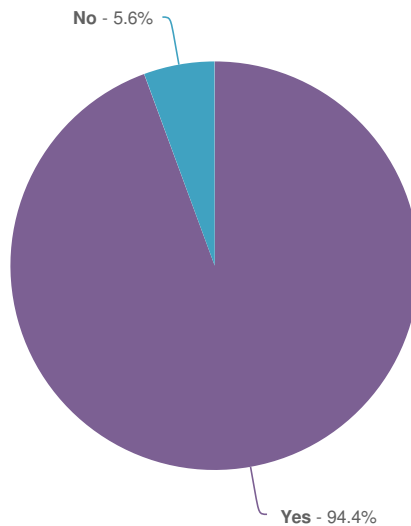




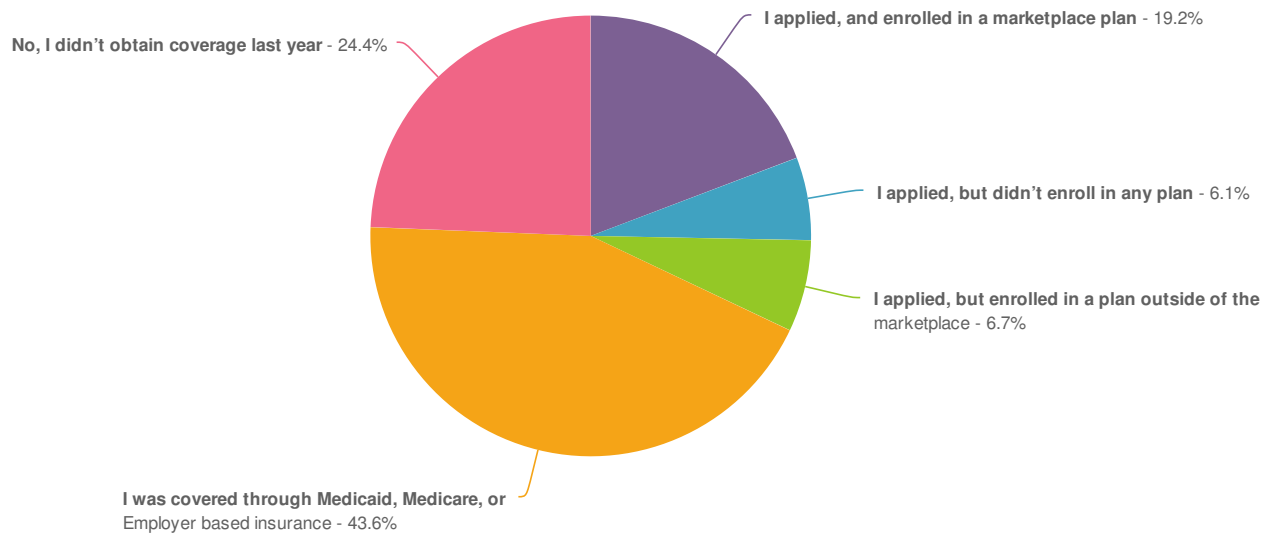
Poll Report

1. Are you aware of the Health Insurance Marketplace?



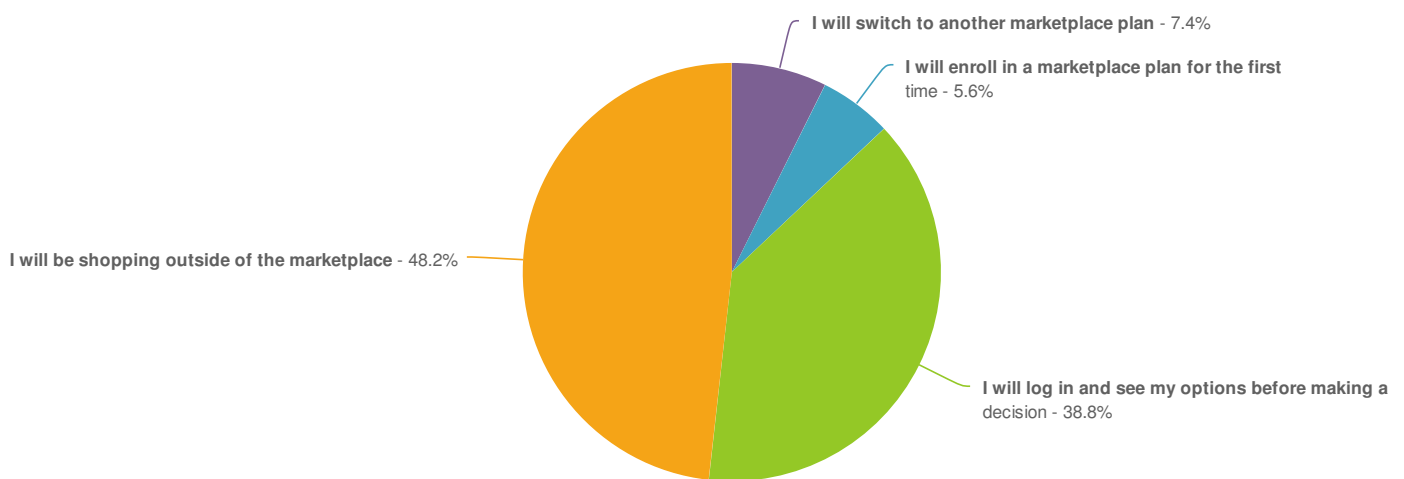
Yes	94.4%		589
No	5.6%		35
Total			624

2. Did you use the Health Insurance Marketplace to obtain coverage last year (2014)?



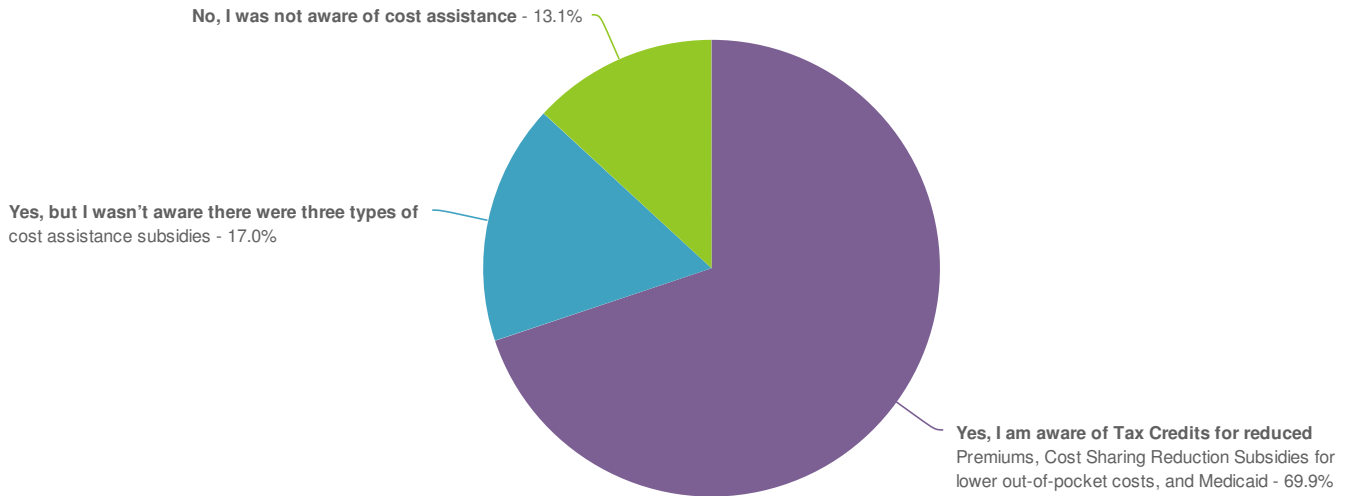
I applied, and enrolled in a marketplace plan	19.2%		120
I applied, but didn't enroll in any plan	6.1%		38
I applied, but enrolled in a plan outside of the marketplace	6.7%		42
I was covered through Medicaid, Medicare, or Employer based insurance	43.6%		272
No, I didn't obtain coverage last year	24.4%		152
Total			624

3. Will you be using the Health Insurance Marketplace to enroll in a plan or switch plans this year (2015)?



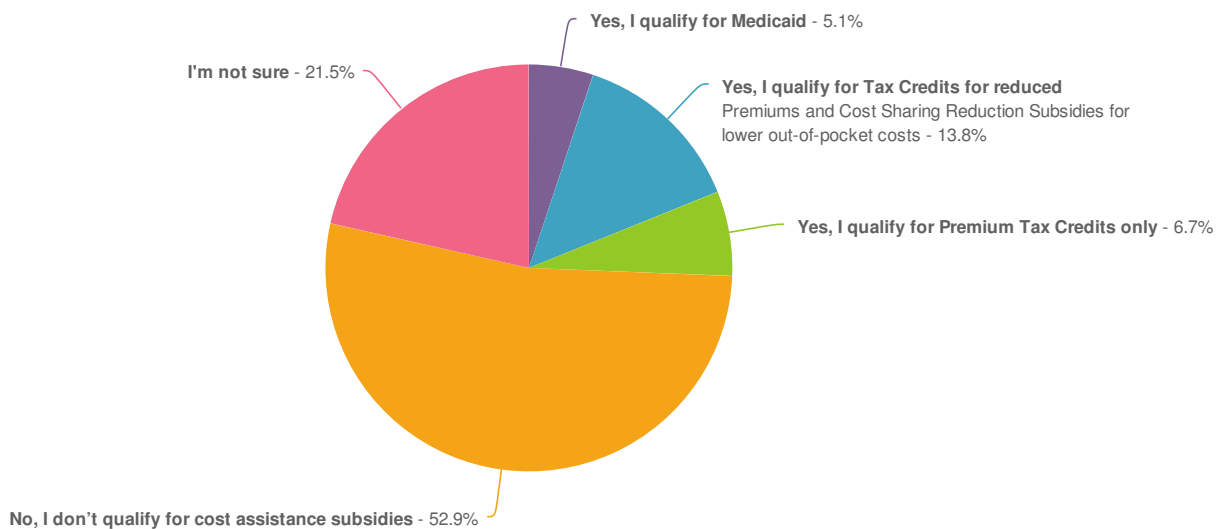
I will switch to another marketplace plan	7.4%		46
I will enroll in a marketplace plan for the first time	5.6%		35
I will log in and see my options before making a decision	38.8%		242
I will be shopping outside of the marketplace	48.2%		301
Total			624

4. Are you aware of cost assistance available through the Health Insurance Marketplace?



Yes, I am aware of Tax Credits for reduced Premiums, Cost Sharing Reduction Subsidies for lower out-of-pocket costs, and Medicaid	69.9%		436
Yes, but I wasn't aware there were three types of cost assistance subsidies	17.0%		106
No, I was not aware of cost assistance	13.1%		82
Total			624

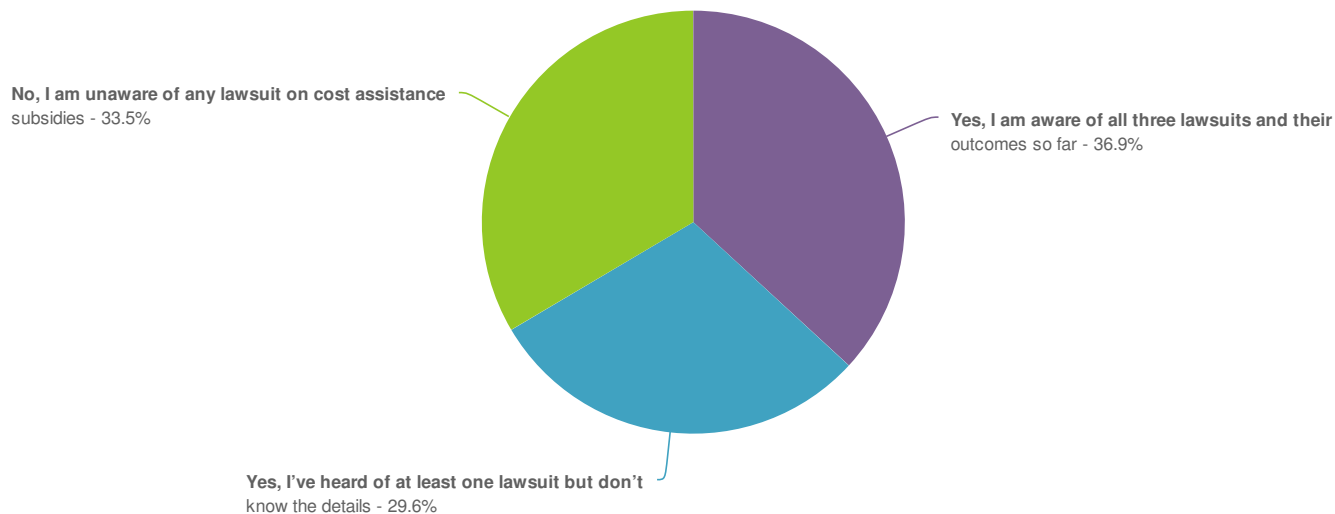
5. Do you qualify for cost assistance through the Health Insurance Marketplace?



