

AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

QUICKFACTS



WHAT THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT MEANS FOR YOU:



Covered California

is committed to ensuring that Californians are aware of their health coverage options.

Through Covered California, qualified individuals will be able to get financial assistance, compare a range of health plans, and make informed choices on their health coverage.

For more information about this law or any other matter please visit: <http://sd17.senate.ca.gov/> or call (916) 651-4017.

Ends the worst insurance company abuses

- Makes health insurance more affordable
- Provides better options for coverage
- Strengthens Medicare

It will be illegal for insurance companies to deny you coverage because you have a pre-existing condition or because you are a woman.

Insurance companies will have to provide a minimum level of essential benefits to its enrollees, including preventative services.

Services like cancer screenings, annual wellness visits, vaccinations, high blood pressure screenings, birth control, and many more...will Be FREE!

New limits on how much insurance companies can charge the young versus the old.

Under age 26? You can remain on your parent's health plan.

The new 80/20 rule says insurance companies must spend at least 80 cents of your premium dollar on your health care or improvements to care. If they don't, they must repay the money to you.

2-3 million more low income Californians eligible for Medi-Cal.

Through the California Health Benefit Exchange you'll be able to comparison shop for coverage and tax credits will be provided to make buying insurance more affordable.

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