



A Coordinated Statewide Response to Coverage Losses

Protect access to health care and build on what works

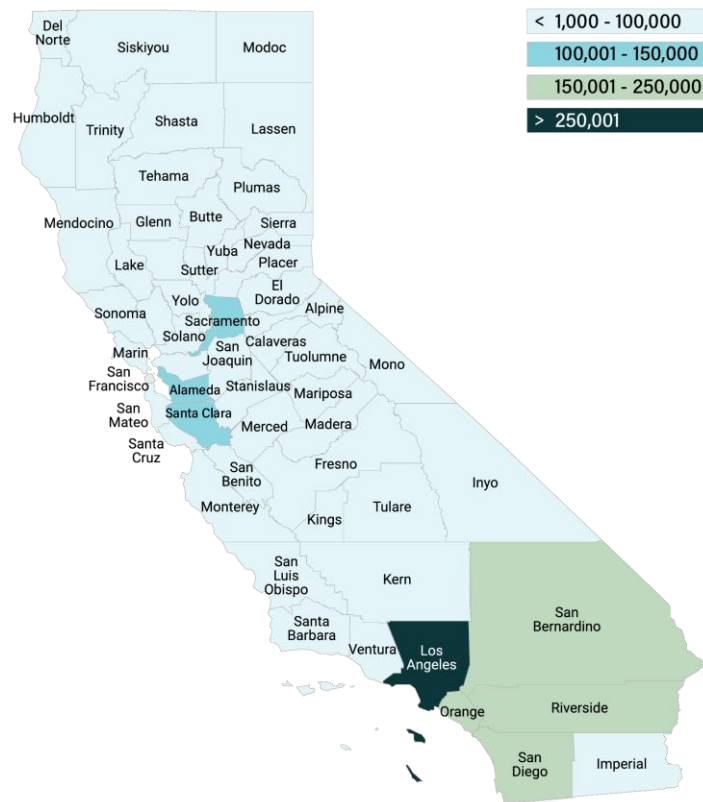
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Projected Medi-Cal Reduction by County, 2028

Where are the New Uninsured?

Alameda	127,000	Kings	3,000	Placer	14,000	Shasta	9,000
Alpine	< 1,000	Lake	2,000	Plumas	< 1,000	Sierra	< 1,000
Amador	1,000	Lassen	1,000	Riverside	189,000	Siskiyou	1,000
Butte	14,000	Los Angeles	1,113,000	Sacramento	111,000	Solano	30,000
Calaveras	2,000	Madera	6,000	San Benito	1,000	Sonoma	33,000
Colusa	< 1,000	Marin	18,000	San Bernardino	177,000	Stanislaus	15,000
Contra Costa	73,000	Mariposa	1,000	San Diego	210,000	Sutter	2,000
Del Norte	< 1,000	Mendocino	9,000	San Francisco	65,000	Tehama	2,000
El Dorado	7,000	Merced	9,000	San Joaquin	18,000	Trinity	1,000
Fresno	27,000	Modoc	< 1,000	San Luis Obispo	14,000	Tulare	19,000
Glenn	1,000	Mono	1,000	San Mateo	59,000	Tuolumne	2,000
Humboldt	10,000	Monterey	21,000	Santa Barbara	46,000	Ventura	61,000
Imperial	2,000	Napa	8,000	Santa Clara	129,000	Yolo	12,000
Inyo	1,000	Nevada	5,000	Santa Clara	129,000	Yuba	2,000
Kern	29,000	Orange	249,000	Santa Cruz	19,000		



Data from the [UC Berkeley Labor Center](https://laborcenter.berkeley.edu/)



