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Waivers, Waivers Everywhere

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

The Obama administration has approved another 221 waivers from the annual and lifetime limit requirements of Obamacare. This brings the total to 1,372 waivers. Three point one million individuals can buy health insurance that does not meet Obamacare requirements.

Of those receiving waivers, more than half – over 1.5 million – are in labor union plans. The percentage of people in unions with waivers rose from 45% in March to 48% in April.

If the federal health care law is so wonderful, why are so many employers and health plans seeking to get out from under its requirements? These waivers last for one year. If your health plan doesn’t get a waiver, expect higher costs or less coverage.

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