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Alabama

- With repeal of the ACA, **262,000 people in the state of Alabama would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 52.7%.

- **942,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Alabama have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 33% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Alabama is expected to increase by $723 million**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 4,950 in Alabama
  - **Iron Workers**: 1,560 in Alabama
  - **Security Guards**: 12,730 in Alabama
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 1,030 in Alabama

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Alaska

- With repeal of the ACA, **57,000 people in the state of Alaska would lose their health coverage**.¹
  - This represents an increase of 47.7%.

- **107,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Alaska have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  - This represents 23% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Alaska is expected to increase by $125.4 million**.³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 770 in Alaska
  - **Iron Workers**: 320 in Alaska
  - **Security Guards**: 2,030 in Alaska
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 390 in Alaska

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Arizona

- With repeal of the ACA, **596,000 people in the state of Arizona would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 77.2%.

- **1,043,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Arizona have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 26% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Arizona is expected to increase by $1.4 billion.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 6,610 in Arizona
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,080 in Arizona
  - **Security Guards:** 23,070 in Arizona
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 4,540 in Arizona

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Arkansas

• With repeal of the ACA, **328,000 people in the state of Arkansas would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 150.5%.

• **556,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Arkansas have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 32% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Arkansas is expected to increase by $900 million**.\(^3\)

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 2,460 in Arkansas
  - **Iron Workers**: 830 in Arkansas
  - **Security Guards**: 6,200 in Arkansas
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 1,570 in Arkansas

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California

- With repeal of the ACA, **4,148,000 people in the state of California would lose their health coverage**.¹
  - This represents an increase of 122.6%.

- **5,865,000 non-elderly adults in the state of California have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  - This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in California is expected to increase by $9.4 billion**.³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 34,100 in California
  - **Iron Workers**: 6,100 in California
  - **Security Guards**: 151,130 in California
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 13,910 in California

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Colorado

- With repeal of the ACA, **441,000 people in the state of Colorado would lose their health coverage**.¹
  - This represents an increase of 98.6%.

- **753,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Colorado have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  - This represents 22% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Colorado is expected to increase by $1.34 billion**.³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 5,090 in Colorado
  - **Iron Workers**: 900 in Colorado
  - **Security Guards**: 14,550 in Colorado
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 2,530 in Colorado

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Connecticut

- With repeal of the ACA, **187,000 people in the state of Connecticut would lose their health coverage.**  
  - This represents an increase of 92.3%.

- **522,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Connecticut have a declinable preexisting condition.**  
  - This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of *uncompensated care in Connecticut is expected to increase by $892 million.*

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 3,180 in Connecticut
  - **Iron Workers:** 490 in Connecticut
  - **Security Guards:** 11,480 in Connecticut
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 3,990 in Connecticut

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Delaware

- With repeal of the ACA, **42,000 people in the state of Delaware would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 67.3%.

- **163,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Delaware have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 29% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of uncompensated care in Delaware is expected to increase by **$196.1 million.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 480 in Delaware
  - **Iron Workers:** 170 in Delaware
  - **Security Guards:** 3,590 in Delaware
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 490 in Delaware

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District of Columbia

- With repeal of the ACA, **17,000 people in the District of Columbia would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 53.1%.

- **106,000 non-elderly adults in the District of Columbia have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 23% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in the District of Columbia is expected to increase by $75.8 million.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Iron Workers:** 230 in District of Columbia
  - **Security Guards:** 13,110 in District of Columbia
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 480 in District of Columbia

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Florida

• With repeal of the ACA, **1,778,000 people in the state of Florida would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 70.2%.

• **3,116,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Florida have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 26% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Florida is expected to increase by $4.73 billion.**³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 23,640 in Florida
  - **Iron Workers:** 3,890 in Florida
  - **Security Guards:** 82,860 in Florida
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 10,030 in Florida

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Georgia

- With repeal of the ACA, **833,000 people in the state of Georgia would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 55.7%.

- **1,791,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Georgia have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 29% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Georgia is expected to increase by $1.99 billion.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 12,600 in Georgia
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,260 in Georgia
  - **Security Guards:** 30,690 in Georgia
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 3,070 in Georgia

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Hawai’i

• With repeal of the ACA, 67,000 people in the state of Hawai’i would lose their health coverage.¹
  o This represents an increase of 76%.

