

Thank you in advance for the opportunity to testify.

The lack of coverage is very common, especially around people of color populations they are at greater risk of being uninsured than others.

Nearly one in five of all Americans report that they need health care but, cannot afford it. I have 2 friends one with a diabetic condition the other missed diagnosed with Cerebral Palsy and still neither can get proper treatment. Another needs surgery and has to choose whether to sell your house and be homeless or have surgery and treatment. I could go on and on. There are about 44 million uninsured Americans in this country, WHY? We are in the United States of America For Crying Out Loud.

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