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Rationing Could Fix Health Care

Welcome to the Health Freedom Minute. This is Twila Brase, president of Citizens’ Council for Health Freedom.

This may be summertime and suntanned children may be blissfully playing in warm lakes and imagining bright futures, but former Colorado Governor Richard Lamm is planting seeds of socialism and called rationing a “fix” for what ails health care.

In the Denver Post, he says the unmentionable – rationing – has become the inevitable. He claims the uninsured have no access to care which isn’t true. He blames uninsurance for bankruptcies, yet employer-sponsored coverage is often the problem. When someone gets sick they often lose their job, their income and their insurance.

He says doctors should limit what they do for individuals because it may interfere with basic care for others. This is centralized, zero-sum thinking.

More on Lamm’s anti-health freedom plan tomorrow.

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