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TEXAS RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

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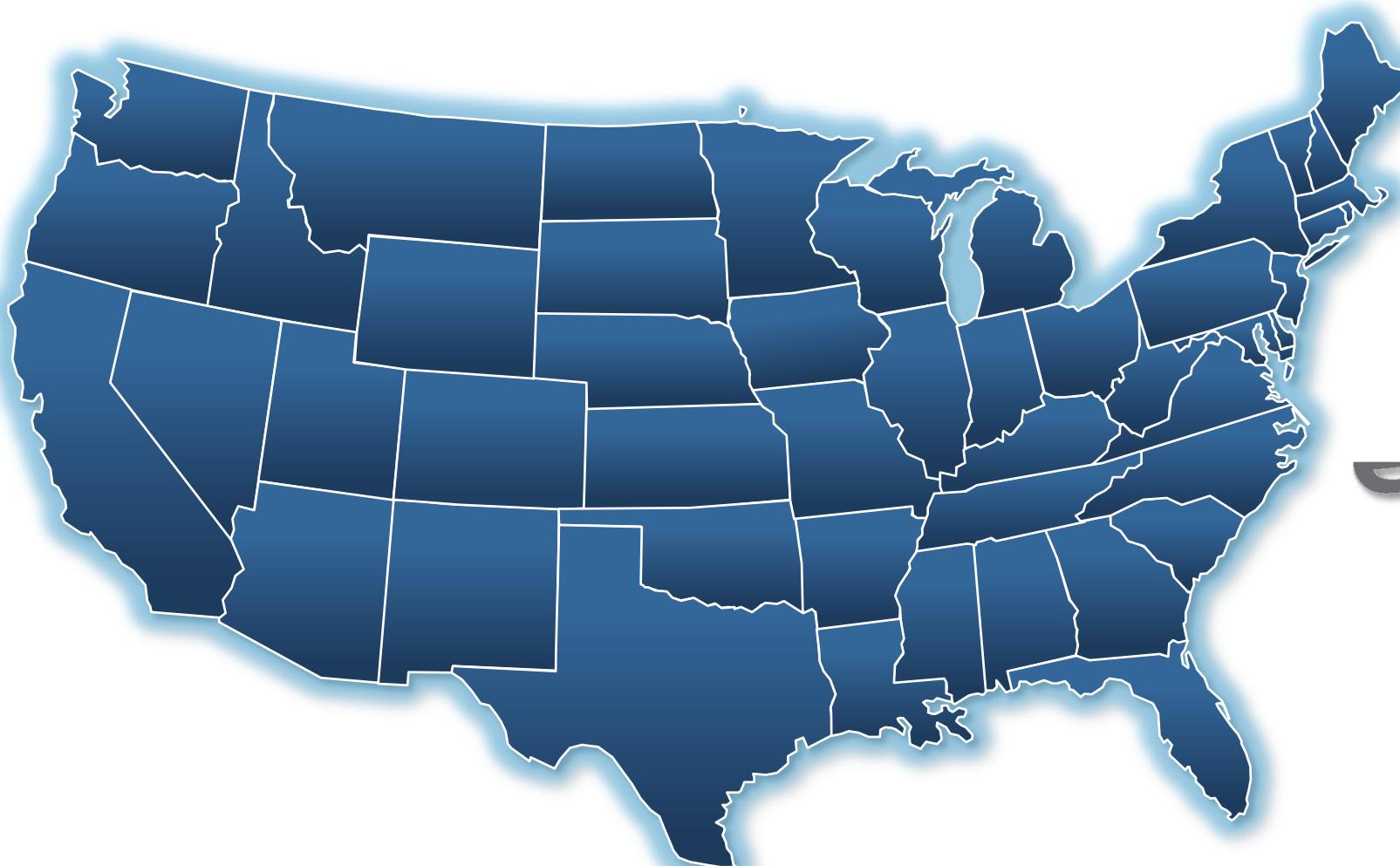
- AMBA 21 Years
- TRTA Member 21 Years!
- 3 daughters – 1 son
- 13 grandchildren
- 9 Great grandchildren
- # dogs – Aoggie, Lucy, and Ricki
- I love doing crafts, fishing, camping, and hold family gatherings





