



ACH Health Center Advocacy Hotline

Every day, we see how access to care changes lives — and that access often starts with Medicaid. Two out of three people are close to someone whose life is better because of it.

Medicaid doesn't just support patients — it strengthens clinics, keeps local health care providers working, and brings vital dollars into our communities.

Want to help? Share this information and spread the word! Use the directions and script below to call your Senator or Representative at **1-877-224-2015** to tell them Medicaid is a lifeline — for health, for jobs, and for stability. Let's keep it strong.

Toll-Free 800 Number Dial & Connect Directions

- Dial **1-877-224-2015** number to connect to the ACH Health Center Advocacy Hotline.
- You will hear a short recorded message explaining the advocacy call to action and prompting you to take the next step.
- Enter your home zip code to be connected to your Members of Congress.
- At this time, you may first choose one of your two Senators or your Representative.
- Once you connect with the first Congressional office and leave your message, **STAY ON THE LINE** after the office hangs up to choose your next elected official and be directly connected.
- **Complete this process THREE (3) times** to connect with each of your Congressional Members.
- The advocacy message is the same for all Senators and House Members.

Advocate Call Script

Hello, my name is ____(**your name**)____, from Unity Care NW Health Center in (**Bellingham/Ferndale**).

I'm calling to tell the Senator/Representative that **the Medicaid cuts included in the House-passed Budget Reconciliation bill would put patients like me — and people in my community — at risk of losing access to health care.**

I'm asking the Senator/Representative to do everything possible to STOP the bill from moving forward.

Can you please pass my message along?

Thank you, I appreciate your help.

Tips to Remember

- You don't need to have all the answers! You are an EXPERT when it comes to your experiences and the importance of the health center to you and your community!
- If you receive any questions or requests for more information, say you'd be happy to help get them that information and you'll need to follow up.
- Work with your PCA or feel free to email us at info@advocatesforcommunityhealth.org and we'll help get you the information you need.
- Make sure to **complete ALL THREE calls** to your Members of Congress. Right now, numbers matter and these offices will be counting the number of calls they receive on this issue. **YOUR CALLS MATTER!**