

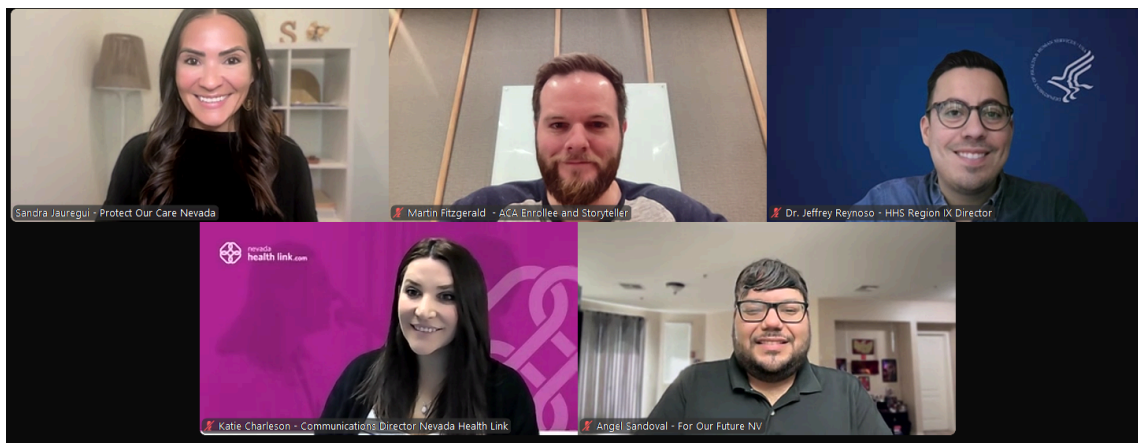
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U.S. HSS Region IX Director Dr. Jeffrey Reynoso, Nevada Health Link, For Our Future and Affordable Care Act (ACA) enrollee Join Protect Our Care Nevada to Discuss ACA Open Enrollment Period, and What's At Stake if Premium Tax Credits Expire



Watch the event [here](#)

Las Vegas, NV – Monday, December 9 at 9:00am PST, U.S. HSS Region IX Director Dr. Jeffrey Reynoso, Katie Charleson with Nevada Health Link, For Our Future and Affordable Care Act (ACA) enrollee joined Protect Our Care Nevada to discuss the urgent need for Congress to stop Republican premium hikes. The Affordable Care Act (ACA) open enrollment period runs through January 15, and Nevadans will continue to save thousands of dollars on their health care thanks to the Inflation Reduction Act's enhanced premium tax credits. Thanks to these savings passed by the Biden-Harris administration and Democrats in Congress, a record 99,312 Nevadans enrolled in ACA Marketplace plans in 2024. But, these tax credits are set to expire at the end of 2025.

Millions of Americans are depending on lower premiums. According to [a new report](#) from the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, if Republicans in Congress do not take action to extend the Inflation Reduction Act's savings, an estimated [9 in 10 Nevadans](#) who obtained insurance through Nevada Health Link will see their premiums increase by approximately \$432/year. Speakers urged Republicans in Congress to renew these tax credits so that Nevadans can continue to rely on these savings to remain insured and healthy.

“In 2024 over 99,000 Nevadans selected a plan through Healthcare.Gov. I’m proud that health coverage enrollment has remained consistent at or near record levels during the entirety of the Biden Harris administration, a testament to our shared commitment with Nevada Health Link to strengthen and protect access.” - Dr. Jeffrey Reynoso, U.S. HHS Regional Director

“New this year is that they changed the role to what lawfully present means in terms of eligibility in the market place, including DACA, but also asylum seekers and other non citizens with work authorization permits, may now be eligible to enroll in subsidized plans.” - Katie Charleson, Nevada Health Links

You can view the full event [here](#) and learn more about ACA open enrollment and Republican attacks on health care [here](#).

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