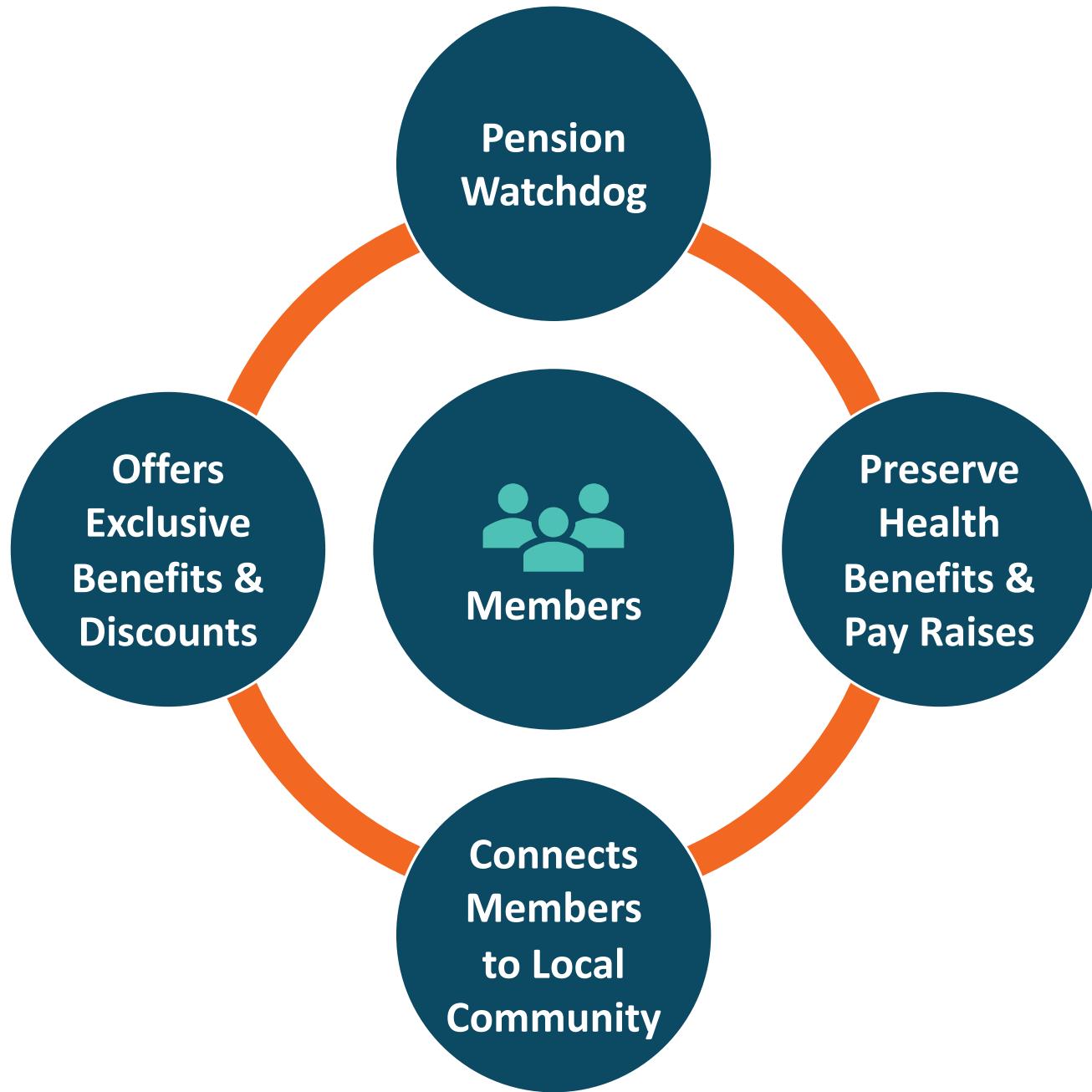
# Who We Serve

AMBA has been serving associations for over 40 years. We serve 80+ client associations across all 50 states, representing 17.6 million members and potential members.



