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‘Cruelty Is the Point’: Trump Takes Aim at Medicaid With Plan That Could Harm Millions

“The president’s war on healthcare knows no bounds.”
“In the same week President Trump said cuts to Medicare and Medicaid are on the table,” said Woodhouse, “we now learn that his administration is set to propose benefit-slashing block grants on Medicaid expansion, targeting the benefits of millions of Americans who have gained coverage through one of the Affordable Care Act’s most important, successful, and popular provisions.”

“They can’t keep pace with the rising costs of healthcare (even the ones that ‘adjust for inflation’) and lead to would-be recipients going without care,” said Nelson. “Forty-three percent of Medicaid enrollees are children. The Trump admin knows that. The cruelty is the point.”

**October 2019 Medicaid & CHIP Enrollment Data**

**Highlights**

All states—including the District of Columbia—provide data each month about their Medicaid and Children’s Health Insurance Programs (CHIP) eligibility and enrollment activity. These data reflect a range of indicators related to key application, eligibility, and enrollment processes within the state Medicaid and CHIP agency. View the [complete dataset](https://data.medicaid.gov) on Data.Medicaid.gov.

**October 2019 Medicaid & CHIP Enrollment**

71,395,465 **individuals** were enrolled in Medicaid and CHIP in the 51 states that reported enrollment data for October 2019.

- 64,699,741 **individuals** were enrolled in Medicaid.
- 6,695,724 **individuals** were enrolled in CHIP.

35,309,834 **individuals** were enrolled in CHIP or were children enrolled in the Medicaid program in the 49 states that reported child enrollment data for October 2019 representing 50.9% of total Medicaid and CHIP program enrollment.

…”Medicaid” through the state of AZ pays my Medicare premium and helps with my drug costs through Part D, even with that help my out of pocket costs for prescriptions last year was $520.00 and my prescriptions for the month of December were 0.00 (Zero) because I passed the catastrophic threshold...without this help I cannot afford to go to a Doctor. An office visit to my pain management Doc is over $200.00 as are the 4 medications I get each month to try and manage my pain and that is just my pain, that does not address my asthma or allergies or
the failing body of an old man, I need a minimum of 2 operations on my spine plus other ailments that require surgery that I cannot afford, last year I made $14.00 a month too much in Social Security to qualify for full “Medicaid”…yes, I am sick…but…that MOFO is way sicker, he is dangerous to my health, a health hazard and it’s not just me, I understand there are some 70 Million of us on Medicare/Medicaid …WTF is wrong with these people? Cruel isn’t even close…if this does take place be sure and watch the suicide rate jump sky-high…if you are a republican after the impeachment trial, his ordering a hit on an Ambassador and this too, you are NO friend of mine!…

41 Senators Urge Trump Administration to End ‘Cruel and Dangerous’ Effort to Cut Social Security Disability Benefits

“It is alarming that the agency appears more concerned with devoting limited resources toward making it harder for people with disabilities to receive essential benefits.”


The four members of the upper chamber who are competing in a crowded field for the Democratic Party's 2020 presidential nomination—Sens. Michael Bennet (D-Colo.), Amy Klobuchar (D-Minn.), Bernie Sanders (I-Vt.), and Elizabeth Warren (D-Mass.)—are all among the 41 signatories.

In 2017, 10,000 people died waiting for Social Security Disability Insurance.

Instead of addressing this crisis, Trump wants to make it harder for people with disabilities to get the help they need to get by.

We will defeat him and undo this cruelty. https://t.co/LnpiqxsxgoI

— Bernie Sanders (@BernieSanders) January 28, 2020

Trump moves to gut Obama housing discrimination rules

New rules may make it easier to deny loans to people of color.

…what does this boil down too? Domestic Terrorism!…

CDC study finds suicide 10th leading cause of death in the U.S., 4th leading for adults 18-65

…Gee, I wonder why? Don’t you? /s…

The Parnas Tape is out. “Take Her Out” sounds a lot more like a kill order than an invite to dinner

Is Moscow Mitch the messenger of the ‘heads on pikes’ threat from Trump to Republicans?

Full video of Trump saying Ukraine ambassador should be removed

WATCH: Full video of Trump saying Ukraine ambassador sh…

Donald Trump appearing to say he wants to “get rid” of the then-U.S. ambassador to Ukraine, Marie Yovanovitch. The recording, which was provided to the PBS NewsHour by a lawyer for one of the people who heard the original conversation, is said to be from a dinner in Washington, D.C., on April 30, 2018– a year before Yovanovitch was actually fired.

…shorter version…
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…”Take her out”…mob hit style

…repugnant wanna be mobsters do not belong in the White House…

…Hat-Tip to Buzzfeed for giving us the truth, it seems everyone else is normalizing this…

Trump Was Allegedly Caught On Tape Talking About The Former Ambassador To Ukraine And Telling People To “Take Her Out”

“Get rid of her!” Trump allegedly says on the tape. “Get her out tomorrow. I don’t care. Get her out tomorrow. Take her out. OK? Do it.”


…as I have been reporting now for a few weeks, the southern jet stream is crossing the equator and joining the northern jet stream…not much has changed, it is still
on going and very scary…

…different date, same issue…
...watch it live...

https://earth.nullschool.net/#current/wind/isobaric/250hPa/orthographic=36.29,2.80,418
…To get a clear picture of the Coronavirus I highly recommend Pro-MED Mail, it is the reporting site for the International Society for Infectious Diseases…

https://promedmail.org/

…here you find reporting without the hype of the MSM…

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Establishment Democrats Panic at Possibility Bernie Sanders Could Be 2020 Nominee

“The knives are out.”


…why are the knives out? because they are not democrats, not true democrats, if you go back to Plato’s “Republic” and read the true meaning of republican and democrat you will understand that it is Bernie that understands, stands with and fights for, us, all of us, those that oppose him are in fact republicans, as noted here time and time again, the republicans of today in America are fascists…Bernie has had my undying devotion for a very long time, I suggest you read of it here …FDR’s 2nd Bill of Rights & Bernie’s Green New Deal and here …Senator Bernie Sanders there are other pages that suggest the reasons why we, as a nation and as a society need him to guide us away from the rocky shores we are about to smash up upon…it is also my reasoning the FDR would stand shoulder to shoulder with Bernie and for me, that should be good enough for anyone…questions? there is the contact page…Dershowitz is flat WRONG!, abuse of power is impeachable, it
is the very reason why America exists, he is throwing the Constitution under the bus or out the window, take your pick…

‘Oh my God, Sanders can win’: Democrats grapple with Bernie surge in Iowa