



Support National Health Care Reform It's Good for All Floridians!

Almost 2 million Floridians are currently both very low-income and uninsured.

The main proposals for health care reform under consideration in Congress would:

Assure meaningful coverage for Floridians who could never afford it otherwise

Allow Floridians who already have good coverage continue to choose their doctors
...and let doctors continue to provide the care patients need

Provide more affordable and higher quality health care for everyone

Examples of the uninsured Floridians who would be **newly covered** include:

- A family of 4 scraping by on \$30,000 a year.
(Without reform: The family can afford a total of \$125 in monthly insurance premiums and out-of-pocket costs. No one can get real coverage for that.)
- A single mom who cleans the hotel rooms of thousands of Florida visitors each year.
(Without reform: Working parents who earn more than a few hundred dollars a month aren't eligible for Medicaid.)
- A 58-year old flower shop assistant whose employer can't afford coverage for her 3 employees.
(Without reform: Small businesses can seldom offer affordable coverage. One out of 5 all Floridians between the ages of 50 and 64 are uninsured.)
- A 44-year old landscaper who worked 20 years tailoring lawns before becoming disabled last year.
(Without reform: Workers who become disabled must wait 2 years before becoming eligible for Medicare.)
- A family reeling from the impact of a recent medical emergency.
(Without reform: Countless families are drowning in medical debt, with many headed towards bankruptcy. Short-term Medicaid might help, but only after the family has exhausted all resources.)

SUPPORT REAL HEALTH CARE REFORM FOR FLORIDA'S FUTURE.