

## ARE YOU REACHING AGE 65 SOON?

- You should visit your local Social Security Administration office. There is a seven-month window (3 months before your 65<sup>th</sup> birthday, the month of your 65<sup>th</sup> birthday, and 3 months after your 65<sup>th</sup> birthday).
- If you plan to continue working, there is no need to sign up for Part A and/or Part B of Medicare. **(NOTE: If you sign up for any part of Medicare, you are no longer eligible to contribute to your Health Savings Account.)**
- Once you decide to retire, you must sign up for Medicare within eight months of your retirement date or there will be a penalty. If you continue working as a substitute, this does not count as active employment.

**IMPORTANT:** If you sign up for any part of Medicare, please provide a copy of your Medicare card to the Human Resources Office as soon as possible.

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