Yes, I qualify for Medicaid	5.1%		32
Total			624

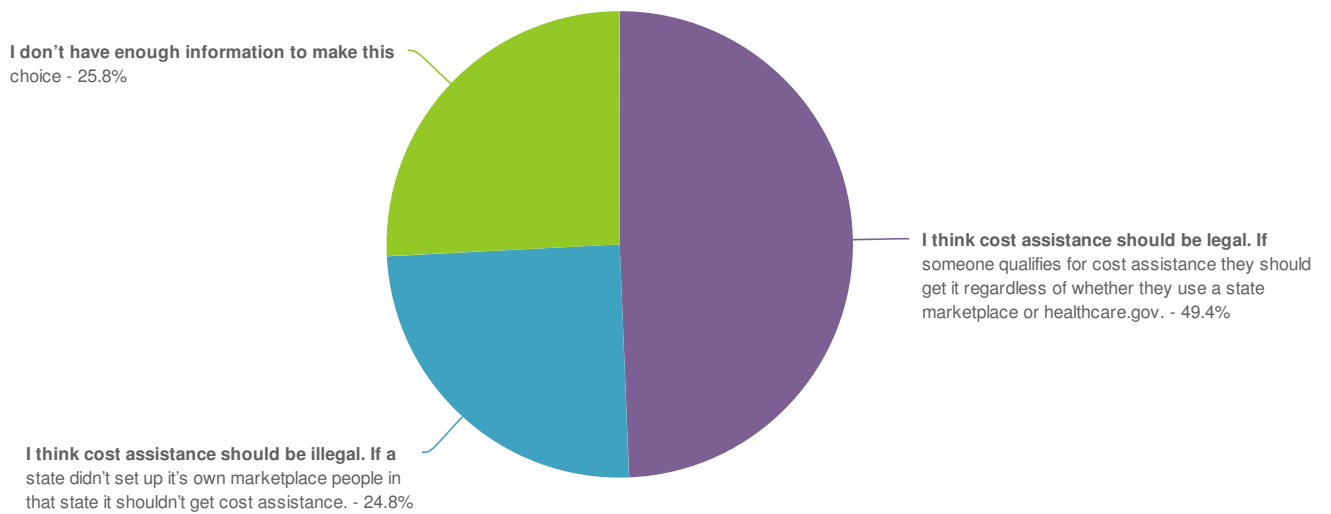
Yes, I qualify for Tax Credits for reduced Premiums and Cost Sharing Reduction Subsidies for lower out-of-pocket costs	13.8%		86
Yes, I qualify for Premium Tax Credits only	6.7%		42
No, I don't qualify for cost assistance subsidies	52.9%		330
I'm not sure	21.5%		134
		Total	624

6. Are you aware of the lawsuits on the legality of cost assistance subsidies?



Yes, I am aware of all three lawsuits and their outcomes so far	36.9%		230
Yes, I've heard of at least one lawsuit but don't know the details	29.7%		185
No, I am unaware of any lawsuit on cost assistance subsidies	33.5%		209
		Total	624

7. The lawsuits are based off of wording in the law that says only states that established their own marketplaces are allowed to make subsidies available to those who qualify for them. Do you think cost assistance should be legal in states that didn't set up their own marketplaces?



I think cost assistance should be legal. If someone qualifies for cost assistance they should get it regardless of whether they use a state marketplace or healthcare.gov.	49.4%		308
I think cost assistance should be illegal. If a state didn't set up it's own marketplace people in that state it shouldn't get cost assistance.	24.8%		155
I don't have enough information to make this choice	25.8%		161
		Total	624

Please use the space below to provide more detail if you would like (Optional):

Count	Response
1	\$50+ makes a huge difference for the poverty life
1	Cost assist just takes from one to give to another
1	Cost assistance is useless because the plans are too expensive with outrageous deductibles.
1	How can I afford insurance without a job?
1	I THINK THAT THE ACA ITS THE BEST THINK THAT THIS GOVERMENT HAS DONE.
1	I believe being force to buy something by the government is tyranny.
1	I hate this I'm not going to sign up. Screw obomacare come get me!!!!
1	I just need help paying for all this
1	I live in Louisiana
1	I really dont care for insurance, thats what I have bags and bags of silver for.
1	I think cost assistance should be illegal for everyone. The ACA is illegal as well

Count Response

1	I think the entire law should be determined illegal.
1	I think the entire law should be illegal
1	I think the gov should get a refund from the company who set up the exchange
1	I'm confused and need assistanc with medication until my high deductible is met.....
1	If I can't choose my doctor or hospital the plan should be repealed!
1	If obamacare comes in it would be great. Everyone must have health care
1	Impeach obama
1	Insurance should be optional, Not Mandatory.
1	Laws should be enforced as written.
1	RIPOFF
1	Repeal the entire ACA
1	States should be required to expand Medicaid based on the funding available through the ACA.
1	The law clearly states that subsidies are only available through the state exchanges.
1	The law is CLEAR. The question is worded to deceive.
1	The law suit on this issue is purely political and part of the GOP effort to repeal the ACA
1	The law was written by Obama's people, so that must be the result they wanted.
1	The whole King lawsuit is a twisted interpretation of the law.
1	This is a communist ideal forcing consumers to buy a comercial product.
1	You need to learn the difference between "its" and "it's". It's making you seem stupid.
1	another tax that is unjustified for the american people
1	if the law was written, it should be obeyed. If you don't like it , change the law.
1	survival of the fitests
1	the words in the law are very clear
1	this whole thing should be illegal. Forcing us to something against our will.
1	I think that it is immoral at best and outright cruel at worst to punish people because their governors or state legislatures hate President Obama.
1	The help is only good for low income people . It's not for the hard working class . The income rates for help are ridiculous . If you don't live at the doctors office all the time . It's not worth it . I'm not paying a bundle of money to get treated for a cold once a year . They need to review their rates and who it's for . Something decent would be nice .
1	Mandatory healthcare should be made illegal. If I don't go to the doctor, I shouldn't be forced to pay for unused services.

Count Response

1	Why on earth make things so elaborate in the first place? Set a price for the cost of healthcare that the majority of uninsured can afford to pay and leave it at that. Better yet, if we as a nation are hell-bent on having healthcare for everyone, why not a single payer system? Leave the insurance companies out of this all together? But then, that might have something to do with the power and influence of Lobbies, right? I have nothing against people having some form of healthcare, but how is any of this addressing the still existing issue of how much it costs for healthcare for everyone involved in the system? It's not--and they will make sure; they being spin doctors and Lobbies, that the issue is never addressed.
1	People may have a right to OBTAIN health insurance, but they don't have a right to FREE health insurance. You should not be able to FORCE people to purchase/supply production. It's the same with the right to bear arms. You have a right to the weapon, but you don't get it for free. People need to remember the difference between a "right" and an "entitlement". I busted my ass in college to get off of the government's dime, and I am beyond PISSED that they are trying to force me back on it.
1	Uninsured Americans or Americans looking for less expensive insurance should have the opportunity to buy and get health insurance coverage that meets their needs regardless of whether they live in a state which has established a state market place or not. These Americans should not be penalized for living in a state that has chosen to deny its citizens affordable health care insurance and has turned down federal assistance to pay for this expansion. PA'ns are still not able to get needed health insurance coverage through a state insurance exchange due to the late startup of a state program and the burdensome requirements of the program that is just being instituted in the last few weeks. Hopefully, the new Governor will drop the exchange arrangement left by the preceding administration and institute an open state exchange that assures PA'ns the opportunity for health care insurance covera that the ACA legislation makes available.
1	The plans I have looked at cost more and have higher deductibles than our old plan. We are self-employed and beyond child bearing age. Obamacare is going to devastate our budget!
1	These are misleading questions targeted at the uninformed. To say I think it should be illegal is based on my belief the government shouldn't be dictating health laws or over ruling a states laws on the subject. Subsidies are paid by everyone and people tend to forget where that money comes from. So I'm against making it illegal due to a bigger picture not given here.
1	Federal means all 50 states. This law is for the lazy that don't want to work. Health Care is not a constitutional right.
1	The law is stated plainly and should be followed. If the law is wrong, take it back to the legislators and revise it.
1	I do not think that enrolling through the marketplace should be the ONLY way to receive cost assistance. Rather the whole insurance coverage should be thrown away and redone following the coverage available in Israel, Great Britain, or Canada.
1	it is absolutely criminal that these bastards want to force Americans to pay more for insurance, then have the unmitigated gall to offer to give them some of their own money back to pay these inflated prices.
1	I think the law should be rewritten or amended, since as it stands providing these subsidies is not within the law.
1	This was an attempt to use the constitutions commerce clause and blanket this section across the nation, it failed. The wording must be taken at its plain meaning which is what we do with all our other laws. An amendment would be acceptable and might work, however the deeper issue is the law is to long for its own good. The length of the law is what contributes to these mistakes in wording and what ultimately hinders the law. In my opinion the length is the primary cause that turned this law from being potentially beneficial to basically a disaster.
1	I will never sign up for a unconstitutional law that forces me to buy something (that's not even good) just for being alive...
1	I hate being forced by the gov. to enroll in their stupid Obamacare. I don't go to doctors and will never use it!
1	Georgia acts hateful toward the poor and people of color. Some of the people whistling Dixie seem to long for the good 'ol days of slavery & cotton & tobacco plantations.
1	There shouldn't be any law in regards health care. It is the individuals choice to obtain health care coverage or not.
1	I really want to see a single payer system managed by each state with federal and state funds correlating the subsidies fairly as to each states geographical size and demographics. Giving ALL Americans equal coverage and access. We CAN and SHOULD DO THIS!

Count Response

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- 1 Thank you Mr. President for the ACA. My insurance is cheaper and better than what I had when I was working and paying 800 per month. If it was not there I would have nothing.
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- 1 This is a bit off topic, but now that I have an opportunity, Thank you so much for the \$420 fine for an unconstitutional theft of my choice. All the hardworking people absolutely LOVE paying for the lazy government-dependent baby making machines. Can we make them have their tubes tied instead of using our hard earned money to pay for their drugs and for the food stamps that purchase their candy bars and other various non-essentials?
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- 1 A disabled California senior, I was PREviously well-served by CA's :Medi-Medi program. Then Obamacare forced me into an HMO [Health Net] that destroys continuity of care, forces me to drive [be driven, actually] several miles for the simplest medical needs: wound care; routine blood tests, "What's this funny thing growing on my skin?" etc. because I no longer have access to local "family health centers". I was FORCED to abandon adequate health care for a crummy system staffed largely by crummy doctors--to me, the whole thing is simply TOTALITARIAN. --I can't even move if I want to: only 2 hospitals accept this stupid Health Net--so Obamacare now controls not just the MDs I see, but also where I must live. I feel like I'm living in a dictatorship now. Medi-Medi was working well for me. "If it ain't broke, don't fix it." Guess the current dictator never heard that bit of folk wisdom. Here's one life-long Democrat bolting the party: Dictators are not my thing.
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- 1 Given the obvious statutory wording, together with the intent to withhold subsidies in states not creating a marketplace as inducement to establish such exchanges, as indicated in legislative history together with the pronouncements of Prof. Gruber, the architect of Obamacare, the intent of Congress is clear, and to rule otherwise would be to rewrite the law.
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- 1 Being forced into Obamacare is unconstitutional. Obamacare has taken away freedom of choice. My previous plan was canceled due to Obamacare. My previous plan provided me the coverage I needed at an affordable price. Under Obamacare my annual cost for the premium and deductible has increased by 200%. As of 01Jan2015 this will increase by another 25.90%.
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- 1 I work as a contractor. I never know what months I may or may not be working, nor do I know exactly how much I will make on each contract. How, can I possibly get any assistance when my income is so unpredictable?
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- 1 States which refused to set up state marketplace exchanges did so motivated more by hyperpartisan politics than by objective reasoning and consideration.
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- 1 raising the question at all is ridiculous because it does not justify treating the citizens of one particular state radically different by not offering one type of subsidy or perhaps any subsidy to citizens of a state
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- 1 I actually did know about the cost assistance deal I just didn't understand the previous question
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- 1 I think that cost assistance should be available based on necessary bill to income ratio (including phone, car, house, electricity/energy costs, and possibly even reasonable internet access), rather than strictly income
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- 1 The only reason there's any question at all is because sorry assed republicans hate the president because of his race.
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- 1 In states like Mississippi, many people can't get insurance because of decisions made by the governor. I consider his actions criminal.
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- 1 I don't think the government should have any say about an individual purchasing healthcare. I personally am a 22 year old full time college student supporting myself with a part time job, I'm not considered a dependent on a parent's tax return. and i have mental disorder (bipolar) . but my father's drug addict ex wife, with multiple different felonies, rehab 'attempts', 4 children(which he financially supports), and no job. qualifies for free healthcare. I LITERALLY make \$300 over the highest possible income to qualify for assistance. the minimum monthly premium I can pay is 23% of my income, before taxes, but after college tuition(communitary college-mind you). And it doesn't even cover my medications until I pay more than \$6000. Our government is pitiful. Its not a democracy. Its a corrupt system designed to keep the poor, poor, and make the rich even richer. A big fuck you to each and every person who decided this was a good idea. And no I'm not talking about voters, because, lets get real.. Nobody that is actually affected has any say.
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Count Response

