

HEALTH CARE	FUNDING & INVESTING
<p>Immediately implement National Improved Medicare for All- establishing a UK-style National Healthcare Service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Replace private hospital, private medical practice, and private medical insurance with a publicly-owned, democratically controlled healthcare service - Guarantee healthcare as a human right to everyone in the United States 	<p>Cancel all medical debt</p>
<p>Advance reproductive rights and codify Roe v. Wade</p>	<p>Restore funding to all medical governmental agencies including Health and Human Services (HHS), the National Institute of Health (NIH), and the Center for Disease Control (CDC)</p>
<p>Protect the inclusion of human rights for all, including women and 2SLGBTQIA+ people, people with disabilities, Black, Indigenous, and people of color</p>	<p>Restore confidence in the FDA, CDC and other regulatory boards by</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) close the door between corporations and regulatory boards 2) get corrupt big money out of politics by adopting public financing of elections.
<p>Federal legalization and funding of cannabis medicinal research</p>	<p>Expand public funding - and phase out private/corporate funding of medical and pharmaceutical research, conducted in public health agencies, public universities and medical schools</p>
<p>Enact protections against healthcare surveillance: Eliminate Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) and other discriminatory compliance requirements.</p>	<p>Invest in local clinics & community hospitals, eliminating inequalities and increasing access to healthcare for all disadvantaged communities.</p>
<p>Guarantee long-term care for all patients in their home and community.</p>	<p>Fund and support research and development of treatment for rare diseases</p>
<p>Establish a Federal Community Care Agency to provide community-based support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Long-term in-home + in-community care - Visitation care to seniors and to people with disabilities 	<p>Take the pharmaceutical industry into public ownership and democratic control. Remove private profits gouging consumers with monopolistic pricing in a business model centered on addictive opioids and patent-protected medicines.</p>
<p>Respect bodily autonomy and personal freedom and choice in medical treatments, including the right to dignified assisted death</p>	<p>Ban patents where the research and development has been paid for by taxpayers via public colleges, the NIH, the CDC and other governmental entities</p>
<p>Offer responsible and transparent end-of-life care to those who want it</p>	<p>Ensure fair compensation for home caregivers</p>
	<p>Prohibit the keeping of people's possessions by assisted living facilities after death</p>