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Salem area seniors can learn how to avoid insurance and financial abuse

A free presentation to help Salem area senior citizens learn how to avoid insurance and financial abuse will be Thursday, May 8, at the Meadowlark Mobile Manor, 7870 Lancaster Dr. SE in Salem. The public is invited to attend the presentation, which begins at 7 p.m. in the Recreation Hall.

The presentation, by the Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services, will cover how to:

- recognize predatory marketing techniques used by insurance agents and security brokers,
- choose insurance and financial products suitable for your needs, and
- avoid scams.

Senior citizens are often targets for deceptive sales practices or scams because many of them have accumulated large sums of money from a lifetime of savings and asset appreciation.

The presentation is part of the department's SAFE program: Senior and Family Education on Insurance and Financial Issues. For more information, please call 503-947-7208.

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