• 209,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Hawai’i have a declinable preexisting condition.²
  o This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of uncompensated care in Hawai’i is expected to increase by $155 million.³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o Firefighters: 1,930 in Hawai’i
  o Iron Workers: 170 in Hawai’i
  o Security Guards: 9,920 in Hawai’i
  o Taxi Drivers: 1,200 in Hawai’i

Idaho

• With repeal of the ACA, **127,000 people in the state of Idaho would lose their health coverage.**¹
  o This represents an increase of 67.1%.

• **238,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Idaho have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  o This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Idaho is expected to increase by $349 million.**³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters:** 1,960 in Idaho
  o **Iron Workers:** 470 in Idaho
  o **Security Guards:** 2,410 in Idaho
  o **Taxi Drivers:** 660 in Idaho

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Illinois

- With repeal of the ACA, **942,000 people in the state of Illinois would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 103.8%.

- **2,038,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Illinois have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 26% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Illinois is expected to increase by $3.06 billion**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 18,030 in Illinois
  - **Iron Workers**: 2,750 in Illinois
  - **Security Guards**: 49,250 in Illinois
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 6,710 in Illinois

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Indiana

- With repeal of the ACA, **493,000 people in the state of Indiana would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 87%.

- **1,175,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Indiana have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 30% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Indiana is expected to increase by $1.7 billion.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 8,040 in Indiana
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,970 in Indiana
  - **Security Guards:** 17,880 in Indiana
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 2,910 in Indiana

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Iowa

• With repeal of the ACA, **166,000 people in the state of Iowa would lose their health coverage.** ¹
  o This represents an increase of 103.6%.

• **448,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Iowa have a declinable preexisting condition.** ²
  o This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Iowa is expected to increase by $498 million.** ³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters: 1,860** in Iowa
  o **Iron Workers: 850** in Iowa
  o **Security Guards: 5,780** in Iowa
  o **Taxi Drivers: 1,960** in Iowa

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Kansas

- With repeal of the ACA, **144,000 people in the state of Kansas would lose their health coverage**.¹
  - This represents an increase of 43.8%.

- **504,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Kansas have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  - This represents 30% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Kansas is expected to increase by $629 million**.³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 3,550 in Kansas
  - **Iron Workers**: 340 in Kansas
  - **Security Guards**: 6,080 in Kansas
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 1,090 in Kansas

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Kentucky

• With repeal of the ACA, **436,000 people in the state of Kentucky would lose their health coverage.**¹
  o This represents an increase of 174.5%.

• **881,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Kentucky have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  o This represents 33% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Kentucky is expected to increase by $1.068 billion.**³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters**: 3,150 in Kentucky
  o **Iron Workers**: 1,070 in Kentucky
  o **Security Guards**: 10,820 in Kentucky
  o **Taxi Drivers**: 1,840 in Kentucky

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Louisiana

- With repeal of the ACA, **457,000 people in the state of Louisiana would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 124%.

- **849,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Louisiana have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 30% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Louisiana is expected to increase by $1.135 billion.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 6,280 in Louisiana
  - **Iron Workers:** 2,980 in Louisiana
  - **Security Guards:** 18,170 in Louisiana
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 2,780 in Louisiana

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Maine

• With repeal of the ACA, **70,000 people in the state of Maine would lose their health coverage**.¹
  o This represents an increase of 90.3%.

• **229,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Maine have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  o This represents 29% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Maine is expected to increase by $341.1 million**.³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters**: 2,020 in Maine
  o **Iron Workers**: 140 in Maine
  o **Security Guards**: 1,820 in Maine
  o **Taxi Drivers**: 670 in Maine

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Maryland

- With repeal of the ACA, **377,000 people in the state of Maryland would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 93.6%.

- **975,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Maryland have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 26% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Maryland is expected to increase by $927 million.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 3,830 in Maryland
  - **Iron Workers**: 1,090 in Maryland
  - **Security Guards**: 28,680 in Maryland
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 5,000 in Maryland

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Massachusetts

- With repeal of the ACA, **238,000 people in the state of STATE would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 173.3%.

