Republicans Follow Through on Their Plan to Hike Costs and Strip Michiganders of Their Health Care

Across the country, health care is in crisis, including in Michigan. Since taking power, Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans have launched an all-out assault on our health care system. From slashing Medicaid to driving rural hospitals off a cliff to ending health care tax credits, they have created a disaster for working families and only helped billionaires get richer. Now Michiganders who buy insurance on their own will see their premium costs skyrocket. Beginning in 2026, Republicans have made sure that premiums in Michigan will increase by an average of 131 percent more every single year. This will exacerbate the uninsured rate and raise costs for hard-working Michiganders at a time when too many are struggling to make ends meet. It's time for Republicans to fix the mess they created. Every day they stall, more Michiganders are forced to choose between keeping a roof over their head, food on the table, or life-saving coverage. The choice is clear: side with billionaires and big corporations and let the crisis get worse, or finally stand with hard-working Michiganders.

By the Numbers

There are 556,526 Michiganders on the state ACA <u>marketplace</u> who will be forced to pay \$710 more each year on average for their health insurance.

Around 390,000 Michiganders will <u>lose their health care</u> coverage entirely thanks to Republican premium increases and the Big, Ugly bill.

A 45-year-old in Michigan making \$62,000 will see their average annual premium costs <u>rise by</u> \$208 to hit \$5,478 annually.

A 60-year-old couple in Michigan making \$82,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by \$13,621 to hit \$20,591 annually.

A family of four in Michigan making \$126,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by \$4,790 to hit \$15,500 annually.