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- [““Reforming” Medicaid: What Is the Problem, Exactly?”](#) Milbank, 4/22/25
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- [“CMS Finds 2.8 Million Americans Potentially Enrolled in Two or More Medicaid/ACA Exchange Plans.”](#) CMS, 7/17/25
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- [“What the MAHA Report Gets Right, and Wrong, on Nutrition — Time will tell the impact of ensuing policies on health.”](#) Medpage Today, 6/17/25
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- [“Congress is lukewarm on RFK Jr.’s plans. In the states, they’re catching fire.:](#) Robert F. Kennedy Jr.’s ‘Make America Healthy Again’ movement is taking off in red — and blue — states, even as health experts condemn some of his actions.” Politico Pro, 8/14/25
- [“Kennedy makes his formal pitch to fight chronic disease in new MAHA report:](#) The plan doubles down on cultural, voluntary approaches,” STAT, 9/9/25
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- [“Make America Healthy Again? Look to the States.:](#) When it comes to protecting their residents from environmental harms, lawmakers in red and blue states alike are making progress without waiting for Washington.” Governing, 9/22/25



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- [“Sellers Dorsey Digest: Issue 220,”](#) 1/23/25 (includes notes on Idaho postpartum coverage expansion; Georgia and Arkansas plans for changes to Medicaid; and SPA and Waiver approvals)
- [State Network Newsletter,](#) 2/3/25
- [“Health Management Associates \(HMA\) Weekly Roundup,”](#) 2/5/25.
- [“Sellers Dorsey Digest #222,”](#) 2/6/25
- [State Network Weekly Update,](#) 2/10/25 (includes item on Arkansas work requirement plan).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup,](#) 2/13/25 (includes notes on Connecticut Governor’s proposed increase for Medicaid provider reimbursement; Georgia Governor’s proposed budget; Idaho Medicaid expansion; Indiana Medicaid HCBS diversion bill; Kansas Medicaid Expansion Bill; Nebraska Postpartum Home Services Bill; North Dakota bill to add dental coverage to Medicaid expansion; national Medicaid work requirement bill introduced in Congress; Medicaid beneficiary employment; DOGE examination of CMS contracts and spending)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest #223,](#) 2/13/25. (includes item on Medicaid cuts threatening rural hospitals and putting maternity care at risk)
- [State Network Newsletter,](#) 2/18/25
- [HMA Weekly Roundup,](#) 2/19/25 (includes notes on Alabama and Arkansas prenatal presumptive eligibility bills; Idaho Medicaid expansion; Illinois Behavioral Health Division; Indiana Medicaid expansion; Kansas rejection of Medicaid expansion; Michigan behavioral health investments; Montana Medicaid expansion renewal; Ohio’s proposed work requirements opposition; Wisconsin postpartum Medicaid coverage extension; workforce shortages in home care; future of Medicare and Medicaid rulemaking).
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest #224,](#) 2/20/25
- [State Network,](#) 2/24/25 (includes notes on report on Medicaid’s role in Mental Health; Arizona work requirements proposal; North Carolina recruitment and retention of direct support professionals)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup,](#) 2/26/25 (includes notes on Alabama and Arkansas prenatal presumptive eligibility bills; Arizona work requirements; Medicaid-covered traditional healing bill in AZ; Idaho Medicaid expansion; Illinois maternal home care programs; Missouri Medicaid work requirements; former CMS administrator’s concerns about DOGE cuts).
- [Sellers Dorsey](#) Issue #225, 2/27/25
- [Axios Future of Health Care,](#) 2/28/25



