

**CERTIFICATED REGULAR RETIREE DOES NOT WANT TRUST FUND**  
**AGE 67 AND OLDER**

- Meet with a STRS counselor to review exactly how much you expect to receive. Also determine with the STRS counselor the best retirement date for you. You will need a minimum of two months to process the STRS documents. Call for an appointment at (562) 922-6838.
- Ask the STRS counselor whether or not you should complete the STRS Express Benefit Form.
- Determine your retirement date \_\_\_\_\_.
- Resign from the District with as much notice as possible.
- Apply to STRS for your retirement benefits. Meet with a counselor to review exactly how much you expect to receive.
- Apply for Medicare at least 2 months prior to your retirement at the Social Security Office. Social Security will determine whether or not you are entitled to Medical benefits (A & B). All MUSD retirees and/or dependents must apply for part B of Medicare. Part A is to hospital and Part B is for doctors.
  - You may continue your health insurance for yourself and your dependents at your own expense. Apply through Risk Management. Coverage must be continuous. If you fail to retain coverage after retirement you will not be reinstated.
  - Medical (paid through credit union; if you do not already have an account with the Credit Union, you will need to establish one)
  - Dental (paid through credit union)  
\$55.90/Single coverage per month  
\$143.68/ 2 party coverage per month
  - Vision (paid to Risk Management)  
\$14.77/Single coverage per month  
\$28.82/ 2 party coverage per month
  - Life Insurance (may convert and pay directly to insurance carrier)
  - Long Term Care (premium paid directly to carrier)  
The rate is based on your individualized coverage.