

The impact of federal policies on New Yorkers and the State's health care system



Nearly 8.6 million New Yorkers

including seniors, children, pregnant people, people with disabilities and low- and moderate-wage and part-time workers rely on Medicaid and the Affordable Care Act for their health care.

Federal cuts to health care will devastate New Yorkers, hospitals, health care providers, insurance companies, local economies, and our State budget.

Impact of federal threats to health care on New York State:



**COVERAGE
LOSSES**

1.7 million New Yorkers will lose their current health coverage



1,241,000 currently enrolled in Medicaid

462,000 currently enrolled in the Essential Plan

Impact on Congressional District 26:



**INCREASED
PREMIUMS +
COVERAGE
LOSS**

40,300 on Medicaid may become uninsured

14,000 on the Essential Plan may become uninsured

If Congress does not renew enhanced premium tax credits before next year,

➤ Those receiving these credits will see a premium increase of

40%, or \$3,200/year for a couple

➤ Across the State's marketplace premiums will rise leaving

1,300 w/o subsidized coverage and 600 uninsured



**FUNDING
CUTS**

Cuts will cause District 26 to lose \$295 million

Hospitals in this district will also lose **\$108 million**

which may force rural or safety-net hospitals to close

Sources: NYSOH and Urban Institute