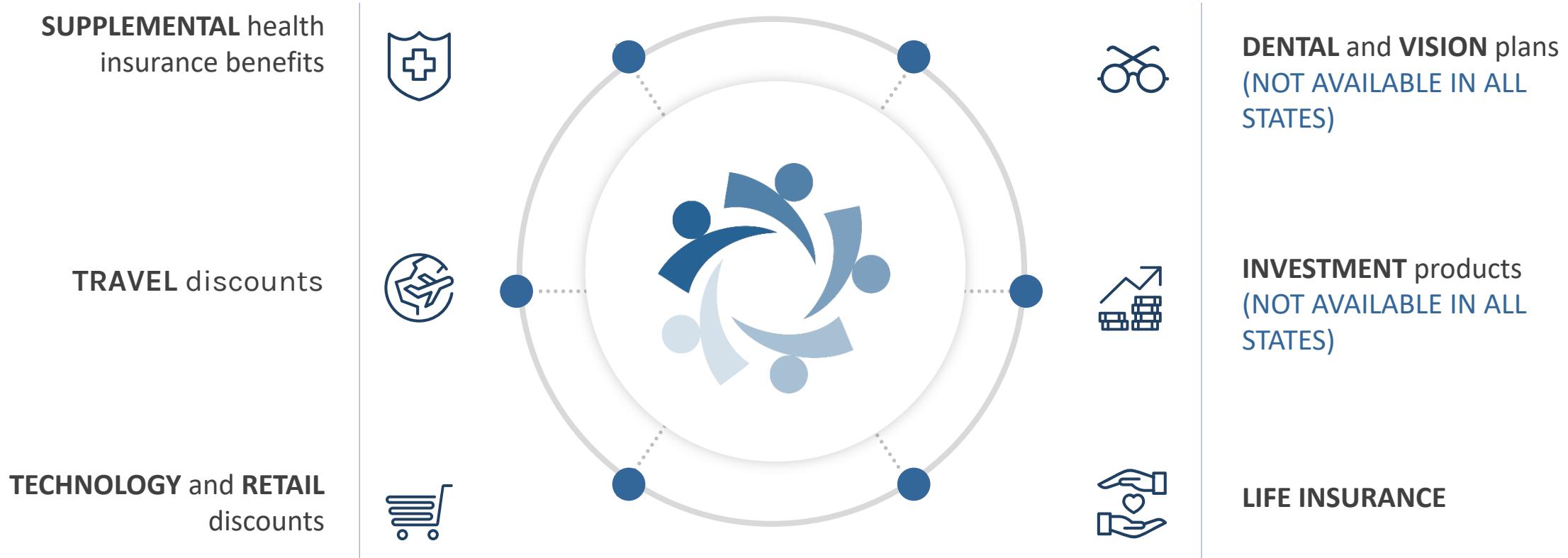
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# How Impacts the Forces Affecting their Members