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- 1 I think the law should be enforced as written - if Congress (or, more accurately, the Democrats in Congress) did not bother to read the law, or did not understand the very clear meaning of the wording they used, it should not be the role of the courts to re-draft the law to read the way the Democrats now wish it to read. If the law needs to be fixed - and it does, for a host of reasons beyond the availability of subsidies, then it should be the role of Congress to fix it. The fact that Congress is no longer controlled exclusively by Democrats is in no small part a direct and deserved result of the passage of this dreadful law. I have no doubt that people who get free or subsidized health insurance coverage under it love it; despite the BS dispensed by most of the media, there is a far larger group of people who have lost perfectly adequate, self-selected health insurance coverage under it, who have seen premiums skyrocket and deductibles and out of pocket costs dramatically increase, and have seen their doctor and facility "in-network groups" shrink significantly in the name of "health care reform". It is legislation that is neither wanted nor appreciated by a large and constantly growing number of voters who work for a living, and it needs to be changed radically. But that's just my unbiased opinion.
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- 1 The freeloaders in this country should rely on themselves ONLY for healthcare assistance. If it's ok for some, it should be ok for ALL taxpayers, not just the freeloaders.
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- 1 So far, I have been covered for the Months of May through December. The premium jumped from \$44.00 to 161.00, then back down to 17.00 and now I am suppose to give them \$100.00 per month for a relatively healthy single adult. The biggest ripoff of American consumers that I can think of; I am paying 1000 times more for something I do not need or want. I am a human being and do not appreciate the way my current health is being manipulated by a bunch of people who do not care if you get the care you need. Basically it is who can we insure for the most amount of money at the least expense so they can pay their whining customer service reps who park in their new garage. Build another multi-billion dollar parking garage at the cost and expense of the consumers hard earned money/ or keep denying medically necessary health treatment for people who have been paying for years and get nothing in return. Hmmm. Caesars dead.
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- 1 the wording in the law makes it illegal for subsidies in states that didn't set up their own exchange
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- 1 I think that everyone should be able to have affordable health care regardless of whether or not their state accepts ObamaCare.
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- 1 I think the affordable healthcare act is a step in the right direction to improve health care in the waves delivered in this country.
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- 1 My state does have it's own market place. I still can't afford the "affordable care". It is twice as much as the plan I have had since 2007. But that plan even doubles in cost for me now if I plan to keep it. Perhaps I should quit my job.
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- 1 Based on what I was taught about law, what I "think" is irrelevant. What the law says is how it must work.
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- 1 As a country we have an obligation to take care of our people. If we let our own people suffer from disease and injury, we are no better than an oppressive dictatorship.
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- 1 This is merely a Republican plan to gut the program and not increase spending. It's short sighted as OC will save more money in the long run
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- 1 unless republicans have a better option they should leave the ACA alone. They are being the true death panel.
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- 1 Obamacare sucks for me. My deductible is so high now that I am unable to afford the operation that I need. I have to meet the high deductible before the insurance that I pay for can be used to make all my medications affordable. I am now forced to go without my medications.
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- 1 Obama care caused my employer to cut my hours and then take my employer health insurance away, so yes there needs to be cost assistance or the whole program fails.
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- 1 The question is completely irrelevant, considering the economic crisis that our country is facing. Even for those that do "qualify", they won't have the resources to pay for even the cheapest healthcare plan over time. There was nothing wrong with our healthcare system before, and I'm a graduate student paying off my loans. At the end of the day, we all should be given the "freedom" of choice; that is the very fabric of American life. Americans shouldn't be penalized because they chose not to choose. Evidently, we're turning into a socialist economy. It's truly sad and disgusting.
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Count Response

1	I feel as though a person, a U.S. Citizen, Americans should have the right to choose to have insurance or choose not to have insurance according to the constitution we the people have seven freedoms one of those freedoms is the freedom to choose. We should not be penalized nor should it have become mandated .
1	the cost assistance in NC only applies to unaffordable and / or worthless policies that suck a minium of 6k a year from my budget, and I still have to pay the first 5 k a year other companies have better policies that are just out of my current budgets reach , and I can't use the subsidy on them.so my freedom of choice has been taken away. Obama's Idea of cheaper ins. rates through competition has been walked all over. if the federal gov. is handing out subsidies then it should be the consumers choice to where they apply it not the states.
1	The coverage is not affordable in Wisconsin where the lower limit is 100% of federal poverty guideline if there is not cost assistance (all 3 kinds). Can't be done without it.
1	The wording of the law clearly states that only States that setup exchanges can receive subsidies. Jonathan Gruber acknowledged that the law was written this way to force States into creating exchanges.
1	I am fortunate to live in a state with its own marketplace but would feel bad for those in other states should the law change.
1	I know it's a joke.why are all the clowns in the White House are expected from this if its so good.I believe if the cook doesn't eat his own food I know something is wrong.
1	My son applied and told he made to LITTLE money to get help??? Made 6000 last year, told he would pay 285 a month and have a 6,600 deductible. If you make 500 a month how can you pay 285 and if you have a need you must give them your entire years salary. Bah Humbug.
1	First assistance should not be given, period (what is next assistance for car insurance). Until the law is repealed assistance should not be given only for STATES that qualify. The insurance is for the people of the USA not states. And should not be limited to states that waste million on setting up web sites.
1	I Still Think Obamacare and the proposed fines are Unconstitutional. It was Clear that a substantial Majority of Americans didn't want it, But King Obama does whatever he wants, regardless of what Americans want.
1	The federal government should enforce the law as written, and the subsidies in multiple parts of the law are only for states who set up their own exchanges.
1	Dr. Ben Carson should be the one deciding how health care programs should be run, not Obama, not the states
1	I was implanted with a biochip without my knowledge and consent. It allows 24/7 torture by state and local police. It also causes cancer - I have had 3 surgeries at the site of the implant. These cops committed Medicaid fraud. They falsely arrest you or put you in a "crisis stabilization" ward to torture you - even unto death. It is because of the case of Schlendorff vs. Society of NY Hospital where judge Cardozo states that any free adult of sound mind has the right to determine what shall be done to his own body. Dr. Lawrence Chang, Pariser Dermatology admitted he did it to me. Dr. Stephen Cunningham said he had no part in the torture, gang rape and sodomy, he was only hired to medicate me. Even the judges are complicit in these heinous, atrocious crimes. Stop the lies. You should be sued for misinformation.
1	i go to va. why do i have to buy health ins? i am on workmans comp right now. every month i have to dip into savings to pay my bills. this is luducris!
1	Our employer insurance went up from about 400 for a family of four to over 1,500 with the new laws. We can no longer afford insurance through our jobs. We are looking into the NY exchange, but it's a nightmare just trying to get any info. It still looks like it will be over 800 or more for our family. And can't afford that bill either. ACA is ruining the middle class. It needs to go away!
1	Where I live in the state of Georgia, our insurance premiums have skyrocketed and we are being gouged by the insurance companies. Why would anyone vote for these Republicans who want to destroy healthcare for everyone except the wealthiest 1%???
1	You failed to mention that when filing 2014 income taxes, you are taxed on the difference between full premium and the reduced cost premium due to a lower income credit. Absolutely deceptive practices involved in this program and it should be repealed.

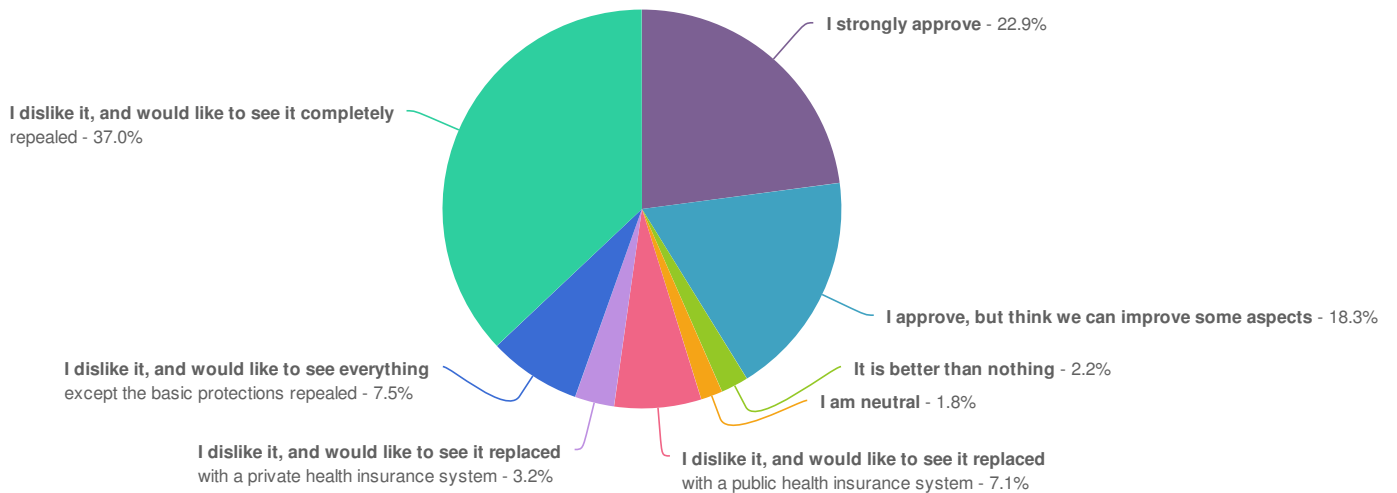
Count Response

1	SOTUS should rule on what the words of the law are, not what they or others think it should have been
1	I like the coverage I have had for most of the last 30 years, it's higher quality and cheaper than any form of ObamaCare I know about
1	It's just a massive fluster cuck. How can something so illegal to the bill of rights and Constitution, deemed void by the people (not Supreme Court), have any legal precedent to begin saying what's illegal and legal?
1	The law was poorly drafted, and the government has not followed the law many times. It is not saving money as this site alleges. It is an economic train wreck being bankrolled by the credit card of the federal government leaving a disaster for our children.
1	As a primary care healthcare provider, I find it sad to see just how Terrible obamacare is truthy is. Patients have less coverage, gutted benefits and higher premiums. And A LOT of families dont qualify for assistance, yet can't afford care, so what does the government do, fine them anyways. I see this on a daily basis. Obamacare is not healthcare, its legalized fraud and theft, its unethical and set up to benefit no one, but the insurance companies and politicians with their own personal agendas. I am furthermore ashamed at this website for feeding lies to the people. Obamacare is not even remotely the right answer and one of the most unethical hogwash I have ever seen.
1	Tennessee legislators won't even accept federal \$ to try to provide insurance for people in Tennessee
1	I would vote in favor of cost assistance if I knew who paid for the assistance...is it state of federal money?
1	Why am I paying for other people's subsidies. My family keeps healthy and really doesn't use much of our insurance. I'm not responsible for other people no matter what the Obama Administration says. It is a tax and a form of socialized Medicine and trust me I know socialized medicine I lived in Japan for 6 years. Stopping going down the path of socialism, don't enable people and make them responsible for themselves. Give a man a fish he eats for a day. Teach a man to fish he eats for the rest of his life. Who knows maybe the Obama Administration wants people to depend on the government.
1	That is how the law was written. If the government wants it changed it should do it through legislative means.
1	Forced enrollment in this fiasco is clearly unconstitutional--John Roberts was obviously bought off.
1	I'm an advocate for Medicare for All because health care coverage is way to complicated the way it is now and has been. This is the USA and to have so many different insurance options by different states is negligence on the part of Congress who enact these laws. United we stand, divided we fall and the way our country is going we will eventually fall. There is a quote that says it all: Keep it simple.
1	I think small business whom owners make over \$90,000.00 and have coverage for themselves should have to cover their full-time employees as well, including as few as 5.
1	Since obtaining any form of required health care is too expensive for me, I quit looking into options.
1	I believe that the law didn't anticipate states objecting to the marketplaces or the need to set up federally-sponsored marketplaces. It seems obvious that the intent of the law was to provide cost assistance regardless of whether any given marketplace was run the individual states or by the federal government.
1	I think these question does not justify why I now can't afford healthcare and have to pay penalty while providing ins for others who had coverage through medicare and Medicaid. I am so angry beyond words for the health insurance I no longer can afford because Obama. He has allowed insurance companies to increase premium to people like myself! I think I should be allow to skip questions since non of the choices I wish to address are given. so now picking an something just to move forward is ridiculous to say the least!
1	Hospitals should all be not for profit. The push for profit in the marketplace is what is causing the overall cost of medical care to spiral out of control. Other countries manage their resources much better than we do. Our medical care is much more expensive but not any better.

