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"Knowledge Is Valuable; Add Action And They Are Pivotal"

Tips:

- PLAN, PLAN, PLAN: the sooner you start planning, the better.
- Use professionals to guide you through the process of applying for Medicaid.
- Be sure you have documented all of your assets, particularly any that are located in another state and in any county in Ohio.
- For individuals who are on Medicare and Social Security and/or moving onto Medicaid, it is critical that the documents meet the requirements of the federal agencies, and make sure you keep the documents up-to-date!
- Do not assume assets must be spent down to \$2,000....there are exceptions (e.g. prepaid funeral costs), so be sure you have the correct information
- If you are denied, follow appeals process and utilize a professional to help you if you have not already done so
- Make your own legal decisions for yourself which will give you peace of mind; do not be fearful.
- If you have not created a legal plan, the ramifications will be resolved through a court process

RESOURCES:

The United States Medicaid Program, "Keeping America Healthy" <u>https://www.medicaid.gov/</u> Overview of Medicaid State Programs <u>https://www.medicaid.gov/state-overviews/index.html</u> U.S. Department of Health and Human Services <u>https://www.hhs.gov/answers/medicare-and-</u> <u>medicaid/who-is-eligible-for-medicaid/index.html</u>

Ohio Department of Medicaid <u>https://medicaid.ohio.gov/</u> Ohio Medicaid Consumer Hotline <u>https://www.ohiomh.com/</u> Ohio Job & Family Services County Offices (enrollment) <u>https://jfs.ohio.gov/County/County_Directory.pdf</u>

"Ten Things To Know About Medicaid" <u>https://www.kff.org/medicaid/issue-brief/10-things-to-know-about-medicaid/</u>