2023 Retirement Calendar Checklist

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Use this calendar checklist to look ahead throughout the year to track important deadlines and actions you must take for your finances and health care. Questions? Just give us a call and we'll be glad to help. (Note: No deadlines in May, July, or August.)

JANUARI	FLDRUARI	MARCII
 1st: Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period starts (ends Mar. 31)* 	 1st–28th: Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period continues* 	 1st-31st: Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period deadline*
 1st: Medicare General Enrollment Period starts (ends Mar. 31)** 	 1st–28th: Medicare General Enrollment Period continues ** 	 1st-31st: Medicare General Enrollment Period deadline**
 17th: Pay your estimated taxes for Q4 of 2022 by this date 	O Start organizing your 2022 taxes	○ 12th: Turn your clocks ahead!
APRIL	JUNE	SEPTEMBER
18th: File your taxes or apply for extension	15th: Pay your 2023 Q2 estimated taxes	○ 15th: Pay your 2023 Q3 estimated taxes
○ 18th: Pay your 2023 Q1 estimated taxes	O 21st: Longest day of the year. Enjoy summer!	 30th: Last day to determine beneficiaries after an IRA owner's death
	(C) *	Begin Final Quarter Tasks
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
 1st: Extended trust and estate income tax returns due 	 1st-30th: Medicare Advantage and drug plan open enrollment continues 	 1st-7th: Medicare Advantage and drug plan open enrollment closes
15th: Medicare Advantage and drug plan	○ 1st: ACA open enrollment starts	○ 1st–15th: ACA open enrollment closes
open enrollment starts (ends Dec. 7)	(ends Dec. 15th)	 31st: Last day for stocks, RMDs, itemized deductions, gifts to count for 2023 taxes
15th: Extended individual tax returns due	○ 5th: Turn your clocks back!	

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^{*}Note: This additional enrollment period allows you to "test drive" your plan before deciding to keep it, switch plans, or choose Original Medicare (restrictions may apply). Consult a specialist.

^{**}Note: If you missed your Initial Enrollment Period or Special Enrollment Period, use this chance to sign up for Medicare Parts A & B. Coverage will start July 1st.

FINAL QUARTER TASKS	BIRTHDAY MI	LESTONES
O Project income for 2023 and 2024	Age 55	Penalty-free distributions allowed from 401(k) if retired
Review unrealized investment gains and losses	Age 59 ½	Penalty-free distributions allowed from IRAs and qualified plans, and Roth IRAs at least 5 years old
 Collect cost-basis information on sold investments 		
Review sales of appreciated property	Age 60	Can apply for reduced Social Security under deceased spouse's earnings record
Review potential credits and deductions	Age 62	Can apply for reduced Social Security under own earnings record
 Track donations to charity 		
Take required minimum distribution	Age 65	Apply for Medicare (Parts A and B) beginning 3 months before your birthday • Coverage begins the 1st of the month you turn 65 • If you are employed/covered by other insurance, you can enroll any time after 65
Review Medicare enrollment options		
Review and fund trusts		
 Contribute to college education accounts or gift cash to family 	Age 66-67	Full retirement age for unreduced Social Security benefits
Review any gifting plans	Age 70	Apply for Social Security to get maximum benefits
Neview any gitting plans	Age 73	Must start IRA required minimum distributions
ANNUAL REVIEW	<u> </u>	
 Review and update health care directive, health care proxy, power of attorney, will, and trusts 	 Review beneficiaries on all pensions, IRAs, annuities, life insurance, investments, bank accounts, CDs, etc. 	
Review estate plan and letter of intent	 Decide which trusts can save on current taxes, reduce estate taxes, and benefit heirs and charities 	
 Adjust investment portfolio as retirement needs change 	O Discuss potential gifting to families or charities	

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