Count Response

- 1 its not affordable as the ignorant president has claimed ,,its hurt my living i need to sacrifice ,do i get food and gas or do I try to push off rent ,,it sucks ,he has no idea,,my paycheck varies week to week sometimes by 3hundred dollars,I have no set pay scale ,this damn ins scam hurts me.
- 1 I am unemployed. I was told today by a representative that I am not eligible for obama care or I would be responsible for the plan of \$351 a month.. so she gave me an certificate # so I can not get a fine when I file taxes. She said I could call a community clinic at 888-275-4772 if I needed health care. WTH... i thought this was health care act was there to help people.
- 1 I had insurance for most of 2014 but then cancelled it, due to the cost, even though I got a subsidy. Obamacare only takes into account how much a person's gross monthly income is.....not that they may have a large house payment, utility payments, car payments, home and car insurances, etc etc. They should take that into account and people like me might be able to afford it. Don't tell me to cut back on other things..I already do. I have a Care Credit account, that's all I can do.
- 1 My Social Security is taxed at 9.5% by the marketplace. I will have trouble paying for my Dr.s visits and medication. ACA ignores Medicare and VA programs. Spouse earns \$8320/yr and is required to pay \$4700/yr. ins. After taxes (15%) she has \$3077. The ins. plan is a waist. very high deductible and \$3077 will not cover it. Not worth using the card. This is not insurance, it is a cash grab. If you are fortunate enough to get a Premium Tax Credit you may have issues in later years from HHS. HHS can do Asset Recovery (bank accounts and property) after age 55.
- 1 Thanks to Obamacare I have insurance. I was disqualified before because of pre existing conditions. I know that Obamacare needs some fine tuning. But by no means should it be repealed.
- 1 The wording of the law was as intended, to coerce states into setting up subsidies. The authors of the law also tried to coerce states by (compassionately) taking ALL medicaid for states that did not expand, which was found unconstitutional. They wrote what they meant and the SCOTUS should uphold that.

8. How do you feel about the Affordable Care Act (ObamaCare) in General?



I strongly approve	22.9%	<div style="width: 22.9%; height: 10px; background-color: #663399;"></div>	143
I approve, but think we can improve some aspects	18.3%	<div style="width: 18.3%; height: 10px; background-color: #0099cc;"></div>	114
It is better than nothing	2.2%	<div style="width: 2.2%; height: 10px; background-color: #99cc33;"></div>	14
Total			624

I am neutral	1.8%		11
I dislike it, and would like to see it replaced with a public health insurance system	7.1%		44
I dislike it, and would like to see it replaced with a private health insurance system	3.2%		20
I dislike it, and would like to see everything except the basic protections repealed	7.5%		47
I dislike it, and would like to see it completely repealed	37.0%		231
		Total	624

9. Why do you feel that way about the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare)? (Optional):

Count	Response
1	ACA is a \$\$\$\$ gift to the health insurance companies and lawyers. Increased cost of insurance.
1	Allows uninsured and self-employed access to insurance.
1	Because just in my family alone 5 member now have insurance
1	Because the whole program is based on false data.
1	Better than nothing for those in need.
1	Cause it is not affordable
1	Communists created this law to have more control over people's healthcare.
1	Even with the tax credits, insurance is too expensive. (150 a month is not "affordable")
1	Get government out of our lives
1	Government has no right forcing to do something against our will.
1	Government cannot even run a gas station let alone a multibillion money pit
1	Government has no business in healthcare.
1	Government is unable to run anything well. It will destroy our health care system.
1	Great
1	I approve of the PPACA but would have preferred Medicare for all.
1	I believe Obamacare is on the right track. There is always room for improvement.
1	I did not realize I would have to pay \$950. out of my tax
1	I do not believe in socialism, which is what this is.
1	I fall into the category of...I can NOT afford the monthly premiums let alone the Deductibles.
1	I feel that the country needed to make changes on Health coverage and this is the 1st step.

Count Response

1	I just can't afford it, and am not qualified for medicaid
1	I just want to be left alone
1	I know that there are some things that can be fixed to make it better
1	I own a business. Healthcare cost have risen dramatically because of the ACA.
1	I still cannot afford insurance after paying all my other bills.
1	I think HSA should be the future of health care. make people shop for the best deal
1	I think affordable health care is a human right
1	I was not able to get insurance before the ACA.
1	I'm glad to see Obama succeed.
1	Insurance costs have skyrocketed after plans being updated to be compliant with Obamacare.
1	It doesnt go far enough, there should be a public option at the very least.
1	It gives people a chance for healthcare they haven't had until this
1	It gives states like Georgia free reign to allow price gouging by private insurers.
1	It is government interference with my personal autonomy
1	It is not a constitutional right. If you can't afford health insurance, to bad.
1	It is poorly written, poorly designed and will inflate costs dramatically.
1	It looks at social security recipients as cash cows.
1	It was voted into law asked on lies
1	It's against liberty and freedom
1	It's not a free enterprise plan. Forced insurance is also not American
1	It's the first step in moving towards universal healthcare.
1	MANY YEARS OF TRYING TO GET HEALTH INSURANCE AND DENIDE
1	Medicare for All
1	My coverage has gone down and my costs have gone up.
1	My family's healthcare would be difficult to afford otherwise.
1	My insurance went up 47% in 2 years
1	No help for the poor if you have to make more to afford it.
1	Obama is a liar
1	RIPOFF
1	Read message on prior question - King Obama Dictates !
1	Removes my freedom of choice that this country is based on.

Count Response

1	Seems unconstitutional to me.
1	Single Payer or Medicare for All would be better.
1	Socialism; government control
1	Still relies on private health insurance companies. It is past time for a single payer system.
1	TOO EXPENSIVE AND TOO COMPLEX TO FIGURE OUT. This entire thing is a shit show.
1	The ACA helps the working poor, but doesn't address the inefficiency of the healthcare system
1	The US Gov is to be BY the people. Nothing about Obama Care is BY THE PEOPLE!
1	The government should not be in that businessr
1	There is already too much government interference in my private life.
1	To complicated. One program to keep it simple
1	Too much governmental control and is intended to penalize the middle clas.
1	U.S is a free nation, FREE NATION.....
1	USA cannot afford the cost.
1	We really need single payer.
1	We should have Medicare for everyone
1	absolute worst piece of legislation every put into law. illegal at that
1	fails on all levels,
1	government does not operate ANYTHING efficiently or cost effectively
1	health insurance for everyone should be a basic right
1	more extensive coverage is desirable
1	networks must be transparent and drug coverage must be more affordable
1	socialism, lied to get it
1	this is socialist plain and simple;not what this country was founded on!!
1	we need Medicare for all citizens
1	when the federal government runs things the cost goes through the roof !
1	why should the hard working have to pay more, and have to pay for the able non working
1	will never work and will have huge negative impact on working americans
1	I don't think I should be made to have insurance ... and the fact I have to pay a penalty for not having it is just crazy ... that money is important for someone in my pay grade . All and all I think this just shows how out of touch with the middle class Mr Obama is .

Count Response

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- 1 Because of my personal experience..... Thank you so much for the \$420 fine for an unconstitutional theft of my choice. All the hardworking people absolutely LOVE paying for the lazy government-dependent baby making machines. Can we make them have their tubes tied instead of using our hard earned money to pay for their drugs and for the food stamps that purchase their candy bars and other various non-essentials? I am not entirely well read with all the issues of the Act, but in my experience, there is no good involved except for providing even more assistance to people who already use and abuse government assistance in the form of MY tax dollars.
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- 1 I can't afford this. In 2014, I had an affordable policy although I didn't get anything for it. In effect, I was paying in for nothing. I had a physical and ended up having to pay 1/3 of the cost myself. Now, this year, the insurance is going to increase by 3 times what I paid in 2014. I can't afford that. My income is the only income coming in. It is unfair to force people to have something they can't afford. I will be changing my eating habits, because this is going to cost too much this year. I'm hoping I can qualify for Badger Care in Wisconsin, but I don't think it is very likely. We need a system like they have in Canada. My sister has in-laws who are Canadian citizens and they are happy with their system. As much as we pay for taxes, I think we should be getting health care through our tax dollars. I am really fed up with this ACA as it is NOT affordable for me. I'm going to have to do some extreme budgeting to live next year.
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- 1 The law is so lengthy and includes so many additional citations and references that it is impossible to for a single individual to comprehend it in its entirety. Basically the law grabbed thousands of good ideas, millions of mediocre ideas, and thousands of bad ideas threw them on a canvas and said here is the law. I don't think the end result is all bad I just think it is chaotic.
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- 1 We would have been better off with a gradual shift towards a competing public health care system. Make the public system more affordable than the private and people would use it. Use my taxes to fund health care for the underprivileged, but don't force me to buy very expensive health care insurance that profits those who are only in it for the money. Keep the cost of the public system lower than the private sector and even those who are not underprivileged would use it.
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- 1 I was completely satisfied with the insurance I was providing for myself. Because of Obamacare I was dropped and am now searching for a plan I can afford with only the coverage I want. I don't feel its right for the government to tell me when I can apply for insurance and what coverage to have.
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- 1 The entire health insurance has been turned on its head to address a limited problem, i. e. persons without insurance. A much more targeted approach would have been preferable. There are adverse features of the law becoming apparent on almost a daily basis, and many of the mandates and other coercive elements have yet to become operable, one reason being Pres. Obama's legally questionable delay of same.
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- 1 It does not provide any cost savings for middle class people. Also, the coverage you receive for the money is not as good as it was with general employer based insurance plans. So because my income is so erratic I feel it is a crime to be penalized on my taxes for not being able to get proper coverage when I cannot predict my gross income for the year. The whole thing is not fair to many tax paying citizens!
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- 1 Obamacare is Socialism. I work hard for myself, not for my "not so hard working neighbor". If I get sick I pay my own medical bills. If I don't have money to pay for my bills, let me die. If my family wants to pay for my bills, it's their problem to decide. Do not make me pay for my neighbor's medical bills.
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- 1 It is just another hit to the middle class, myself included. It only serves to make my already strained financial status that much more difficult. The website is not user friendly and very time consuming. I spent an hour trying to apply only to find out I can't afford the plans offered. Complete waste of time and nothing at all what I thought it would be. Things were better before Obamacare.
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- 1 Mandatory healthcare should be illegal. If I don't go to the doctor, I shouldn't have to pay for unused services. Also, this only benefits a certain group of people and not everyone. This should be completely repealed. People go to the doctor because their sick not to meet a quota and this is what this is. This is just another way for the government to justify making people pay for something that only private companies benefit from.
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- 1 this country was based on freedom of choice. mandated health is an aberration of our rights and is a repudiation of the founders of the nation. they are now disgusting mandated voting. where will it stop. i am disgusted.
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Count Response

