

Residents Will Pay More for Health Insurance if Congress Allows Enhanced Premium Tax Credits to Expire

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Without Congressional action, enhanced premium tax credits – available under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 and continued through the Inflation Reduction Act – will expire at the end of 2025. The loss of enhanced federal tax credits will have a devastating impact on individuals and families, and historic enrollment gains through Get Covered New Jersey will be reversed. If Congress fails to reauthorize the enhanced tax credits that have made health insurance more affordable, New Jerseyans will lose more than \$500 million in federal assistance, and health insurance costs will more than double for the average resident receiving tax credits. Nearly half a million New Jerseyans will see their health insurance costs skyrocket, paying \$1,260 more each year on average. Many New Jerseyans may become uninsured, limiting access to necessary medical care. Residents approaching Medicare age will see higher increases, paying an additional \$1,860 annually on average for coverage. Extending the enhanced tax credits is critical to ensuring health insurance remains affordable and accessible for New Jersey families enrolled in coverage – more than three-quarters of whom signed up only after the enhanced tax credits took effect.

Statewide impact if enhanced tax credits expire:



454,016

New Jerseyans whose health insurance costs will **increase**



of all Get Covered New Jersey enrollees **will pay more**

Cost increases by the numbers:



110% premium increase for consumers receiving tax credits



\$1,260 average premium increase per person per year – double the amount currently paid



\$1,860 premium increase for New Jerseyans approaching Medicare age – highest cost increase among all groups



\$4,168 premium increase for an average family of four

Affordability impact:

The affordability of health coverage will be compromised if Congress does not act. **Nearly half of those currently receiving financial help pay \$10 a month or less for coverage, compared to just 13%** before the expansion of tax credits.



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37,315

Residents in **Congressional District 1** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



33,334

Residents in **Congressional District 1** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 1** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Camden County with a household income of \$162,200 would see a premium increase of \$11,480 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 68% increase that would consume 17% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Camden County with a household income of \$82,000 would see a premium increase of \$19,694 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 305% increase that would consume 32% of their income.



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32,707

Residents in **Congressional District 2** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



29,670

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The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 2** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Cape May County with a household income of \$143,196 would see a premium increase of \$8,004.24 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 146% increase that would consume 9% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Cape May County with a household income of \$92,244 would see a premium increase of \$14,355 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 129% increase that would consume 28% of their income.



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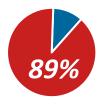
52,026

Residents in **Congressional District 3** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



46.334

Residents in **Congressional District 3** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 3** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Burlington County with a household income of \$127,600 would see a premium increase of \$8,538 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 103% increase that would consume 13% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Burlington County with a household income of \$95,442 would see a premium increase of \$19,048 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 260% increase that would consume 27% of their income.



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39,231

Residents in **Congressional District 4** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



34,093

Residents in **Congressional District 4** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 4** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Ocean County with a household income of \$131,386 would see a premium increase of \$20,189 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 239% increase that would consume 23% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Ocean County with a household income of \$88,000 would see a premium increase of \$18,246 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 277% increase that would consume 21% of their income.



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50,087

Residents in **Congressional District 5** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



43.619

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The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 5** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Bergen County with a household income of \$130,200 would see a premium increase of \$20,795 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 114% increase that would consume 30% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Bergen County with a household income of \$83,606 would see a premium increase of \$19,565 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 393% increase that would consume 29% of their income.



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42,880

Residents in **Congressional District 6** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



37,890

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The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 6** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Middlesex County with a household income of \$150,000 would see a premium increase of \$22,049 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 150% increase that would consume 29% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Middlesex County with a household income of \$93,817 would see a premium increase of \$19,238 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 279% increase that would consume 28% of their income.



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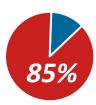
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Residents in **Congressional District 7** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



45,213

Residents in **Congressional District 7** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 7** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Union County with a household income of \$128,560 would see a premium increase of \$15,338 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 111% increase that would consume 23% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Union County with a household income of \$83,386 would see a premium increase of \$17,439 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 161% increase that would consume 34% of their income.



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69,245

Residents in **Congressional District 8** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



62,551

Residents in **Congressional District 8** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 8** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Hudson County with a household income of \$155,000 would see a premium increase of \$11,353 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 60% increase that would consume 19% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Hudson County with a household income of \$83,200 would see a premium increase of \$17,743 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 272% increase that would consume 29% of their income.



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58,407

Residents in **Congressional District 9** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



53.634

Residents in **Congressional District 9** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 9** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Passaic County with a household income of \$135,000 would see a premium increase of \$11,153 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 186% increase that would consume 17% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Passaic County with a household income of \$84,975 would see a premium increase of \$20,041 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 138% increase that would consume 41% of their income.



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25,054

Residents in **Congressional District 10** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



22,556

Residents in **Congressional District 10** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 10** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Essex County with a household income of \$135,900 would see a premium increase of \$22,400 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 107% increase that would consume 32% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Essex County with a household income of \$82,800 would see a premium increase of \$18,898 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 339% increase that would consume 30% of their income.



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28,223

Residents in **Congressional District 11** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



23.871

Residents in **Congressional District 11** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 11** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Morris County with a household income of \$144,000 would see a premium increase of \$19,069 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 108% increase that would consume 19% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Morris County with a household income of \$89,040 would see a premium increase of \$19,025 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 350% increase that would consume 27% of their income.



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24,809

Residents in **Congressional District 12** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ



21.251

Residents in **Congressional District 12** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire



The percentage of residents in **Congressional District 12** enrolled in health coverage through GetCoveredNJ **who will pay more** if enhanced tax credits expire

Consider these real-world examples of New Jersey families who would see among the most dramatic cost increases:



A family of four in Mercer County with a household income of \$130,000 would see a premium increase of \$9,346 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, an 81% increase that would consume 16% of their income.



A couple in their early 60s in Mercer County with a household income of \$84,000 would see a premium increase of \$14,539 for the year without the enhanced tax credits, a 333% increase that would consume 29% of their income.