SICK OF IT!
FIX HEALTH CARE NOW.

WI-03 · THE COULEE REGION

DERRICK VAN ORDEN VOTED FOR OVER $1 TRILLION IN HEALTH CARE CUTS

Now Wisconsinites are losing coverage, facing higher costs, and watching access to care disappear across the Coulee Region.

Last year, **Derrick Van Orden voted with Donald Trump** to slash over **$1 trillion** from Medicaid and the Affordable Care Act to pay for lavish tax cuts for billionaires and big corporations. New Medicaid eligibility limits will kick millions off coverage, while funding restrictions rip away money from hospitals, clinics, and nursing homes. They also ended the ACA premium tax credits that made coverage affordable for 22 million people — forcing working families to absorb skyrocketing premiums.

In WI-03, two health care facilities are at risk or already closed after Van Orden's vote sparked a health care crisis. For many Wisconsinites, getting care means traveling farther, waiting longer, paying more — or going without it altogether. While Van Orden campaigns with Donald Trump and Kash Patel, Wisconsinites are struggling to pay their bills and access the care they need.

> After voting to cut over $1 trillion from health care, Derrick Van Orden cheered on the prospect of millions of Americans losing coverage.
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> **The reality tells a very different story.**

BY THE NUMBERS

WISCONSINITES ARE CHOOSING BETWEEN PAYING MORE OR GOING WITHOUT CARE

65,389

Wisconsinites have already lost the Medicaid, CHIP, or ACA coverage they counted on after Republicans gutted health care

19,813
lost their Medicaid or CHIP coverage

45,576
dropped ACA coverage after premiums spiked

30,000
district residents were receiving the ACA tax credits Van Orden voted against extending

110,000
Wisconsinites anticipated to become uninsured between 2025 and 2034

+148%
average premium increase this year for Wisconsinites who counted on ACA tax credits

THE PREMIUM SHOCK

FAMILIES ARE PAYING THOUSANDS MORE EVERY YEAR

For Wisconsinites who buy their own coverage, the premium spikes are staggering:

45-year-old $64,000 INCOME	**+$2,844** INCREASE	**$8,284** NEW ANNUAL PREMIUM
60-year-old couple $85,000 INCOME	**+$23,916** INCREASE	**$31,141** NEW ANNUAL PREMIUM
Family of four $130,000 INCOME	**+$12,392** INCREASE	**$23,442** NEW ANNUAL PREMIUM

WISCONSIN HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS AT RISK

VAN ORDEN'S CUTS ARE PUSHING HOSPITALS TO THE BRINK

$90M

in additional funding Wisconsin providers will lose as the premium tax credits vanish

5.6%

spike in uncompensated-care demand Wisconsin providers will face as the uninsured surge

$2.4B

Wisconsin hospitals alone are expected to lose over the next decade

Two health care facilities in Van Orden's district are at risk or have already closed:

AT RISK **MAYO CLINIC HEALTH SYSTEM – OAKRIDGE**

CLOSED **ENT & ALLERGY ASSOCIATES, WISCONSIN RAPIDS**

VOICES FROM THE COULEE REGION

REAL PEOPLE, REAL CONSEQUENCES

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I'm a cancer survivor—colon cancer—for six years...And with the new bill—the big crappy bill—I lost the subsidies that were in place before. And last year, I paid $938 a month for my health insurance for my wife and I. This year, it's $2,743 a month. That's a $21,600 increase.

MARK, EAU CLAIRE COUNTY

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I know friends who said that their costs are going up $12,000, $16,000, $24,000, and they have no choice because they have health issues and they have to have medications...My heart just breaks for them.

MARTY, SPARTA

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They kind of held us like they didn't care about what we are as disabled people.

JASON, EAU CLAIRE

WISCONSINITES ARE SICK OF IT.

Derrick Van Orden chose tax breaks for billionaires over the health care of the families he represents. It's time to restore the tax credits, reverse the Medicaid cuts, and lower costs — before more Coulee Region families lose the care they depend on.

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