1	Govt needs to but out of the private lives of people. If you can't afford insurance then why the he'll would you get a fine for not having it
1	It has raised our deductible so high that I can not afford to have the operation I need. Our medications are tied into our deductible so we are forced to go without them. It is just unaffordable and we pay into something we can not use!
1	America is based on freedom, freedom of choice. I nor anybody else should be mandated to buy health insurance - the government is dictating how we spend our money that Obama made sure we are now penniless.
1	It is unaffordable to the middle class. My rate is 113 dollars less than my mortgage. The small amount of extra money would be gone. The bronze plan is emergency coverage only. With monthly premiums and large deductable I'd have to have 2 heart attacks and possibly a stroke on the next 25 years just to break even
1	As a "normal" middle class family with 2 working parents we don't qualify for the subsidy and have had trouble paying the premiums. In 2014 there were some months that included a choice between groceries and premiums. Our cheapest Silver option was \$990 per month and we still racked up healthcare bills that we haven't been able to pay. Over \$750 at just one doctor's office for my 13 year old child, who saw the doctor for about 15 minutes and had blood drawn. In 2015, we have a daughter that has been accepted into college. However, we have to scrape together almost \$9,000 dollar to cover the left over amount between scholarships and the cost. In order to do this we will have to make monthly payments of almost \$800. We cannot afford both college and health insurance. The health care cost options for our family exceed the 8% cap so I guess we will try to file for an exemption, otherwise we will just suck up the max fine, which I think is around \$2,000. Basic math...I can afford \$2,000 quicker than I can come up with \$8,901.12 which is the cheapest option for our family in 2015.
1	I now pay all but \$25.00 of my SS check to insurance. If my husband didn't support me, I couldn't eat.
1	Coverage. Of people without insurance shld. B done help lower medical. Cost. I have seen people lose everything because of sickness had no place. To turn to for help
1	it is a step in the right direction. It is difficult to fix a system that has been in place for so long. Two weeks will be have to be made along the way as weakness, flaws become more obvious...
1	It's an infringement on my rights, if I could afford healthcare, don't you think I would buy it?????????
1	Single-payer will reduce costs even more. Making profits (ie, more than covering costs) off health care is pretty obscene.
1	See earlier comments. "Life, Liberty, Pursuit of Happiness"--doesn't that at least imply the right to choose one's doctors? Particularly for a senior like me with a long history of [sometimes unusual] medical problems. Ex.: New-be MD trying to be helpful: "There's a new pneumococcus vaccine out there." [I'm on O2, often hospitalized w/ pneumonia]. But my pneumonias are NEVER pneumococcal; they're things like klebsiella, E. coli, E. cloaci; Aspergillus fumogossa. I NEED to 1]stick with the doctors who know my history; 2]have access to very, very good specialists--not eg a PA whose first language is not English. -- But that's who Health Net/Obamacare is forcing me to see. I'm up for another Boston Tea Party: show our "king" what I think of his destruction of my previously adequate health care.
1	I feel I should not have to pay for services I do not use or have any plans on using in the future. I am also angered that I am being forced from my affordable cigna ppo plan (I am a 34 year old single healthy male) this year for a more expensive plan with a smaller network.
1	It is in fact an unaffordable care act that brings high cost of health care to middle class Americans while fattening the bottom line for the insurance companies. My health insurance premium will go up more than three times in 2015, because of the Obamacare.
1	it is not affordable,obama should live week to week in the normal persons shoes ,,he would think twice
1	Before this godawful system, I could afford to insure myself, my husband, and two young sons. Thanks to this abomination that is the ACA, I can't afford to insure my kids at all.
1	If it was not there I would have no insurance. They also cover care to make you stay well. Blood test, etc. This was not on my employers plan. I had to pay way more for everything and I got less.

Count Response

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- 1 it does nothing but COST. Premiums \$571, out of pocket costs \$13,700 per year. so it does nothing for us. More than \$20,000 in costs have to be paid BEFORE it provides any benefit! I don't have that sort of disposable income!
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- 1 I will not pay the outrageous prices for health care coverage that the ACA pushes on my generation. Nor will I take tax payer funds for personal gain.
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- 1 It is not Obama Care or the concept of an affordable care act. It is the insurance companies that hire unprofessional people to provide a service. My health and related issues, ie, care is between my Doctor and myself. Not an HMO, a PPO, the nurse, receptionist or the customer service rep. Everyone who handles an insurance claim has knowledge of my health issues and it is no longer private. Not to mention every site asks the same private information that you gave the company you wanted to go with. I was seeking medical assistance before the law was in-acted and just payed the Doctor. Still not private when it leaves the Nurses hands. I paid less than \$300.00 / year. You are requiring me to pay someone else's paycheck for the cost of operating an insurance company.
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- 1 Finally coverage for all -- especially women's birth control. Think the Supreme Court was wrong in letting companies off the hook in this aspect of healthcare.
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- 1 Because health care is no longer affordable for me. My premium has doubled, my coverage is worse, and my selection of doctors is horrible.
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- 1 I think the Marketplace is difficult to navigate without the help of a knowledgable agent. There were so many options that looked available to me that wouldn't be applicable to me because I didn't live in that county. It made the process laborious and would have discouraged me if I wasn't seriously motivated.
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- 1 There are rich people who will rarely see a doctor. There are poor people who will have lifelong health problems. The healthy people don't want to "pay" for the sick. No matter what "universal" health insurance USA will have, not everyone will be happy. I hate when corporations give out surveys on happy/mad customers are. I've given the same company a happy survey and a unhappy one, yet i'm still loyal customer.
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- 1 because ins companies are not being regulated, they are now writing useless policies and the consumer has to pay 3-4 times more than we ever did before and we call this affordable with rising cost of living and stagnated wages.
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- 1 I approve of the ACA but view it as a stepping stone to a single payer system. Your poll should make that one of the options. I am uncertain whether to answer with the first option or the fifth one.
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- 1 Since the implementation of the Affordable Care Act, our premiums have gone up every year by at least 30% our deductible has increased to \$7000.00 and the plan we had (that we liked) is no longer available. We no longer can afford our health care and do not qualify for per the web site for help with our insurance costs.
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- 1 Again, I dislike the program because it does not address the real issue of Healthcare in this country: COST. Another reason that is not being dealt with is the absolute fact that it does not make Healthcare affordable to everyone--and in many instances the very people it professes to help find that they have to make a choice between paying an unaffordable premium (not to mention outrageous deductibles and out of pocket costs) or paying a fine.
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- 1 If your state chose to not expand Medicaid making you ineligible, you should still qualify for the ACA and receive the APTC and Cost Savings. Many of the plans premiums are so low after that consumers should choose if they can budget it in.
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- 1 Because I am a healthcare professional who actually knows the facts and sees first hand how this Act is nothing but a legalized way to steal from the American public. Premiums have gone up, not down. Benefits have decreased, not increased. And overall coverage simply sucks. Most patients deductibles and copays are so large, they are almost completely paying for treatment out of pocket, while insurance companies pick up pennies on the dollar. For example, the allowed maximum amount charged for one of my services is \$31.58. Most of my patients copays are \$30 for that same service, meaning they pay \$30 out of pocket and the insurance company pays \$1.58. Don't forget that's on top of your monthly premium. Now that's quality coverage, haha what a joke. Oh, and I almost forgot, most insurance companies will then deny the claims submitted by the provider, with absolutely no reasoning. Let's not forget the people processing these claims are no where near a doctor and actually taught to deny claims for no apparent reason besides the greed of the company to keep money in their pockets.
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Count Response

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- 1 It's absolutely not affordable in anyway. This title "affordable care" is a lie it's false advertising at its finest. You just don't seem to want to hear the people of the USA. But soon enough you will. When we remove you all from office.
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- 1 I make too much to get help and yet am expected to pay out 1/3 of my yearly income before any policy I could possibly get pays anything. I am forced to choose between food and shelter and paying a fine because I can't afford a policy. I want to know how the government can fine me for me not getting coverage from a system that has failed.
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- 1 My monthly premium for a family of 4 from June 1, 2013 - May 31st, 2014 was \$272.57. My deductible was \$10,400. I could put it all into an HSA. The best plan I've found for 2015 has increased the deductible 293% to \$799/mo. My family's deductible has jumped 21.2% to 12,600. Only \$6,300 is available to go into my HSA. The rest of the money is after tax. My prior out of pocket max in network with doctors I like was \$13,671/yr including premium and deductible. If I were to take the best plan, I'd have a max out of pocket in network of \$23,448. The cost of insurance is way too high. I've dropped coverage as of Jan 1. I'm self employed and won't pay the penalty because I control how much I send into government and the law has no teeth. The law encourages moral hazard. The law enrolled, at best, 5,000,000 of the 45,000,000 uninsured. It failed to reduce the cost of healthcare, and public health hasn't improved due to the law. It failed on all three fronts. Everyone should know, laws based on lies and good intention are bad policy.
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- 1 It is a "dream come true" for millions uninsured and/or citizens with health conditions that will exclude them from obtaining a policy. Many of them may not have to travel abroad to get treatments.
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- 1 Because this is AMERICA! Land of the FREE and home of the BRAVE! Just wish that sadistic fuck in the office knew that..
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- 1 I don't qualify yet am a college student supporting myself. but my dads drug addict ex wife qualifies. fuck you.
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- 1 The reason why I feel the way I do is because I'm a young 27 year old who can't afford insurance and is unemployed and can't get unemployment benefits and don't qualify for Medicaid. So what can you do to help the ones that can't afford it
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- 1 As individual payers, we are being forced to pay for more insurance than we can afford. We lost our insurance with our previous employers and now work part-time jobs. With our income and part-time work we don't qualify for assistance (early retirees) but our premiums will be 20% of our AGI. HARDLY affordable. We need better options for healthcare.
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- 1 I now can only work 27 hrs a week, thanks to Obama care. Not only that but now I have to pay \$100 a month for insurance with a \$6k deductible. I went from working hard and making over 70k a year to now making 50k. So making less money and told I have to buy something. I thought this was America? I should be able to work as much as I want!!!
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- 1 What we need is a Universal Healthcare, "medicare for all" ...similar to what we see in some form or another in other westernized countries. It's shameful that the richest country in the world can't provide healthcare for its populace. Given the current corporate stranglehold on our government, I fully understand that Obamacare was a compromise and the best we could hope for in the interim. I do not "dislike it" (but it was my only choice to check that box if I wanted to mention a public health system, you really need another choice for that) I actually think it's an adequate & effective plan...inspite of the limitations imposed on it by republicans. Does it need tweaking? Sure.. like any other new program after it's rolled out. Nothing is perfect right out of the gate...ever. We've been thru this many times before with other federal plans. You have to start somewhere. Had we not had obstruction & foot stomping by republicans, it would already have been fixed by now and thousands more would be covered by a decent health plan. So no, I do not dislike Obamacare, but my preference, by far, would be Universal Healthcare.
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- 1 It is a shit show. I have attempted to do it on line. Was locked out of my account for 3 days. Got on the phone with a representative and tried to reset it twice. It didn't work. Then spent 2 hours on the phone answering questions. Then was told since I was currently unemployed that I would not be penalized for not having insurance coverage and supplied me with a certificate no. for when I file my 2015 income taxes so I wouldn't get a fine. So I still don't have health care insurance. I thought with was all about getting people help and getting them insurance. Then I told her I wanted insurance and I was quoted \$351 a month. Really... stay out of our households with your ridiculous health insurance shit show until you figure it out.
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- 1 My old insurance was way more affordable and was what I wanted covered and no more!!! Gov insurance is not effect and has not worked any where it has been tried. See how many Canadians come down and pay cash for service due to wait times.
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Count Response

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- 1 I do not agree with the government getting involved in my personal healthcare decisions. I do not want to pay for maternity care, when I have no use for it. I do not want to pay for everyone else's poor choices in nutrition and health. Now that health insurance costs have risen so much, I'd rather not have insurance, and pay cash to my doctor to take care of my basic needs.
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- 1 The idiots who voted for it didn't know what was in the bill. Under those circumstances it should not have been voted on! It's goal was good, but bill is terrible! Repeal it!!!
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- 1 It is the individual's choice in obtaining health care or not. If Obama Care was so much wanted then why is it against the law to not have it or any coverage? This is just another way the government is trying to control the American people and turning United States America into a Dictatorship instead of a FREE country.
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- 1 We were able to afford a good policy for our family before being forced onto Obamacare. The cheapest policy I can find now has a very high deductible and the premiums cost more than our mortgage.
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- 1 the question is too vague. What protections, exactly, are proposed to be kept? They are not enumerated. Your idea of a protection may not be mine.
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- 1 Because I am over 50, getting no coverage - yearly \$15k deductible, but being forced to pay \$700 a month to subsidize others
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- 1 because it doubled my insurance premium and now if I don't have it I am forced to pay penalty. Plain and simple pay up insurance companies that supported Obama's agenda or pay the government that money!
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- 1 It's probably the best we can do right now. But honestly, I'm embarrassed to talk about how we in the U.S. do healthcare when I'm discuss it with my relatives in England.
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- 1 The law was written to be deceptive about it's costs. The law has not lived up to the promises made by it's supporters. The law is a catalyst for the country's current partisan vitriol.
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- 1 because i'm not an ignorant redneck who hates the man and cannot see the great things hes done cuz his skin
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- 1 I work hard for my money and do not want to subsidize someone who does not work or is not an American citizen.
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- 1 it is too complicated for the regular "Joe"- low income individuals are being force to pay high deductibles... The "low" premium is misleading people...
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- 1 I would prefer a single payer system. However if that is not possible allow coverage to cross state line, allow employers to pool together to provide insurance,
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- 1 It is a quagmire and so far this week alone, I have spent over 12 hours on the phone with "Customer service" lines without resolving basic enrollment issues. As a cancer survivor, I lost 5 out of 7 doctors, and my main hospital. In NY, we can only get HMO, not PPO. I'm only covered in a 28-county region, except for approved urgent and emergency care elsewhere. I am paying more per month for my platinum policy for far less coverage, flexibility and customer service.
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- 1 I lost my health insurance provided through my wife's job last year and had to get a separate individual policy. This doubled our insurance costs and deductibles. Now with a family policy finally back in place, I've been told that after only three months at the current premium, our insurance premium will increase by 20.3% in January, 2015. This is by no means "Affordable."
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- 1 I feel insurance companies are a middleman that could be eliminated for substantial savings. I would prefer a Medicare for All type system.
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- 1 It robbed us choice and resources to purchase relevant coverage. It is a wealth redistribution agenda aimed at control not at helping people. Protection for pec's could have been a concise law and tax parity one line on the front of the 1040.
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- 1 I used to consider myself middle class economic status, but now consider myself closer to poverty level. I can't afford Obama Care plans, and now I have to pay the government a penalty? I feel like the government has taken the middle class and ground our faces into the dirt, leaving us poverty stricken and hungry! while the elite 1% greedily hold on to the money, and therefore the power. Democracy is dying!
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Count Response

