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Physician Pay Crisis is Opportunity

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

Doctors are in a full-fledged battle with Congress.

Three weeks ago, doctors got a 21 percent pay cut. Federal law requires it, but for five years Congress has refused to implement it. Not this time.

Is Congress testing whether doctors will eventually agree to make more bricks with less straw? A bill to avoid the pay cut for just 6 months is possible, but then what? ObamaCare cuts Medicare by $500 billion dollars. Medicare has a $38 trillion dollar unfunded liability. And 77 million babyboomers are on the way.

This crisis is actually an opportunity. Doctors may drop participation in Medicare and begin building affordable cash practices to care for all the senior citizens who will soon face government rationing.

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