



HEALTHY NEW YORK

A Plan to Increase Health Care Access and
Affordability



OUR PLAN

- Give New Yorkers “Real Choice” ✓
- Strengthen End-of-Life and Palliative Care ✓
- Protect Against Government-Controlled Care ✓
- Ensure Access to Home-Based Care ✓
- Incentivize Health Care Professionals to Work in High-Need Areas ✓

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Related Legislation

Real Choice Health Act: Expands enrollment periods for the New York State of Health, expands access to health insurance navigators, allows individuals to determine health insurance eligibility through tax returns, creates a Health Benefit and Cost Commission, and creates a New York State Health Savings Account (**A.4545, Jensen**).

Hospice and Palliative Care Workgroup: Establishes a hospice and palliative care workgroup to study and issue recommendations related to the state of affairs of hospice and palliative care services offered in New York State, the utilization metrics of hospice and palliative care services, and the effectiveness and accessibility of home hospice and palliative care services (**A.7577 of 2024, Blumencranz**).

Freedom of Choice in Health Care Act: Ensures it is the policy of New York that its citizens can enter into private contracts with healthcare providers and purchase private healthcare coverage. In addition, the State cannot impose a penalty or fine against any New Yorker who chooses not to participate in any healthcare system or plan (**A.4577, Jensen**).

New York State Nursing Shortage Correction Act: Provides tuition assistance to individuals looking to become a nurse and who commit to working in New York for the same length of time as the degree or program takes to complete (**A.6251, Palmesano**).

Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program (CDPAP) Transition Delay: Extends the transition period of the Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program (CDPAP) to a single fiscal intermediary from April 1st to July 1st, 2025 in order to provide the necessary time for consumers and personal assistants alike to complete the registration process with the State's designated fiscal intermediary (**A.7426, Jensen**).