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- 1 It's helping many of my friends, and it ensures that I, as a self-employed individual with a chronic illness, get insurance. I am very thankful for Obama Care.
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- 1 I just love having to pay the 10% of my yearly income to help fund the freeloaders of this country so they can obtain health insurance...oops sorry. I mean the "shared responsibility fee".
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- 1 I think it has made insurance companies cover less cost than before especially to people who cant afford to live and now be required to purchase insurance. Gross is not what we take home its not what we live off of. It is not inclusive of our already obligated debt and some of our i.r.s tax debt payments from trying to survive as it is. Now another obligated debt? We all do not make over \$50,000.00 some of us have many debts that will cause us to falter on with one more government related required payment.
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- 1 Forcing me to have health care or pay a penalty should be illegal. It likens to organized crime requiring payment for insurance. I make good health choices, I do not drink soda or eat processed or fast food (these should be better regulated as they cause a majority of health problems) If I paid an insurance company over \$230.00 per month, I would just be subsidizing them to give health care to other people who do not take care of themselves. Most cancers can be traced to some sort of corporate poisoning of this earth and environment. Drug companies only produce drugs that are profitable, not necessarily beneficial or affordable to a human being living in the United States. Insurance companies have taken making choices for patients away from their doctors. It is NOT affordable.
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- 1 Why should I pay for coverage I don't need. I am not a female, I am don't have any children. Obamacare is a one size fits all with three ways to pay (Bronze, Silver, Gold). And, the older you are the more it costs.
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- 1 you should have an option that reads "i like it but would like to see it replaced with a public health insurance system"
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- 1 As a self-employed middle class American, Obamacare has only made my private health insurance go up. Going with ACA would double my premiums.
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- 1 I'm getting the big hose I don't wanna pay for other people's insurance. Country is going to hell in a hand basket, I'm no communist!!!!
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- 1 The plans are too expensive, more than 8% of income, in my county. Doctor choices are very limited.
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- 1 The insurance is not affordable. My cost has gone up and deductible has gone up. I refuse to go to the DR. because they have no time to actually diagnose what is wrong because they are pushed to see more patients. I pay \$10K a year to cover my wife and I and all I can afford to use of it is the flu shot once a year.
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- 1 bc my family is opposed to contraception and abortion and are forced- through our premiums- to subsidize other plans that cover them. so, my family of 8 was forced to cancel our cheap, employer provided health insurance in order to avoid violating our consciences. there is no protection in place for us and you are misleading by saying that religious organizations are exempt from this. all the premiums go into the same pot and pay for services that one may not agree with. and there are Christian schools and Catholic religious orders that are not exempt. Your website does not read as unbiased nor completely informed. my daughter is doing a research paper on the aca and she (15 yoa) knew immediately that your website is misleading.
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- 1 Should be a single payer system rather than an extension of private health care insurance system. Taxpayers should not carry the costs of marketing for private insurance companies or pay for the unjustified high rates of the current system. The program should follow the Medicare Program's format.
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- 1 I would prefer a system like single payer that reduces cost by taking profit out of the picture. However, I recognize that the ACA as passed was what was politically possible.
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- 1 1. Pre-existing Condition Insurance Plans should have been kept. This was the 1st & most popular part of the law 2. Medicaid Expansion should have been tied to Medicare - one program not two. Having two is unnecessary . 3. Having people be honest about their risk aversion is not a mandate. How hot may a house be before the owner cannot buy fire insurance? How close the hurricane before flood insurance is not available? People must decide about insurance before they are healthy or sick. It a reputable presumed consent from the time of infancy to purchase insurance.
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Count Response

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- 1 I have to pay the first \$5600 on my plan where I work, how does that provide essential coverage? I make 8.48 an hour and my company is cheap as hell on giving raises across the board.
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- 1 Forcing people to enroll for insurance to "lower prices on insurance plans" for "most people" is wrong. People who are poor could receive Medicare/Medicaid already....and plenty of people already abuse the government for cheap healthcare. Hospitals and pharmaceutical companies should be the ones receiving reforms. Patenting medicines and medical machines and therefore controlling the market price for medical services puts a strain on insurance companies and citizens. Pharmaceutical greed shouldn't result in me being forced to enroll for insurance to lower prices or pay a penalty out of my taxes. After not going to the doctor for 12 years and going this year they tell me I'm healthy why should I need insurance? The fact that Americans have a hard time taking good care of themselves shouldn't mean I must pay out of my taxes for your healthcare reforms!
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- 1 I am force to pay for something, that does not cover me unless I reached a high deductible. Or pay for services that I don't approve of, such as abortions, sex change and things like that!
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- 1 I have much poorer coverage as my previous insurance was between the "metal bands" and was dropped. I lost my coverage and my doctor. Now I pay more and still cannot find a doctor as few in my area are accepting new patients.
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- 1 If I were to quit my job, loose my house and business, I might be assisted by ACA. Those of us who made it through with what we worked for intact, will now be ravaged by giant insurance industries.
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- 1 It is ripe for government and insurance company waste fraud and abuse. It took lying to the America people to pass it and it is taking more lies to continue it.
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- 1 Because I believe in freedom, liberty and free enterprise; we have had the best healthcare system on the planet, until Obama's henchmen have been trying to corrupt it.
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- 1 It has allowed me and my husband to obtain affordable insurance as we both had preexisting conditions. Even though our state offered insurance to those in our situation it was extremely expensive and I was close to the million dollar lifetime cap. I now have affordable health insurance with great coverage. I am in a state that accepted the Medicare expansion so we have particularly great options and people to help us. I have found that most people that I talk to who are opposed to the ACA are that way either because they don't understand it or because they hate president Obama. Neither of this reasons is acceptable to me!
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- 1 My premiums increased by 53% from 12.13 to 1.14 and have increased again this year by another 24% for a total premium increase of 91% after the ACA. I can't afford the insurance, I'm the one paying for all of the government savings, and my family certainly can;t afford to get sick. I'm paying for the ACA and it's not Affordable for me.
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- 1 Marbury v. Madison, 1803 "A law repugnant to the Constitution is void." Section 8. Powers granted to congress No where does it say they may mandate healthcare. Likewise in the Supreme Court, San Antonio independent school district v. Rodriguez, 1973 The constitution does not guarantee a fundamental right to education. One may extrapolate the same to the fundamental right of "healthcare". It is not guaranteed under the Constitution. Moreso, besides an income tax, the government cannot: Section 9. Powers forbidden to congress Subsection 4. Only applies to income tax by the 16th amendment. The tax by the mandate is illegal by the Constitutions words and effects. Thus regardless if the President, Congress, and even the Supreme Court says it is OK, if it goes against the Constitution, this mandate is unconstitutional, void, and thus no one should need to pay it.
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- 1 The only good thing about ACA was extending parents health benefits to adult children under 26 who are still living at home because they cannot find a job.
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- 1 I believe that most of the provisions of the ACA are well-designed to bring down medical costs over the long term. There has been very little publicity about aspects of the law that produce benefits and which justify the need for unpopular aspects like the individual mandate. I think there should be a report comparing the average increase in healthcare costs compared with what had been projected prior to enactment. We should also be hearing what has happened to items such as encouraging demonstration programs by states to formulate medical malpractice tort reform (sec. 6801). What has been the outcome with the tax credit for small businesses (sec. 1421)? Also, what about provisions to combat Medicare fraud (Sec.1128J and 10606)? (Etc.)
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1	Has driven up my family costs over 100% and cut our benefits. My family now sees dentists and doctors LESS frequently than before because we CAN't Afford it. The extra costs are outrageous and coverage is garbage.
1	Major overreach of political power. this is America who is Obama to tell me, a healthy, young nonsmoking, nondrinking, hardworking responsible person how I have to spend my money. While hospitals and insurance companies fleece us with ridiculous price gouging. All the while opening the floodgates for illegals who are not subject to these stupid penalties who are helping American citizens out of work.etc, etc,etc,etc
1	Because I feel that the ACA is pretty much a scam designed to put more money into the pockets of insurance companies. I don't believe that forcing people to buy health insurance, even those who can't truly afford it is the right way to go about our healthcare system.
1	I qualify for assistance, but because I have Sub S income on my yearly taxes, that I get no benefit from what so ever, and am on disability, I do not qualify for any help anywhere.
1	I don't qualify for medicaid or assistance. I only qualify for a small tax subsidy that doesn't help me. I am a young, SICK person and apparently, Obamacare doesn't take that group of the population into consideration at all. The plans offered to me had outrageous deductibles and copays and don't even cover my prescriptions which I currently pay over \$300 a month for. So on top of the costs I already have, I am supposed to pay another \$300 for a crappy plan that looks the same as the crappy plans offered before Obamacare took effect. And now I actually have to pay a fee out of my desperately needed tax refund for not being able to afford health insurance. This plan is helping the health insurance giants to explode their profits. People aren't speaking out against it for the right reasons because liberals and democrats have been tricked into thinking this very republican for-profit plan is somehow a liberal accomplishment from a liberal administration when it is anything but. What's happening to me is happening to so many people, I hear it from nurses and doctors and social workers from an internal medicine center that ACTUALLY helps people without insurance. Imagine that. And the running joke to them is the word "affordable" in the affordable care act.

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1 Because you do not have an alternative that accurately describes the way many who are opposed to this dreadful law feel: it needs to be changed in numerous and significant ways. Does it accomplish "good things" - undoubtedly, but does the fact that a bank robber uses some of the stolen cash to buy food for the poor legitimize bank robbery [I'd hope not]. To take a few examples: "children" being allowed to stay on their parents' policies until they are 26 - not a great idea, possibly OK in concept, but why make ALL the other insureds pay for that outcome? If parents want their "adult children" to remain on their policies past the normal "extended coverage periods" (e.g., to age 22, if enrolled full time in school), then let that be one of the coverage options available to parents under family insurance coverage plans, for which they should pay the extra premium (and to avoid sandbagging/free riding potential, make them elect to obtain such coverage before their oldest child turns 16) - covering "children" under their parents policies up to age 26 is one thing, but covering those "children" and then passing most of the premium burden for that new "extended coverage" on to other people is unfair - especially (but not only) in the case of parents who can d###n well afford to pay the extra premium (no one would suggest that should have to buy shoes for their "kids" after they turn 18, 21 or 22, until they turn 26, so why should we have to pay for their health insurance?). To take another one: "guaranteed issue" health insurance - certainly needed, but many (if not most) states already have "high risk" insurance pool arrangements that could easily have been adapted to meet this need (people with pre-existing conditions could get coverage this way by applying within, say, 6 months of the law's enactment or, if they develop the condition subsequent to the law's enactment, could have the right to continue their existing insurance coverage until the insurer drops coverage under the plan for all participants); loss of insurance due to job loss could have been handled in a similar way; and anyone who wanted to roll the dice, and go without coverage, and who later realized that was a bad idea, could have applied during a set "annual high-risk application window" (the same process most states currently use). Would the insurance premiums of "pre-existing" risk applicants have to be subsidized somewhat - sure (but not the premiums of the gamblers) - but remember the logic "we're already paying for these people to get necessary medical care?" - which was and is true? - Well, then don't raise my monthly insurance premium by more than 50% and give me a worse policy in return (higher deductibles and co-pays, fewer in network doctors and facilities, "new improved coverages" (maternity care, pediatric dentistry) I do not need or want (unlimited lifetime payments - my \$1 million was just fine, and if I thought I needed it, excess coverage was available at a very reasonable cost). And most important, no one ever said while this dreadful law was being minimally considered that one of the real problems was not that too many people lacked insurance, but that far too many people had insurance that the government did not think was good enough for them. Some people want the government out of their bedrooms (myself included), but more people want the government to keep from going deeper into their wallets and re-making their personal life and family choices. There was nothing wrong with letting people keep the insurance they had, if they were happy with it, or with keeping access to their doctors - the whole "minimum required content" fiasco that resulted in millions losing perfectly acceptable (not perfect, but fine as far as they were concerned, which should have been the only relevant criteria) insurance coverage, losing access to trusted doctors and nearby, convenient facilities needs to be FULLY undone - it was not broke, or at minimum, was not in need of being broken worse. Enough with the de facto tax increases on the working classes - people who need emergency care are legally entitled to it, whether or not they can pay (but if they can pay, make them - the government will not let you get rid of college loans or tax debts, even in bankruptcy - change the bankruptcy code and make the same rules apply to those who could have afforded insurance coverage but opted not to get it and stick the rest of us with their bills); people who genuinely need financial help (because they cannot work, not because they choose not to, or choose not to take work they feel is "beneath them") should get it, but for as "Medicaid level" of health insurance coverage. But ACA/Obamacare is seriously broken, and a little mending around the edges is not what is needed - it is literally back to the drawing board time (and this time, maybe our elected representatives will listen to us before we vote them out of office for failing the hearing test).

