



Save adults and children disabled by mental illness

Millions of Americans with serious mental illnesses depend upon Medicaid for treatment and services that allow them to live safely and productively in our communities. Poorly conceived Medicaid regulatory changes will deprive persons with mental illnesses and developmental disabilities and children in the foster care system of basic services, driving them to emergency rooms, to more costly institutional care, and possibly even to homelessness.

HR 5613/S 2819, Protecting the Medicaid Safety Net Act of 2008, delays the implementation of regulations that slash Medicaid funding for essential mental health services. Thank you to the House for passing HR 5613. We urge the Senate to vote to stop Medicaid cuts before May 25.

Protect Medicaid and save our communities!
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