AARP’s Faulty Reasoning

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

The AARP endorsed ObamaCare. Now they blame it for rising prices. An AARP email to employees says insurance premiums will increase by 8 to 13 percent next year. AARP is also raising deductibles and copays to avoid the 40 percent ObamaCare tax on high-cost plans.

The so-called “Cadillac” tax will impact individual policies that cost $10,200 or more and family policies that cost $27,500 or more. Labor unions are exempt.

AARP says its support for ObamaCare was not affected by the impact on their own employees. They claim the law will improve access for AARP members. As prices rise, and doctors head for the doors, this will prove to be very faulty reasoning.

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