1 (A) It fines people who can't afford health insurance to give it to people who couldn't afford health insurance. (B) Again, you shouldn't be able to force people to purchase ANYTHING. Especially something that is not a necessary expense. People shouldn't be stretched paycheck to paycheck because other people "need" to be taken care of. (C) It's not "affordable", and statistics have proven that.

1 The law has dried up work options for me and prevented me from working full time, it has increased the cost of health care for me and limited my choices.

1 Its all a sham to get everyone on govt controlled healthcare. From 1992 to 2013 I had a good plan that increased by 30% in premium over 20 years. Since late 2013 my benefits have been altered against my wishes and my premium has increased by 80% in a year. I can barely afford it now. I will be forced to hit the marketplace and have fellow citizens share my healthcare costs. Government subsidies are citizens money. Once the ACA makes insurance too expensive and subsidizes everybody then the govt has control of healthcare

Count Response

1	The protection of pre-existing conditions is a must. However, the standardization of plans makes absolutely no sense. Why force a fifty year old women to purchase a plan that provides maternity leave? If you really wanted to bring costs down you would have increased competition by allowing companies to easily compete across state lines.
1	It's socialized medicine that the common person is subsidizing. Essentially another tax that the overtaxed middle class American has to pay. The average American pays over 40% a year in taxes that number includes everything we pay taxes on i.e. gas, sales, alcohol, etc. I didn't come with that number that is based on studies done. I am not my brothers keeper. If you have a family you should accept the responsibilities that go with it. The only people who should automatically have coverage is children. Children should not be held responsible for having irresponsible parents. I am a father of three children. My children, my responsibility.
1	It has caused greater stress and left me without insurance coverage for over 3 months waiting for the state to make a decision about my qualification for Medicaid. Then I NEVER received a phone call after leaving voice messages to answer my questions.
1	It is not good to make people buy things they don't need or use. I would say it is pretty communist. I shouldn't have to pay for my lazy neighbors problems.
1	it has skyrocketed the cost of my health insurance, made it impossible to shop for lower rates, and should have been ruled unconstitutional for its attack on individual freedoms.
1	Don't now where it gets the name affordable , because it has nothing of the sort . Mr Obama May have insurance . But I don't . I pay taxes and work two jobs .
1	I think everyone should be entitled to health care coverage, not just the rich and fortunate - just like the UK, where I was born and getting sick does not involve risk of bankruptcy or no treatment.
1	because its hurting people people are losing hours and money i think it should go back to what is was. your going to see people losing there homes and not eating.
1	I still have not found a plan i consider afforable, we have everyday expenses and not much money left but our yearly income is considered "high"
1	I'm elderky with cronic illnesses, so prventive care is a bit too late for me. I need to maintain my illness. I feel hopeless.
1	Republicanderthals have nothing but destruction to offer in place of the ACA and going back to that would be a disaster for health care.
1	Because of the millions of people who now have health insurance coverage. A single payor national health insurance plan would be best but that is unlikely to happen.
1	Aside from being in the struggling middle class who receives no subsidy, my family did purchase insurance through the marketplace this year. We are now into March and even though our \$900 a month payment has been eagerly taken, we still have no insurance because the Marketplace STILL has not sent our information over to the insurance company that we selected. Its a joke.
1	My wife (26 year old type 1 diabetic), Son (2 years) and I (27 years old) never had a problem with insurance. We insured our entire family for less than \$450 a month max out of pocket was \$3k for the family. Since the ACA that good of a plan is not available. The lowest max out of pocket I could find was still over \$5k, and the monthly premium was over \$800 a month. This is a complete joke. You now have three uninsured citizens, one who is a diabetic. How is that for going to help bring down the costs?
1	When we have 100% FREE healthcare, with fully funded cutting edge medical research, I will feel like we have a good healthcare system.

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- 1 Because I have had to purchase my own insurance for the last 15 years, which i could not afford but did anyway bc afraid to do without. Now that I'm 45, and forced to work harder than ever bc I'm single and this economy is horrible, I may actually need the insurance, you have forced my insurance company to cancel my policy. The closest I can get is \$40 more per month and the deductible that was \$2500, would now be \$ 5500. Also I would have to pay for office visits now, until deductible is met, and they no longer cover specialists visits either, only after deductible. I was shocked and appalled to see that the results of this new 'affordable care act' is more unaffordable than my old insurance, and covers less! Is this a cruel joke!? You should be ashamed of yourselves. I guess I'm better off to pay your crazy penalty than pay for that lousy coverage. I would like my plan back. I pray you find some decency and compassion to those of us who do work hard to support the lazy people who don't work at all, and the lazy ruthless criminals in government that steal our money, live high on the hog, and make us struggle to survive. You are all a disgrace to this country and I don't know how you sleep at night. All your evil doings will catch up with you one day..
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- 1 Insurance Companies were the PROBLEM in the whole medical scheme with their cancellations, refusal to cover--and difficulty getting them to pay, and the ever-rising cost of premiums that was costing businesses and families to the point of closing down, and of course, doing without. What ObamaCare (and PLEASE let it go down in history with this name, we want him to be associated with this fiasco, as a warning, 200 years from now! And I proudly voted FOR him, the only 2nd time in my life I've cared enough to vote--and he gives me THIS!) But what it has done, is given the Insurance Companies CARTE BLANCHE for EXTORTION--and extorting and raping the government they are!) Because of the ACA we aging (60+) professionals (RN and Chem. Engineer) are now without insurance for the first time in our lives.Because between 60 (when job was lost) and 65 it would take 150,000.00 of our savings, would pay NOTHING because of high deductibles --so we can no longer AFFORD the "Affordable" Health Care. We can pay our ACTUAL expenses (rare and few)--but we can NOT afford insurance. So JAIL me! We'd be homeless, on the streets, to pay WHOSE (not ours!!!!) medical bill. That 1425.00/ MONTH has to go somewhere--the CEO's pockets!? What a messed up, unworkable mess. Go back to the way it was---or all the way to Socialized medicine--which as a former RN makes me sick. I WAS told by the Healthcare.gov market place we make too LITTLE to qualify for tax sub., too much for Medicaid, but there were public Health Depts.,--- TWO WORDS for you. REPEAL this DISASTER! Back to the drawing board!
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- 1 I dont have health insurance because i cant afford it! now you are forcing me to pay what i cannot afford! me and my kid gotta eat! you just took from his mouth. Dipped your hand in my pocket and took what is not yours!
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- 1 The whole thing is a mess and just costs too much. I like it better before and my premiums were much less.
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- 1 It's not right to force someone to buy something that they do not want.it only hurts the middle class because the poor already has Medicare and the rich can offered high cost insurance.its like me telling you to buy a car that you don't need or want.i believe it should be for who ever wants it but not forced to get it.
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- 1 It does nothing to curb health care providers from charging absurd amounts for their services. And it forces Americans to pay these prices through private insurance companies or pay a heavy tax.
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- 1 I feel that its not fair to force Americans to have insurance. it's unconstitutional and should not be mandated. Some of us can't afford Insurance.
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- 1 If this country is going to have national health care then do it right. The horrible law is just an ignorant man's way of trying to solve a problem without doing the work.
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- 1 Government overreach and costly oversight removes ability to keep costs low and provide tailored insurance to the needs of the people. Insurance needs to be national plans (cross state lines) and the federal govt should offer only a catastrophic coverage to ensure american's medial needs do not place them in poverty to receive care.
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- 1 I believe when it was first proposed it was closer to what would have been my ideal plan. The Republican party is against the American people and for corporations. I am hoping this will be revealed as they don't have an alternative plan.
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- 1 When the ACA went into affect we all knew it wasn't perfect and would need fine tuning. Instead of trying to abolish it the politicians should be focused on making it better. The opponents of the ACA are wasting tax payer money with their current approach for nothing more than political gain.
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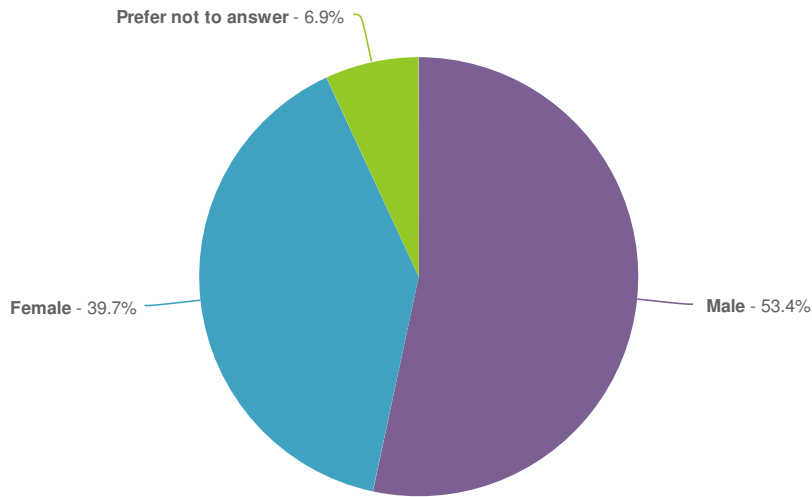
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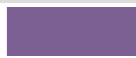