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- [State Network](#), 3/3/25 (includes item on Maryland expanding access to school-based mental health services).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 3/5/25 (includes items on Montana Medicaid expansion renewal with work requirements, North Carolina bill to increase Medicaid dental reimbursements, Ohio work requirements 1115 demonstration, South Dakota Medicaid expansion funding ballot measure, Vermont Medicaid audits).
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #226](#), 3/6/25 (includes items on CMS rescission of HRSN guidance, Ohio work requirements, Montana Medicaid expansion)
- [State Network](#), 3/10/25 (includes items on Nevada report estimating the effects of federal Medicaid reductions; Wisconsin governor's letter to Congressional delegation on effects of cuts).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 3/12/25. (Items on new developments in Section 1115 demonstration policy, NM Medicaid trust fund, NC Healthy Opportunities Pilot)
- [State Network](#), 3/17/25 (includes items on California stakeholder update about rescission of CMS guidance on HRSNs; NC fact sheet on impact of Medicaid; Oregon learning collaborative on HRSN providers)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup Trends in Health Policy](#), 3/19/25 (includes items on Idaho Medicaid budget, Kentucky work requirements)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest #228](#), 3/20/25
- [State Network](#), 3/24/25
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 3/26/25 (includes items on Arkansas postpartum Medicaid coverage extension; CT bill to cap long-term care rate hikes, increase transparency; Idaho managed care transition; IA work requirements; impact of cuts on state Medicaid spending)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #229](#), 3/27/25 (includes items on Indiana Medicaid expansion bill; Minnesota health system leaders' views of potential federal Medicaid cuts).
- [State Network](#), 3/31/25 (includes items on community meeting in Illinois attended by Governor with residents sharing importance of protecting Medicaid; Oregon's entreaty to Congressional leaders to protect Medicaid from budget cuts; Pennsylvania's success in combating Medicaid fraud).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 4/2/25 (includes item on Mississippi Governor's veto of a Medicaid reform bill)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #230](#), 4/3/25 (includes item on Idaho extension of behavioral health transformation 1115 demonstration)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 4/9/25 (includes item on Arkansas Governor signing bill allowing physician assistants as Medicaid primary care providers)



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- [State Network](#), 4/9/25 (includes item on Kentucky Governor's letter informing state lawmakers why he can't implement Medicaid changes without accompanying appropriations)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest](#) Issue #231, 4/10/25
- [State Network](#), 4/14/25 (includes items on Arizona work requirements; Oklahoma modeling of impact of Congressional proposals on Medicaid program; Virginia community doula program for Medicaid enrollees)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 4/16/25 (includes items on Arizona work requirements; Arkansas Medicaid loss ratio; Arkansas postpartum Medicaid extension; California Medicaid budget gap; Florida Medicaid access for medically fragile children; Iowa work requirements; Kansas Medicaid contracting process; North Carolina work requirements; Wisconsin Medicaid eligibility requirements; Dr. Oz priorities for CMS; MACPAC briefs on strategies to manage Medicaid spending growth)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest](#), Issue #232, 4/17/25 (includes item on CMS ceasing approval/renewal of Designated State Health Programs and Designated State Investment Programs).
- [State Network](#), 4/21/25 (includes item on Virginia maternal and child health dashboard).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 4/23/25 (includes items on Michigan Governor ordering review of Medicaid cut impacts; Ohio savings with single pharmacy benefit manager system; Ohio and West Virginia rural hospital network to support value-based care)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest](#) Issue 233, 4/24/25 (includes items on leaked HHS budget document; California budget gap).
- [State Network](#), 4/28/25 (includes items on Louisiana Fraud, Waste and Abuse Task Force; Michigan discussion on impacts of Medicaid cuts; Minnesota statewide roundtables; Utah estimates of state impacts for federal Medicaid changes).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 4/30/25 (includes items on Colorado budget to preserve Medicaid funding; Oregon adding Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic services; MACPAC brief on impacts of Medicaid, CHIP on children's access to care;
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest issue #234](#), 5/1/25 (includes items on provider assessments; potential for cuts to undermine progress in fighting opioid crisis;



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states being proactive with budgets in preparing for impacts of federal policies—Virginia, Maryland, Idaho, Colorado mentioned)

