



WHY IS THE DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS COLLECTING YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER?

Your social security number is confidential under law.

We may not collect your social security number unless we explain to you in writing the reason we need it.

The Department is collecting your social security number as part of its responsibility to conduct assessments. We do this in order to determine benefits or services, including federal benefits, that may be right for you. If there is any other reason, it will be listed below:

We will not use or give out your social security number for any other reason, including referrals to other agencies, unless you have signed a separate form consenting to the release of information to another agency.