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- 1 It's not the government's business to dictate to private citizens how they run their lives via healthcare. The government is nosy, intrusive and controlling. The Obama regime is worse than any 3rd. World dictator's. Obamacare is NOT affordable-and I won't be signing up.
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- 1 Unintended consequences are killing us. Increased government involvement always increases costs and reduces efficiency.
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- 1 govt controls entire market, no other options as private ins wont cover only short term, everyone I know hates it, ins premiums increased for less I now pay more for less ins coverage, govt should not be in business of private ins markets
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- 1 I've never had insurance before Obamacare and so thankful for it as I was diagnosed with invasive breast cancer !
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- 1 This year my family has seen a significant increase in our premium and our deductible from our employer sponsored insurance. We have explored other plans on the market and our employer has better coverage, with a lower deductible, and lower premiums than the other plans available. Thus our family will stay with our current plan but suffer the loss from our net income to pay for our insurance. After contacting my employer and the insurance company, both parties have informed me that the rise in my premium and deductible is a result of regulations from the Affordable Care Act. What I desire most for my family, those who I am responsible for, is to care for them and provide for their needs. This year that desire is harder to achieve because the Affordable Care Act exists. Thus, the Affordable Care Act stands in opposition to the well being of my family.
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- 1 Too expensive for families who HAD coverage all their lives and had plan canceled . why should MY family now be uninsured for the first time ever just to "a few" with my tax dollars . and to be penalized for NOT affording this??? In american and it is extortion
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- 1 Before ACA I paid \$425/mo for \$11,000 deductible for family of 4. With ACA, it's \$900/mo for \$12,000 deductible for family of 4. The expanded coverage amounts to less than a few hundred dollars in covered services. Most everything is subject to the insanely high deductibles for both plans. We don't use health care unless it's drastic. I can't pay \$1000 per month for something I don't use. It's bad enough to pay \$425 per month for nothing.
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- 1 We can no longer afford to have Health insurance. We are in our 50s and work our butts off and for what? Our two young kids and I are now without health insurance. Thanks to Obama. And fine us onto of it.... It is not affordable to the middle class. And add the high deductibles before anything is paid. What's the point?
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- 1 I don't think the American Health Insurance companies have a track record that indicates they should be rewarded with mandated customers. Quite the contrary.
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- 1 did not go far enough a single payer is the only way to be sure each person is insured for life, and that insurer then has true incentive to provide preventive care
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- 1 we need those protections. republicans want to give corporations the right to enslave us. if gov dosent protect us, who will. we need more unions. today its healthcare. tomorro it will be a new car that i dont want or cant afford.
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- 1 I had affordable Insurance pre aca and now can't afford it thanks to the aca.I also don't think it's fair to be fined the individual mandate has to go
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- 1 Its caused me severe financial difficulties. I was a fte up till a week ago and have been informed that there is a possibility that i wont be able to work anymore till january do to the penalties. Im a server and there is no possible way my husband and family will survive if that happens.
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- 1 Because we were unable to get a public health system, there are still folks left out after the ACA passed. In addition, costs are still too high for many individuals because healthcare itself is still too expensive. I don't think further subsidies are the answer, but rather some difficult choices regarding the costs of care in the US.
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- 1 Health care costs have increased. Subsidies are "paid by the government " which means paid by ALL TAXPAYERS. Tax penalties for those without insurance creates more people that now can't afford health care and can't pay taxes.
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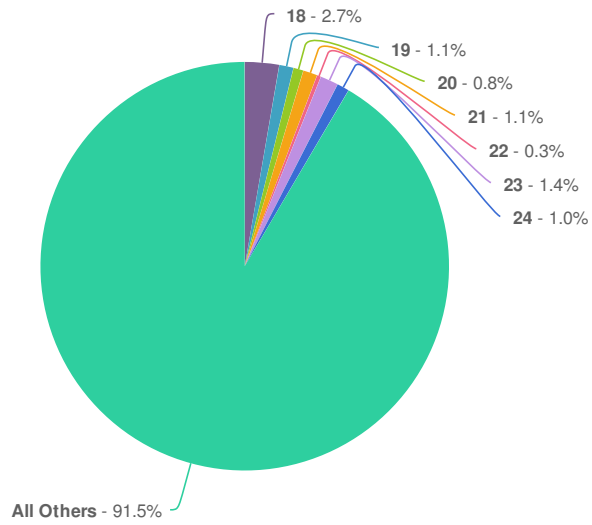
- 1 I have worked since I was 14 yrs old, I am 56 now. I have paid taxes and been a responsible citizen. I am being forced to pay an enormously high amount of money for my health insurance now.....\$1,143 for my husband amd myself. We cannot afford this unfortunately, and for the first time in our lives we have no health insurance. And, if this isn't bad enough, now my government is going to fine me a large fee!!! Because I have chosen to work and not be a burden on my State...I have to pay for others who make less money than me.....you NEED to realize that because I am forced to pay for them, I CAN NOT AFFORD TO PAY FOR MYSELF!! AND YOU ARE GOING TO FINE ME on top of all of this?????!!!! This is a sad sad day. PLEASE...lower the rate of insurance for a couple making under \$100,000. per year.....or in my case, below \$90,000. My bills are based on my income....I did not expect this to affect me 3.5 yrs ago when I budgeted my house for 30 yrs. My insurance will be more than my house payment now..... I am one of the few Americans who pay my taxes, I am a hard worker..... This situation will cause more people to start thinking of ways to take advantage of Government and State Assistance so they can be on the end of "being taken care of," instead of the role of the PROVIDER.....some of us will have no choice....this is what you are forcing us to do.....or at least consider it. Once again, I am asking you.....please adjust the income line.
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- 1 We were told "if you like your insurance, you can keep that insurance" over 30 times. Last year, I had a plan that I liked cancelled. Obamacare needs to be repealed and replaced with a free market system that truly lowers costs and doesn't distribute income among Americans.

10. Are you a:



Male	53.4%		333
Female	39.7%		248
Prefer not to answer	6.9%		43
Total			624

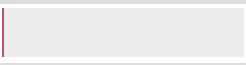


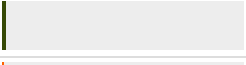
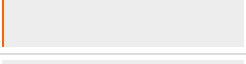
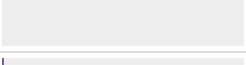
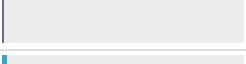
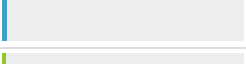
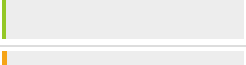
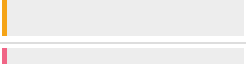
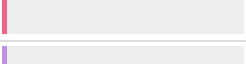
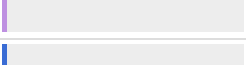
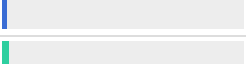
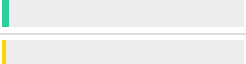
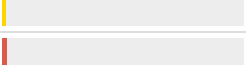
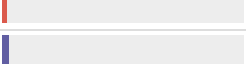
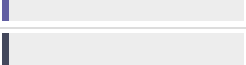
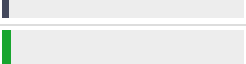
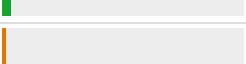
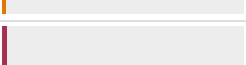
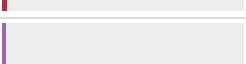
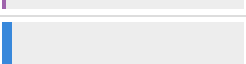
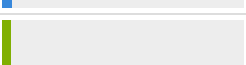
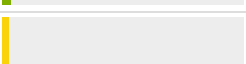
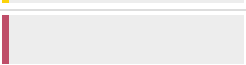





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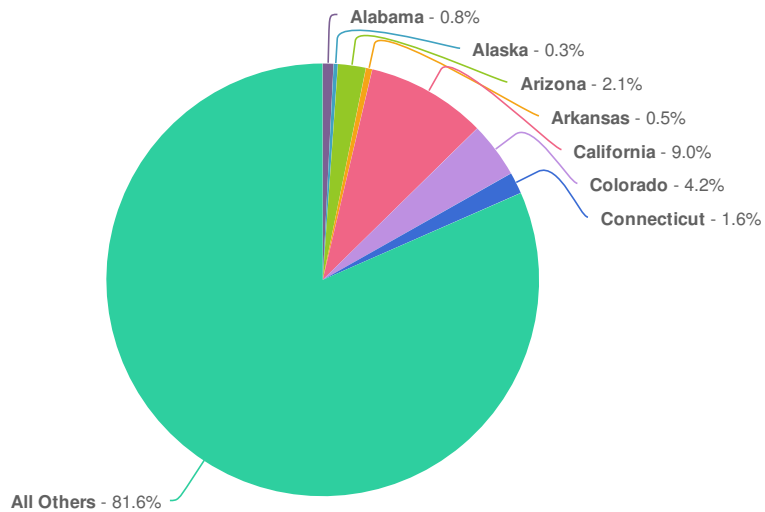
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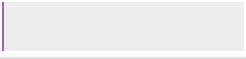
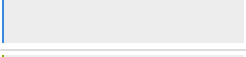
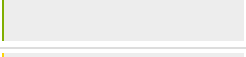
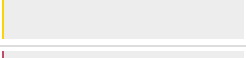
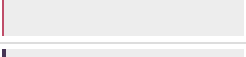
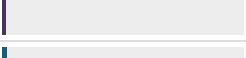
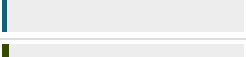
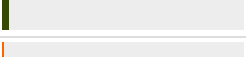
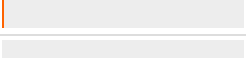
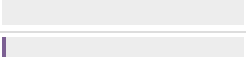
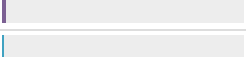
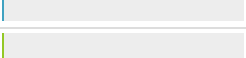
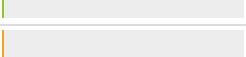
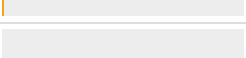
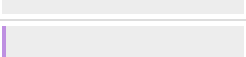
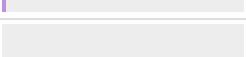
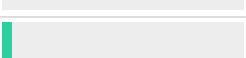
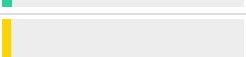
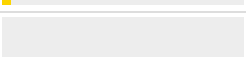
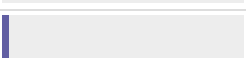
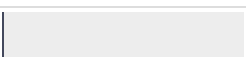
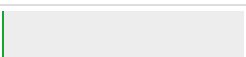
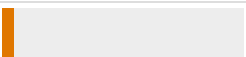
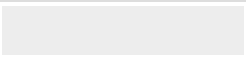

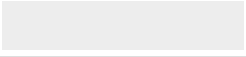
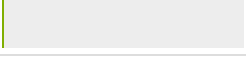
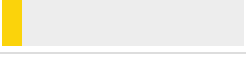
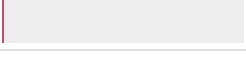

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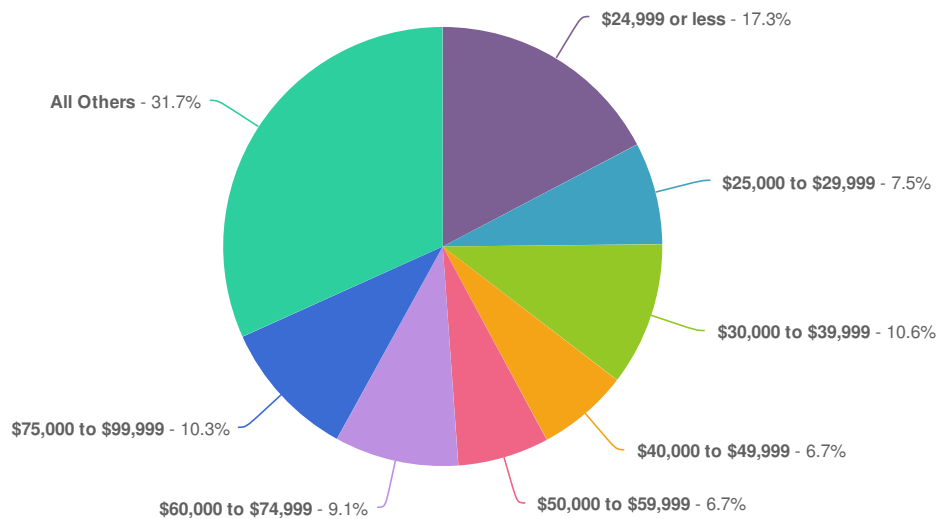
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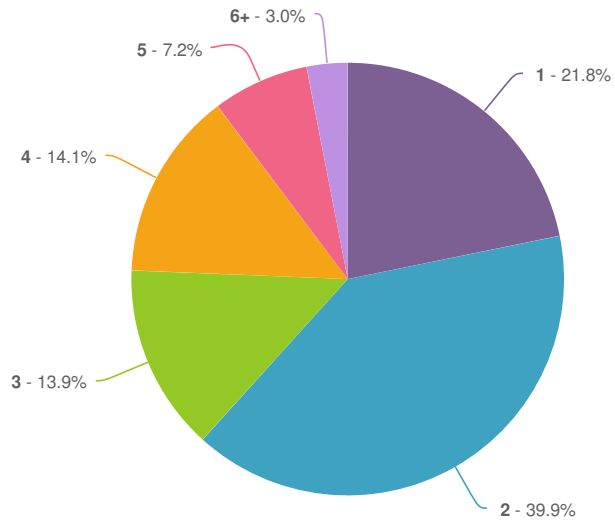
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13. Which of the following income categories best describes your total annual household income before taxes?
Please choose one.



\$24,999 or less	17.3%		108
\$25,000 to \$29,999	7.5%		47
\$30,000 to \$39,999	10.6%		66
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6.7%		42
\$50,000 to \$59,999	6.7%		42
\$60,000 to \$74,999	9.1%		57
\$75,000 to \$99,999	10.3%		64
\$100,000 to \$119,999	5.6%		35
\$120,000 to \$174,999	5.8%		36
\$175,000 or more	5.9%		37
Prefer not to answer	14.4%		90
Total			624

14. How many people live in your household?



1	21.8%		136
2	39.9%		249
3	13.9%		87
4	14.1%		88
5	7.2%		45
6+	3.0%		19
Total			624

Statistics

Sum	1,586.0
Average	2.5
StdDev	1.3
Max	6.0