# AMBA IS THE PREFERRED ASSOCIATION PARTNER FOR ACCESS TO DISCOUNTS AND BEST-IN-CLASS INSURANCE PRODUCTS



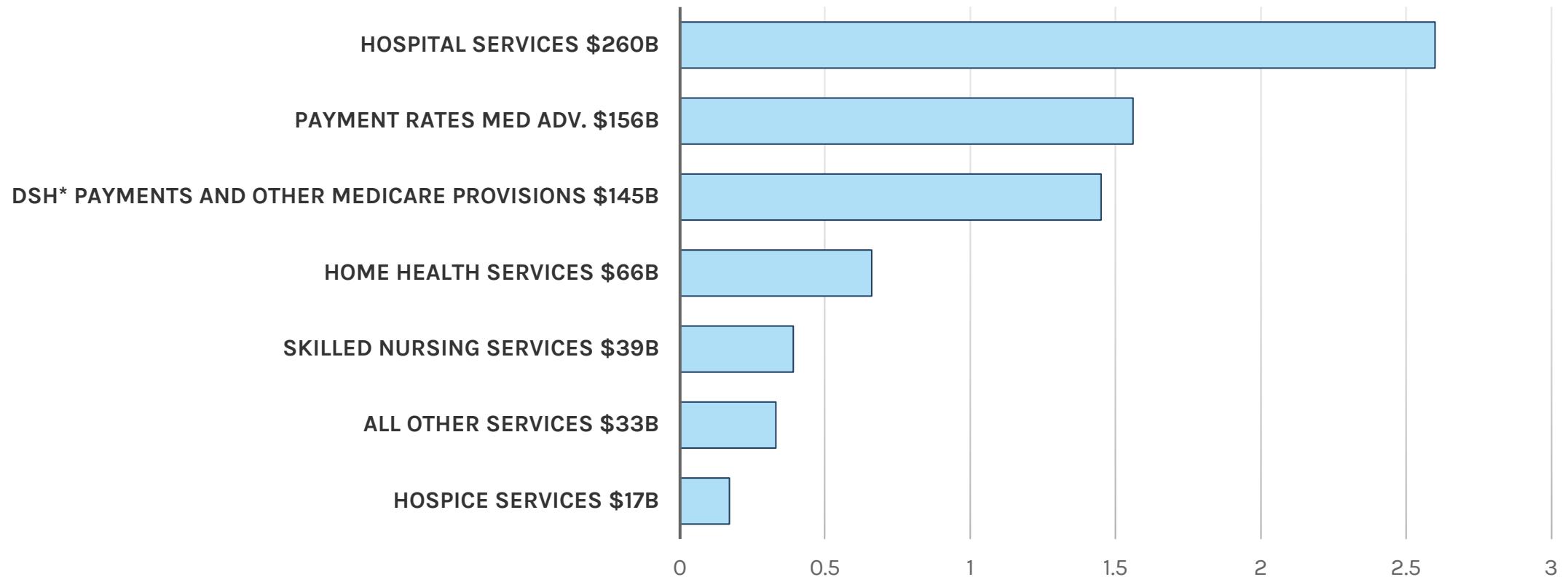
## OUR GOAL

- To provide understanding for all programs you have and what is available to you
- Make sure you're up-to-date on any changes that may occur with your programs
- Find ways to save you money
- Help identify gaps in coverage



# \$716 BILLION CUT FROM MEDICARE

## Cuts in Medicare 2013-2022 (Billions)



# HOME HEALTH AND FACILITY CARE



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## SAVE ON THE GO WITH PASSPORT MEMBERSHIP