- [State Network](#), 5/5/25 (includes resources from a webinar on national and state-by-state modeling on the impact of potential Medicaid cuts; Urban Institute report on impact of federal Medicaid work requirements; Illinois presentation about the impact of Medicaid in the state; Washington Health Care Authority presentation about the impact of federal proposals; Wisconsin report modeling the impact of cuts).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 5/7/25 (includes items on Georgia's application to extend 1115 Pathways to Coverage demonstration; Indiana work requirements bill)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #235](#), 5/8/25 (includes items on Indiana work requirements; Alabama bill on maternal health crisis; North Carolina health care reform measures;
- [State Network](#), 5/12/25 (includes item on Kansas Governor sending letter to state's Congressional delegation requesting protection from federal Medicaid cuts; Michigan's report on the impact of federal cut proposals; Minnesota statewide roundtables; Utah coverage of doula services; Wisconsin report modeling the impact of Medicaid cuts).
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #236](#), 5/15/25 (includes items on new direction of the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation; Medicaid-related provisions in the House E&C budget reconciliation bill;
- [State Network](#), 5/19/25
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 5/21/25 (includes items on Iowa work requirements; New York Medicaid buy-in program; Oregon's RFP for Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly).
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #237](#), 5/22/25 (includes items on Colorado bill to research universal healthcare system; Connecticut Governor's declaration urging legislators to approve deficiency appropriations for state Medicaid program)
- [State Network](#), 5/27/25
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 5/28/25
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #238](#), 5/29/25
- [State Network](#), 6/2/25 (includes items on Arizona briefing with governor and healthcare providers on federal Medicaid cuts; North Carolina symposium on impact of Medicaid expansion and Healthy Opportunities Pilots).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), 6/4/25 (includes items on Florida's workforce sustainability 1115 waiver application; Idaho's move to Medicaid managed care, work requirements; Snyder resignation;
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue 239](#), 6/5/25 (includes items on CMS budget justification; CMS revitalization of health IT systems ahead of work requirement



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implementation; North Carolina Health Opportunities Pilot facing shutdown; Florida health care workforce sustainability waiver)

- [State Network](#), 6/9/25 (includes items on state-by-state impacts of budget reconciliation bill; states highlighting the value of Medicaid coverage; potential impact of cuts on maternal mortality; California Governor on impact of cuts; Maine analysis of House budget bill; Minnesota webpage highlighting faces of the Medicaid program; New Jersey governor's roundtable with Medicaid recipients)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup](#), **6/11/25** (includes items on Iowa work requirements; Minnesota ending MinnesotaCare coverage for undocumented adults; end of North Carolina Healthy Opportunities Pilot funding; Trump memorandum on ending state-directed payments in Medicaid;
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest](#) Issue #240, 6/12/25 (includes item on Iowa work requirements).
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #241](#), 6/18/25 (includes items on letter from four U.S. Senators regarding implications of the budget reconciliation bill for rural communities; bills introduced by Senate Democrats focused on fraud and access; changes in the Senate Finance Committee version of the reconciliation bill).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 6/18/25 (includes items on Medicaid expansion; Iowa work requirements; Kentucky waiver for youth with complex needs; Mississippi Medicaid budget; New York's strengthened Medicaid behavioral health parity; CMS approval of state plan amendments expanding tribal clinic flexibility in six states; Senate Finance Committee's deeper Medicaid cuts)
- [State Network](#), 6/23/25 (includes items on Senate's deeper Medicaid cuts; impact of work requirements on disability coverage; rural hospitals at risk; Colorado estimates on impact of federal changes; Maryland roundtable on proposed federal cuts; Michigan reaching lowest recorded infant mortality rate in its history; Montana's Medicaid-funded service to support residents with housing needs; North Carolina Governor's letter to U.S. Senators outlining consequences of reconciliation bill including coverage losses; Oregon governor's roundtable on impact of proposed cuts; Pennsylvania analysis of reconciliation bill impacts).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#) 6/25/25 (includes item on Indiana bills aimed at Medicaid, hospital transparency)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest](#), Issue #242, 6/26/25 (includes items on memo from Senate parliamentarian; hospital relief fund in Senate bill; American Hospital Association ad campaign on protecting hospital care)



