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Illegals Get Taxpayer-Funded Medicaid Coverage in California

On July 9th, California’s governor signed a bill into law to make lower income illegal immigrants under the age of 26 eligible for Medicaid. They expect 90,000 people to be covered by this law, at a cost of $98 million. Governor Newsom refused to expand coverage to all illegal adults because it would cost about $3.4 billion. But the governor vows to expand coverage later.

President Trump and the administration have power to stop this violation of the Constitution and taxpayer rights. Trump could stop California’s access to federal Medicaid dollars, which are funded by all American taxpayers. Federal taxpayers are on the hook for 50 percent of California’s Medicaid program, thus $49 million for this expansion.


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