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

Across the country, health care is in crisis, including in Oregon. 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 Oregonians who buy insurance on their own will see their premium costs skyrocket. Beginning in 2026, Republicans have made sure that premiums in Oregon will increase by an average of 57 percent more every single year. This will exacerbate the uninsured rate and raise costs for hard-working Oregonians 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 Oregonians 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 Oregonians.

By the Numbers

There are 162,173 Oregonians on the state ACA <u>marketplace</u> who will be forced to pay \$772 more each year on average for their health insurance.

Around 210,000 Oregonians will <u>lose their health care</u> coverage entirely thanks to Republican premium increases and the Big, Ugly bill.

A 45-year-old in Oregon making \$62,000 will see their average annual premium costs <u>rise by</u> \$1,645 to hit \$6,915 annually.

A 60-year-old couple in Oregon making \$82,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by \$19,023 to hit \$25,993 annually.

A family of four in Oregon making \$126,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by \$7,612 to hit \$18,322 annually.

Hospitals and clinics across Oregon are already struggling to stay open after Republicans passed the largest health care cuts in history. Now, thanks to Republicans gutting the premium tax credits and hiking Oregonians' premiums, providers in Oregon will lose an additional \$237 million in funding.