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- [State Network](#), 6/30/25 (includes items about Minnesota's statewide survey on opposition to federal cuts; Oklahoma Governor's Make Oklahoma Healthy Again campaign)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 7/2/25 (includes items on what the Senate's budget approval means for the future; key differences between House and Senate versions; what to watch, including Medicaid work requirements and the impact of CMS actions; New York Governor's Master Plan for Aging; Ohio biennial budget with Medicaid expansion contingency)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #243](#), 7/3/25 (includes items on Senate passage of budget reconciliation bill; states beginning work requirement processes;
- [State Network](#), 7/7/25 (includes items on New York analysis of impacts of reconciliation bill; Pennsylvania data on how many residents will lose benefits; statements from governors opposing reconciliation bill).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 7/9/25 (includes items on FY 24 Medicaid spending; what H.R. 1 means for Medicaid and public coverage; Florida's IDD waiver amendment; Montana's work requirements waiver; Wisconsin budget's preservation of some Medicaid funding).
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #244](#), 7/10/25 (includes items on the signing of the budget reconciliation bill; defunding of Planned Parenthood; Illinois patient protection bill; Montana work requirements program).
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 7/16/25 (includes items on Colorado mental health services; Kentucky 1115 application; South Carolina 1115 application)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #245](#), 7/17/25 (includes item on impact of H.R. 1 on rural residents in Oregon)
- [State Network](#), 7/21/25 (includes items on CT, NY, UT, WI)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 7/23/25 (includes items on Montana's 1115 work requirements waiver; CMS integrity initiatives)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #246](#), 7/24/25 (includes items on CMS waiver policy shift; New York Governor on impact of H.R. 1).
- [State Network](#), 7/28/25
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 7/30/25 (includes item on South Dakota's withdrawal of 1115 work requirements proposal)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #247](#), 7/31/25 (includes items on confusion surrounding Rural Health Transformation Program; Administration's announcement of digital health data transparency and accessibility standards; Missouri's concerns about work requirements).
- [States of Innovation: July 2025](#), 8/1/25
  - [States of Innovation archive](#)



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- [“Trust for America’s Health: Age-Friendly Public Health - The Podcast,”](#) John A. Hartford Foundation, 8/4/25
  - [“The Intersections Between Aging and Disability Policy,”](#) (featuring former ACL Administrator Alison Barkoff), July 2025.
- [State Network](#), 8/4/25 (includes items on AK, LA, ME, MS, NY, RI, VT)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 8/6/25 (includes items on Iowa’s new Medicaid director; Michigan Governor urging Trump to lengthen transition time for Medicaid cuts; nursing home staffing study)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #248](#), 8/7/25
- [State Network](#), 8/12/25 (includes items on Colorado special session; New York governor on impact of H.R. 1; Texas seeking public input on RHTP; Vermont webpage on federal Medicaid changes)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 8/13/25 (includes items on Colorado pledge to mitigate Medicaid cuts, coverage losses; Indiana’s expected Medicaid cost surge, adoption of cost-saving actions; North Carolina stopgap budget; Oregon delaying Medicaid reentry program due to H.R. 1; MACPAC issue brief on Medicaid financing; CBO coverage losses forecast)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #249](#), 8/14/25 (includes items on CMS grants for continuity of care for incarcerated; recommendations for RHTF from hospital associations; CBO analysis of H.R. 1 impact on household resources)
- [State Network](#), 8/18/25 (includes items on RHTP prep in CO, GA, MT, NC, ND, UT, VA, WI)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 8/20/25 (includes items on Florida Medicaid spending; Iowa work requirements)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #250](#), 8/21/25 (includes item on draft MAHA report outline)
- [State Network](#), 8/25/25 (includes items on state distribution of the uninsured population; interactive map of state actions to create a rural health transformation plan; efforts of NV, PA, WA to prep for RHTP)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 8/27/25 (Includes item about RHTP prep in TX)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest #251](#), 8/28/25 (includes items on potential new CMCS Director; NC’s efforts to juggle budget shortfall; ID provider and service rate cuts)
- [State Network](#), 9/2/25 (includes items on CO budget hole legislation; RHTP prep in DE, IL, IN, MD, NM, OK, OR, SD, TX and Make America Healthy Again legislation in TX)



