

Protect Medicaid Funding!

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Medicaid (**Medi-Cal** in California) provides healthcare for 15+ million Californians. Federal cuts would severely impact healthcare access statewide.

California's Medi-Cal Funding

Total funding: \$174.6 billion (FY 2024-25)

\$107.5B Federal funding (62%)

\$37.6B State general fund (22%)

\$29.5B Local government, health plan fees, provider taxes (16%) (also under threat of cuts)

Direct Impact on Sacramento County CA-07

- **Urban and suburban communities at risk:** CA-07 encompasses southern Sacramento County, part of Yolo County, and a small portion of Solano County, including Sacramento (south of the American River), West Sacramento, Elk Grove, and Galt
- **Growing suburban areas affected:** Many working families, immigrants, and service workers in these communities rely heavily on Medi-Cal for affordable healthcare
- **Critical healthcare infrastructure:** Sacramento-area hospitals and medical centers serve as regional healthcare hubs that depend on Medicaid funding to provide essential services
- **Diverse population impact:** The district's suburban communities include working families, young professionals, and seniors who depend on Medi-Cal for healthcare coverage

CA Congressional District 07 Medicaid/Medi-Cal Facts

Total coverage: 280,000 people

This represents **37% of the district's population**

An additional **28,000+ residents** receive **Covered California** premium subsidies

Combined, over 308,000 people (**41% of the district**) rely on Medi-Cal or Covered CA subsidies

Estimated enrollment breakdown:

- 98,000 children (18 and under)
- 56,000 seniors and disabled adults
- 126,000 working adults and caregivers

Healthcare infrastructure at risk:

- Medi-Cal supports thousands of jobs major Sacramento County hospitals like UC Davis Medical Center and Kaiser Permanente facilities
- Community health centers serving diverse Sacramento communities rely heavily on Medicaid funding
- Long-term care facilities serving the region's growing senior population rely on Medicaid reimbursements

Potential impact of cuts: Up to \$2.9 billion in federal funding losses over nine years if cuts are applied proportionally across districts

Time to Take Action!

Current Budget Process

House passed resolution calling for \$880 billion in cuts from Energy & Commerce

Both chambers adopted joint budget resolution on April 10, 2025

Committee markups expected in May with final passage targeted **by Memorial Day**

Contact your representatives:

- Rep. Doris Matsui: (202) 225-7163 and (916) 498-5600
- Sen. Alex Padilla: (202) 224-3553
- Sen. Adam Schiff: (202) 224-3841

Contact key committee members:

House Energy & Commerce: • Chairman Brett Guthrie (R-KY): (202) 225-3501 • Health Subcommittee Chair Earl Carter (R-GA): (202) 225-5831

Senate Finance: • Chairman Mike Crapo (R-ID): (202) 224-6142 • Ranking Member Ron Wyden (D-OR): (202) 224-5244

Senate Health, Education, Labor & Pensions (HELP) Committee: • Chairman Bill Cassidy (R-LA): (202) 224-5824

When calling representatives, consider using the following talking points.

"Hello, my name is _____ and I'm a constituent from _____ (your town) in California's 7th Congressional District.

The proposed budget cuts to Medicaid would be devastating to this Sacramento area district where:

- About 280,000 residents—37% of our district—depend on Medi-Cal coverage
- Many working families in our suburban communities rely on Medi-Cal for healthcare access
- Sacramento-area hospitals and medical centers serve as regional healthcare hubs that depend on Medicaid funding
- \$3.4 billion in annual Medi-Cal spending supports our local economy and healthcare jobs

I urge _____ (Representative/Senator's name) to:

1. Oppose any budget resolution that includes deep cuts to Medicaid
2. Protect Sacramento County healthcare providers who serve our diverse communities
3. Recognize that Medicaid cuts would devastate working families in our suburban district

Share a brief personal story about how Medicaid has helped you, a family member or someone you know.

Remember to be polite, specific, and brief. Staff often take these calls and will relay your message.

Opposing cuts creates economically vibrant, healthy communities that benefit us all.