Health Care: What the U.S. senate candidates have to say about increasing coverage and cutting costs

U.S. Sen. Elizabeth R-N.C.

Salisbury; first elected to U.S.



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SOURCES: WWW.DOLE.SENATE.GOV, WWW.KAYHAGAN.COM, THE DOLE CAMPAIGN

Prescription Drug Costs: Helped pass prescription drug leg-islation that expands coverage and lessens the average patient's health care costs by \$1,200 a year.

Health Care for Children: Introduced a bill to reauthorize and

urance Program by \$17 billion (The program provides coverage for children from families that earn up to 300 percent of the federal poverty level) and requires the state to fully cover the needlest children before expanding eligibility.

expand the State Children's Health

Coverage for Employees: Currently working on the Ever American Insured Health Act, which gives patients more control over their health care coverage; supported legislation that creates Small Business Health Plans, which give small businesses discounted rates on health insurance.

Health Professionals:

Supports the N.C. Community College system; voted to increase funding for the Nursing Reinvestment Act, which promotes an increase in the number of qualified health care profession-als and the quality of health care services; wants the U.S. Senate Appropriations Committee to increase funding for Nursing Workforce Development programs.

Legislation: Voted to delay a 10.6 percent cut in Medicare reimbursements; helped delay cuts to services and jobs in N.C

N.C. Sen. Kay Hagan, D-Guilford

first elected to 1998



Prescription Drug Costs: Wants to curb the drug industry's ability to overcharge patients; will promote allowing the reimportation of drugs made in the U.S. from Canada and other U.S.

Health Care for Children: Supports SCHIP and wants Congress to reauthorize the pro gram and improve it by increasing outreach to families who have not yet enrolled their qualifying children.

Coverage for Employees: Wants to give small businesses a refundable tax credit on premiums for their employee's health insur-ance; supports allowing small businesses to buy insurance plans

Health Professionals: Wants to increase the number of doctors in rural areas by offering tax

credits for physicians who agree to practice there after paying off their student loans; wants to forgive federal loans after five years for allied health professionals who work in underserved areas.

Legislation: Supported legislation that provided hundreds of millions of dollars for medical advancement in the state; support-ed a statewide school lunch program that emphasized nutrition on public school campuses by limiting certain vending machine products and eliminating the use of transfatty acids in prepared foods.

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