## MOBILE APP

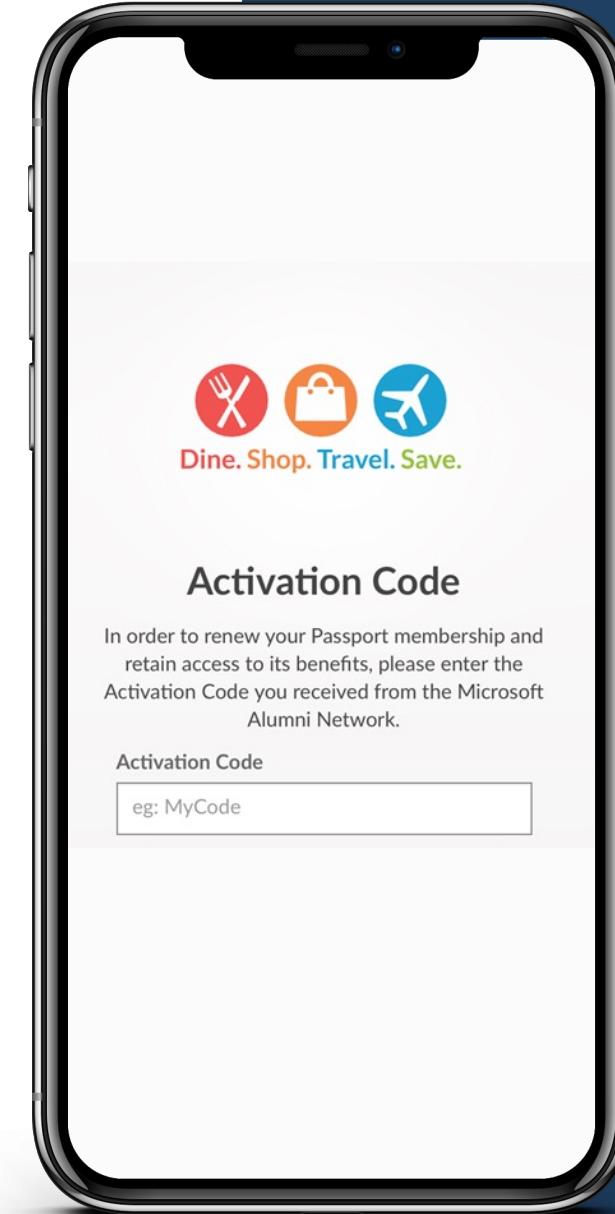


Available as a free download for Android and iOS devices!

Here's how to sign up using your phone or tablet:

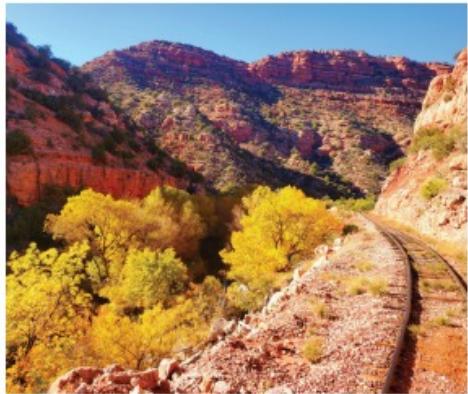
Download the Passport Mobile app from your app store or Google Play

1. Select “Other Sign in Options” and “Sign in with an Activation Code”
2. Use Activation Code “\_\_\_\_\_” to access the program
3. Complete your profile and start saving!



2026

# TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRTA MEMBERS



# 2026 Unique Journeys – Start Planning Now



MAY 26 – 30, 2026

**SAIL 250®**  
—NEW ORLEANS, LA  
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AUGUST 21 – SEPTEMBER 1, 2026

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& SCOTTISH HIGHLANDS**



NOVEMBER 1 – 6, 2026

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—WASHINGTON, D.C.

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SEPTEMBER 20 – 26, 2026

**THE “NOT BACK TO SCHOOL” CRUISE  
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YOUR WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE INCLUDES:

*Exclusive TRTA special meetings & events during Days at Sea!*

- 6-nights' accommodations onboard the *Symphony of the Seas*
- All included meals and entertainment while onboard the *Symphony of the Seas*
- Prepaid shipboard gratuities for restaurant & stateroom services
- Deluxe beverage package inclusive of service charges
- \$50 onboard credit per cabin
- + more!

YOUR WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE ITINERARY:			
DAY	PORT OF CALL	ARRIVE	DEPART
SEPT 20	Galveston, Texas		4:00 PM
SEPT 21	Day at Sea + Exclusive TRTA special meetings & events	—	—
SEPT 22	Puerto Costa Maya, Mexico	11:59 AM	7:00 PM
SEPT 23	Roatan, Honduras	7:00 AM	3:00 PM
SEPT 24	Cozumel, Mexico	7:00 AM	5:00 PM
SEPT 25	Day at Sea + Exclusive TRTA special meetings & events	—	—
SEPT 26	Galveston, Texas	7:00 AM	

All itineraries are subject to change without notice.

