



National Association of Hispanic Nurses Response and Call to Action regarding the “One Big Beautiful Bill Act” (H.R. 1) Be Informed & Get Involved

This bill is complex, offering some economic growth and energy incentives, but it comes at a significant cost to vulnerable communities, especially Hispanic Americans.

Here's What You Can Do:

- **Get Informed:** Read and share trusted summaries of H.R. 1.
- **Raise Your Voice:** Contact your elected officials about how this law affects you.
- **Vote** in local and national elections to support policies and candidates that reflect your priorities.
- **Join Community Orgs** working on immigration, healthcare, and food justice.

The Bottom Line

The "One Big Beautiful Bill" delivers large-scale tax and spending changes. Still, for the Hispanic community, it presents real dangers to healthcare access, family security, food stability, and immigration rights. It's critical to stay informed, vocal, and united.

What the “One Big Beautiful Bill Act” (H.R. 1) Means for the Hispanic Community

Signed into law July 4, 2025, by President Trump

Major Impacts:

Healthcare Cuts

- 16 million Americans projected to lose insurance^{5, 6, 7, 11}
- Deep Medicaid cuts heavily affect Hispanic families and children^{5,6,7, 11}
- Cutting Medicaid could lead to the potential closures of hospitals and clinics in rural and underserved communities^{5, 6, 7, 10, 11}
- Medicaid cuts totaling \$911 billion, which affect 6 in 10 nursing home residents^{5,11}
- Free primary care clinics will be unable to meet this high demand^{5, 6, 7, 11}
- Rising nurse burnout and attrition due to overburdened systems^{10, 11}
- Effects on patient outcomes^{10, 11}

SNAP / Food Assistance

- \$186 billion cut from SNAP (food stamps) over 10 years^{1, 2}
- Hurts families, grocery workers, truck drivers, and farmworkers^{1, 2}
- Increases food insecurity and weakens local economies^{1,2}

Immigration & Deportations

- ICE will receive \$100 billion by 2029^{2, 3, 4}
- Enables up to 1 million deportations per year^{2, 3, 4}
- Targets mixed-status families, increases detention, trauma, and fear^{2, 3, 4}

Tax & Energy Changes

- Increasing annual energy bills across American households⁸
- Cuts or repeals green energy tax credits (EVs, home upgrades)^{1, 8}
- Expands some fossil fuel tax breaks^{1, 8}
- Extends Trump-era 2017 tax cuts — biggest gains go to the wealthy & corporations^{5, 6, 8}
- Projected decrease in the U.S. workforce by 840,000 jobs in 2030 and another 790,000 in 2035^{5, 6 8}

Bottom Line:

This bill may benefit large corporations, but will hurt many Hispanic communities through:

- Reduced access to health care^{2,3,4,9}
- Higher food insecurity^{2,3,4,9}

- Greater immigration enforcement^{2,3,4,9}
- Fewer energy & economic opportunities^{2,3,4,9}

What You Can Do:

- **Stay Informed:** Know the facts about H.R. 1
- **Vote** in all elections—local & national
- **Contact Your Representatives:** Tell them how this affects your family
- **Join Local Organizations:** Those that are working on healthcare, immigration & food justice

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