

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

Across the country, health care is in crisis, including in North Dakota. 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 North Dakotans who buy insurance on their own will see their premium costs skyrocket. Beginning in 2026, Republicans have made sure that premiums in North Dakota will [increase](#) by an average of 234 percent more every single year. This will exacerbate the uninsured rate and raise costs for hard-working North Dakotans 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 North Dakotans 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 North Dakotans.

By the Numbers

There are 55,041 North Dakotans on the state ACA [marketplace](#) who will be forced to pay \$688 more each year on average for their health insurance.

Around 26,000 North Dakotans will [lose their health care](#) coverage entirely thanks to Republican premium increases and the Big, Ugly bill.

A 45-year-old in North Dakota making \$62,000 will see their average annual premium costs [rise by](#) \$2,011 to hit \$7,281 annually.

A 60-year-old couple in North Dakota making \$82,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by \$20,399 to hit \$27,369 annually.

A family of four in North Dakota making \$126,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by \$9,893 to hit \$20,603 annually.