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What happens to your Retirement Nest Egg if the Stock Market drops 50% or you have to take an ambulance ride?

# How Do You Protect Yourself Against These Threats?

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## ➤ **Tax Deferred Asset Protection Plan**

- Guaranteed Interest Rates
- Enhanced withdrawal options
- Lifetime income stream
- Potential Long-Term Care Included

## ➤ **MASA Shield Plan**

- Emergency transportation covered
- Pays what health coverage won't
- Ground and air ambulance
- Travel or at home

# ASSEST PROTECTION PLAN

- Your nest egg and financial security is always our **priority**; I wanted to share an exciting opportunity that could enhance your retirement savings while safeguarding your principal.
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- We have a financial solution designed to offer you the best of both worlds: the potential for growth and the security of knowing you won't lose money due to market downturns. You have worked hard in the public sector to build your portfolio and now in retirement we want to protect your nest egg without paying fees.
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- Here's what makes the Fixed Index Annuity an attractive option:
- 
- **Growth Potential:** Your savings could grow based on the performance of a market index, such as the S&P 500, without being directly invested in the market. This means you can benefit from potential market gains.
- **Principal Protection:** Unlike direct investments in the stock market, a Fixed Index Annuity ensures that your principal is protected from market losses. No matter how the market performs, your initial investment remains secure.
- **Tax-Deferred Growth:** Your money grows tax-deferred, meaning you won't pay taxes on the interest earned until you start receiving payments, allowing your savings to compound more effectively.
- **Flexibility and Control:** With a variety of options available, you can choose the annuity that best fits your financial goals, whether you're looking for guaranteed income in retirement or simply want to grow your savings with minimal risk.
- I believe this could be a valuable addition to your financial strategy, especially in today's uncertain market environment. We welcome the opportunity to present you with an illustration to review and discuss how this could fit into your overall retirement plan. This will show how you can earn in the future.

# Emergency Medical Transportation



**New!!!**

# Emergency Shield Plus

Plan includes **30 benefits** – building upon Platinum, Emergency Shield Plus is MASA's most comprehensive offer

## Core transportation benefits

- ✓ Emergency Ground Ambulance Coverage<sup>1</sup>
- ✓ Emergency Air Ambulance Coverage<sup>1</sup>
- ✓ Hospital to Hospital Ground Ambulance Coverage<sup>1</sup>
- ✓ Hospital to Hospital Air Ambulance Coverage<sup>1</sup>
- ✓ Worldwide Emergency Ground Ambulance Coverage<sup>3</sup>
- ✓ Worldwide Emergency Air Ambulance Coverage<sup>3</sup>
- ✓ Worldwide Hospital to Hospital Ground Ambulance Coverage<sup>3</sup>
- ✓ Worldwide Hospital to Hospital Air Ambulance Coverage<sup>3</sup>
- ✓ Repatriation to Hospital Near Home Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Cruise Ship Evacuation Coverage<sup>2</sup>

## Benefits for a safe return after your emergency

- ✓ Patient Return Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Companion Return Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Minor Return Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Pet Return Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Vehicle & RV Return Coverage<sup>1</sup>
- ✓ Worldwide Vehicle & RV Return Coverage<sup>3</sup>
- ✓ Cruise Ship Return Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Mortal Remains Return Air Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>

## Benefits for those you love

- ✓ Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Companion Emergency Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Hospital Visitor Air Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Hospital Visitor Ground Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>

## Benefits that protect you beyond the emergency

- ✓ Post Admission Continued Care Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Sick While Away from Home Expense Protection<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Medical Payments Advisor<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Hospital Private Room Upgrade<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Extended Hospital Stay Incidental Expense Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Organ Retrieval Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Organ Recipient Transportation Coverage<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ Transportation Interruption Expense Coverage<sup>3</sup>

1: United States only., 2: Worldwide., 3: Outside of the United States.

