

**TOWN OF NORTH BRANFORD
OFFICE OF SOCIAL SERVICE**

PRESS RELEASE

**CHANGES IN THE CONNPACE PROGRAM
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2011**

*Information provided by
Office of Social Service*

1. Connpace will be eliminated for those persons on Medicare
2. Connpace will continue for those persons not on Medicare.
3. For those persons on Medicare Part D if you have not already applied, you need to apply for the Medicare Saving Plan (MSP)
4. If you already have MSP or when you apply for MSP, the program provides the following:
 - The income guidelines remain the same as Connpace
 - MSP will require a pharmacy co-pay of \$2.50 for generic and \$6.30 for brand medications
 - MSP will contribute no more than \$34.57 for each Medicare D plan premium
 - Mental Health medications are not covered

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How to apply for the Medicare Savings Plan (MSP)

- 1. An application will be mailed by Connpace to all Connpace members**
- 2. Call Agency on Aging, Choices Counselor at 203.785.8533 or**
- 3. Call North Branford Social Services at 203.315.6006**