask **[Elected Official's Name]** to protect NYC retirees from being forced into a Medicare Advantage plan and from having to pay new copays for doctor visits. I am asking your member to support _____ (NYS Senate bill 9945)

******FOR THE SENATE: Senate bill S.9945 (We do not have an Assembly number yet)**

Key Message:

I am a Retiree living on fixed income and cannot afford new healthcare costs. We were promised stable coverage. Medicare Advantage plans limit access to doctors and hospitals and delay and deny care.

Your Ask:

Please oppose any move to Medicare Advantage and reject new out-of-pocket costs for retirees.

Close:

Thank you for your time.

If You Reach Voicemail:

Hello, my name is **[Your Name]**, I am a constituent or I am a member of the NYC Organization of Public Service Retirees. I'm calling to urge **[Elected Official's Name]** to oppose moving retirees into Medicare Advantage and reject new copays. Retirees cannot afford added costs. Please protect our healthcare. Thank you.