Worldwide coverage to include any region with the exclusion of Antarctica and not prohibited by U.S. law or under certain U.S. travel advisories as long as the member has provided ten (10) day notice.

For additional information and disclosures about MASA plans, visit: <https://info.masamts.com/consumer-disclaimers>

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# The Real Cost of Ground Ambulance



Whether you go four miles or 90, there may be charges from the ambulance company that your insurance does not cover.



Department, or by mailing in a check with a copy of this invoice.  
 \*\*Por favor llame a Servicio al Cliente al numero que aparece abajo. Gracias\*\*

CODE	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	UNITS CHARGE	TOTAL CHARGE
A0427	ALS EMERGENCY	1	\$1,252.34	\$1,252.34
A0425	MILEAGE	4	\$16.09	\$64.36
Transported 4 miles.				
				
TOTAL CHARGES DUE				\$1,316.70
SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSURANCE INFORMATION OR FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO PAY YOUR BILL ONLINE.				
Send billing inquiries to: AMERICAN MEDICAL RESPONSE				

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## DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES

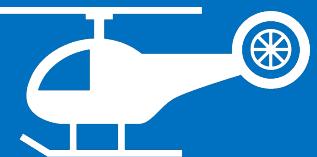
	HCPC	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
Base Rate Rotor Wing	A0431	1.0	30880.00	30880.00
Loaded Miles Rotor Wing	A0436	67.1	314.88	21128.45
ALS disposable Supplies	A0398	1.0	289.20	289.20
Fentanyl Citrate (Sublimaze)	J3010	1.0	37.16	37.16
IV Push	96374	1.0	237.16	237.16
Nitroglycerin IV (Tridil)	J3490	1.0	158.44	158.44
EKG Monitoring 3 Leads	93041	1.0	117.39	117.39
EKG Tracing 12 Leads	93005	1.0	100.61	100.61

**TOTAL CHARGES:**

**\$52,948.41**

\$52,948.41 Denied by Insurance = balance DUE of \$52,948.41

# The Real Cost of Air Ambulance



This real example is from one of members in Fort Worth, TX. Even with insurance, it did not cover the air ambulance expense.

# WHY do I need MASA?



## Individual and Family Plans

Members save 40%!

Individual - \$50 per month

Family - \$67 per month



## Best Coverage Available

Home

US travel

International Travel

Ground

Air

## Exclusive for TRTA members

Additional features and benefits for members only

No claims paperwork

24/7 Support

## Special Pricing for TRTA Meetings

\$60 membership fee is waived!



# TRTA CHAPTER PRESIDENT RESOURCES



## CONTACTS TO SCHEDULE AMBA SPEAKERS

AMBA REPRESENTATIVE	TRTA DISTRICT	PHONE NUMBER	EMAIL ADDRESS
Carla Koerth	1,2,13,15,17,18,20	830-730-6622	carla.koerth@getamba.com

### 7 SPEAKING TOPICS AVAILABLE (EACH 7-15 MINS)

- Intro to TRTA Benefits
- Passport Discounts and Benefits
- Emergency Transportation Issues in Texas
- Home and Elder Care
- Impact of a Critical Illness
- 4 Major Gaps for Seniors
- Final Expenses

### LUNCH-AND-LEARN SEMINAR AND NEW MEMBER PROSPECTING

- AMBA can host lunch-and-learn seminars in your area
- Topics available:
  - » Introduction to TRTA Benefits
  - » Emergency Transportation Issues in Texas



SCAN THE QR CODE TO SCHEDULE  
AN AMBA REPRESENTATIVE TO PRESENT  
AT YOUR LOCAL CHAPTER MEETING