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- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 9/3/25 (includes items on states starting to engage with RHTP; CO budget hole legislation; NY \$10 billion deficit increase)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #252](#), 9/4/25 (includes items on CMS RHTP website; CO budget cuts)
- [State Network](#), 9/8/25 (includes items on RHTP prep in CA, LA, MI, NH, VA, WY and NM special session)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 9/10/25 (includes items on RHTP prep in FL; MT 1115 work requirements waiver)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue 253](#), 9/11/25 (includes items on Kennedy's testimony on rural health; Make Children Healthy Again report)
- [State Network](#), 9/15/25 (includes items on RHTP prep in FL, ID, MN, RI)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 9/17/25 (includes items on RHTP; GA rural hospital closing labor and delivery services; ID seeking supplemental Medicaid funding)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #254](#), 9/18/25 (includes items on CMS RHTP NOFO; announcement of redetermination policy guidance coming in December; income verification app testing)
- [State Network](#), 9/22/25 (includes items on RHTP prep in AL, AZ, CT, ME, MN, ND, OH, VT)
- [HMA Weekly Roundup: Trends in Health Policy](#), 9/24/25 (CO Medicaid budget cuts; GA extension for work requirements demonstration; NC funding cuts)
- [Sellers Dorsey Digest Issue #255](#), 9/25/25 (includes items on MACPAC September meeting; projected financial impact of Medicaid work requirements on hospitals; GAO report on 1115 waiver budget neutrality; GAO report on GA's administrative spending on work requirements; KY's mobile health solutions)
- [State Network](#), 9/29/25 (includes items on RHTP prep in HI, KS, MA, NE, NH, NM, NY, SC, TN; NC Governor urging legislature to fully fund the state's Medicaid program)



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## Other Resources

- NCSL Podcast: [“Medicaid and the States: The Post-COVID Era | OAS Episode 229,”](#) 3/16/25
- [Medicaid Leadership Exchange podcast series](#), NAMD (from 2024)
- [“Implementing Primary Care Population-Based Payment in Medicaid: State Case Studies,”](#) CHCS, 2025
- [“How Wide-Ranging Experiences Strengthen Medicaid Leadership: Podcast 3 of Season 6 of the Medicaid Leadership Exchange highlights the varying paths individuals take to Medicaid leadership.”](#) NAMD (podcast), 6/13/25
- [“Chiquita Brooks-LaSure on Leadership, Policy, and the Future of CMS — Former CMS administrator reflects on her challenges, wins, and advice for her successor,”](#) Medpage Today, 6/18/25
- [“Abortion, DOGE, and What’s Next: Brooks-LaSure on Urgent Health Policy Shifts—“We don’t want to see women die because they’re denied lifesaving care,” says former CMS chief.”](#) Medpage Today, 6/21/25.
- [“State and Territory Leaders Convene to Address Medicaid’s Evolving Landscape,”](#) NAMD, 6/24/25
- [“Webinar: Medicaid is a Critical Health Insurer for Small Businesses,”](#) Georgetown University CCF, 6/26/25
- [“Listening, Learning, Leading: Stakeholder-Driven Change in Medicaid: Podcast 4 of Season 6 of the Medicaid Leadership Exchange highlights the role stakeholders play in shaping Medicaid programs.”](#) NAMD and CHCS, 6/27/25
- [“Webinar Replay – Ask the Experts: Medicaid Town Hall,”](#) HMA, 6/30/25
- [“Reflections on Leadership from Long-Serving Medicaid Directors,”](#) National Association of Medicaid Directors, 7/11/25 (podcast 5 of Medicaid Leadership Exchange)
- [“An Academy Spotlight Q&A with Cheryl Roberts: Bridging Policy, Operations, and Community Health in Virginia,”](#) NASHP, 9/29/25