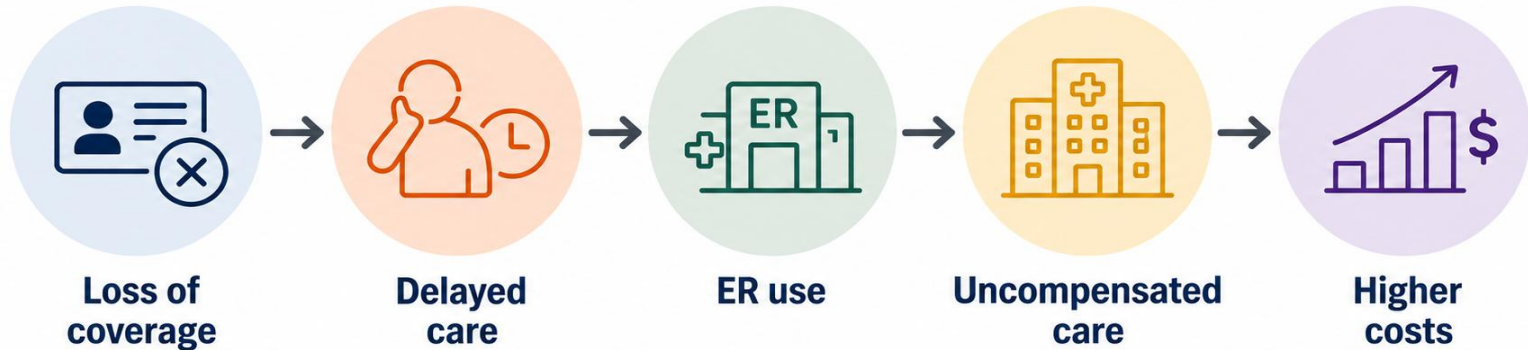
Why a Coordinated Statewide Approach Matters

- ✓ Statewide problem warrants a statewide solution
- ✓ Reduces administrative costs
- ✓ Similar access to health care regardless of zip code



The Cost of Doing Nothing

Doing nothing is not the low-cost option. It simply shifts the financial burden to the health care safety net.



Suggested Way Forward: Start With What Works

“Use what we have learned from the past to create a standardized, scalable framework that all counties can implement. This framework should emphasize what we know works — prevention and primary care, continuity of care, and administrative simplicity.”

Sandra R. Hernández, MD, President and CEO
California Health Care Foundation



Supporting Resources

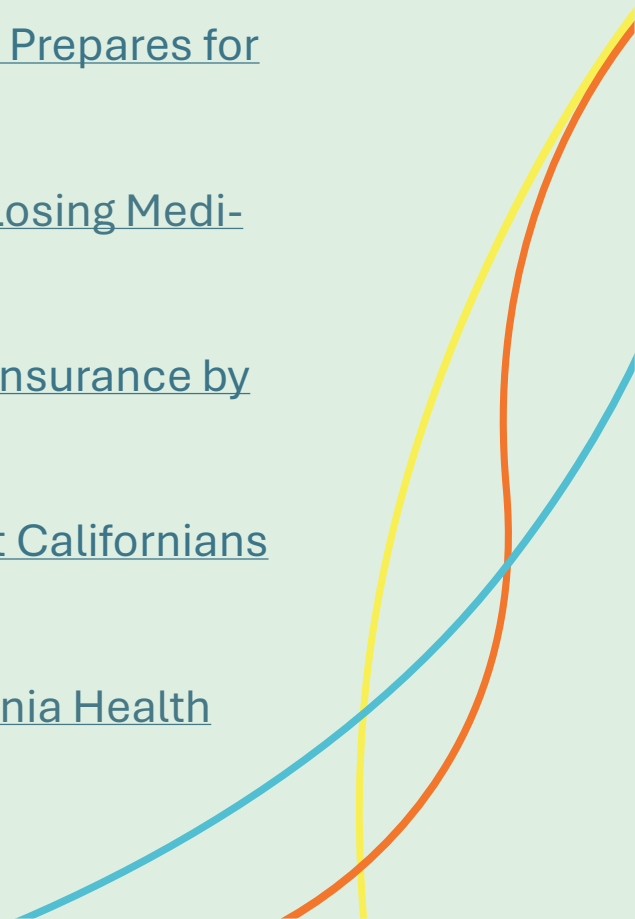
[Covering the Uninsured: Considerations for California as It Prepares for Coverage Losses](#)

[The New Uninsured: State Policy Options for Californians Losing Medi-Cal Coverage](#)

[Over 2 Million More Californians Projected to Lose Health Insurance by 2030](#)

[What is the H.R. 1 Work Requirement and How will it Affect Californians with Medi-Cal? Policy at a Glance](#)

[Medi-Cal in the H.R. 1 Era: Resources for the Field - California Health Care Foundation](#)





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