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

Across the country, health care is in crisis, including in Pennsylvania. 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 Pennsylvanians who buy insurance on their own will see their premium costs skyrocket. Beginning in 2026, Republicans have made sure that premiums in Pennsylvania will increase by an average of 208 percent more every single year. This will exacerbate the uninsured rate and raise costs for hard-working Pennsylvanians 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 Pennsylvanians 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 Pennsylvanians.

By the Numbers

There are 560,447 Pennsylvanians on the state ACA marketplace who will be forced to pay $581 more each year on average for their health insurance.

Around 450,000 Pennsylvanians will lose their health care coverage entirely thanks to Republican premium increases and the Big, Ugly bill.

A 45-year-old in Pennsylvania making $62,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by $981 to hit $6,251 annually.

A 60-year-old couple in Pennsylvania making $82,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by $16,526 to hit $23,496 annually.

A family of four in Pennsylvania making $126,000 will see their average annual premium costs rise by $6,977 to hit $17,687 annually.

Hospitals and clinics across Pennsylvania 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 Pennsylvanians' premiums, providers in Pennsylvania will lose an additional $229 million in funding.