- **999,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Massachusetts have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Massachusetts is expected to increase by $789.1 million.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 12,110 in Massachusetts
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,130 in Massachusetts
  - **Security Guards:** 21,130 in Massachusetts
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 8,330 in Massachusetts

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Michigan

- With repeal of the ACA, **718,000 people in the state of Michigan would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 141.3%.

- **1,687,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Michigan have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 28% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Michigan is expected to increase by $2.268 billion**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 5,510 in Michigan
  - **Iron Workers**: 1,220 in Michigan
  - **Security Guards**: 23,960 in Michigan
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 3,970 in Michigan

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Minnesota

- With repeal of the ACA, **244,000 people in the state of Minnesota would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 76.6%.

- **744,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Minnesota have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 22% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Minnesota is expected to increase by $1.276 billion.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 5,680 in Minnesota
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,300 in Minnesota
  - **Security Guards:** 10,550 in Minnesota
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 4,320 in Minnesota

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Mississippi

- With repeal of the ACA, **191,000 people in the state of Mississippi would lose their health coverage.**<sup>1</sup>
  - This represents an increase of 54.2%.

- **595,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Mississippi have a declinable preexisting condition.**<sup>2</sup>
  - This represents 34% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Mississippi is expected to increase by $544 million.**<sup>3</sup>

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include<sup>4</sup>:
  - **Firefighters:** 2,710 in Mississippi
  - **Iron Workers:** 630 in Mississippi
  - **Security Guards:** 9,890 in Mississippi
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 930 in Mississippi

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Missouri

• With repeal of the ACA, **370,000 people in the state of Missouri would lose their health coverage.**¹
  o This represents an increase of 67.2%.

• **1,090,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Missouri have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  o This represents 30% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Missouri is expected to increase by $1.518 billion.**³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters**: 7,280 in Missouri
  o **Iron Workers**: 1,100 in Missouri
  o **Security Guards**: 16,360 in Missouri
  o **Taxi Drivers**: 3,150 in Missouri

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Montana

- With repeal of the ACA, **110,000 people in the state of Montana would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 127.4%.

- **152,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Montana have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Montana is expected to increase by $291 million.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 340 in Montana
  - **Security Guards:** 1,720 in Montana
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 610 in Montana

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Nebraska

- With repeal of the ACA, **94,000 people in the state of Nebraska would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 61.1%.

- **275,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Nebraska have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Nebraska is expected to increase by $291.1 million.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 1,100 in Nebraska
  - **Iron Workers:** 930 in Nebraska
  - **Security Guards:** 4,520 in Nebraska
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 950 in Nebraska

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Nevada

- With repeal of the ACA, **340,000 people in the state of Nevada would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 83.3%.

- **439,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Nevada have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Nevada is expected to increase by $985 million.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 1,660 in Nevada
  - **Iron Workers:** 260 in Nevada
  - **Security Guards:** 20,730 in Nevada
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 12,040 in Nevada

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New Hampshire

- With repeal of the ACA, **92,000 people in the state of New Hampshire would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 147.7%.

- **201,000 non-elderly adults in the state of New Hampshire have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in New Hampshire is expected to increase by $328.3 million**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 1,760 in New Hampshire
  - **Iron Workers**: 150 in New Hampshire
  - **Security Guards**: 2,430 in New Hampshire
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 1,020 in New Hampshire

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New Jersey

- With repeal of the ACA, **701,000 people in the state of New Jersey would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 107.2%.

- **1,234,000 non-elderly adults in the state of New Jersey have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 23% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in New Jersey is expected to increase by $1.899 billion.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 5,300 in New Jersey
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,160 in New Jersey
  - **Security Guards:** 37,090 in New Jersey
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 7,730 in New Jersey

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New Mexico

- With repeal of the ACA, **246,000 people in the state of New Mexico would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 124.8%.

- **332,000 non-elderly adults in the state of New Mexico have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 27% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in New Mexico is expected to increase by $529.6 million**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 1,630 in New Mexico
  - **Iron Workers**: 300 in New Mexico
  - **Security Guards**: 6,380 in New Mexico
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 1,220 in New Mexico

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New York

- With repeal of the ACA, **884,000 people in the state of New York would lose their health coverage.**\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 57.7%.

- **3,031,000 non-elderly adults in the state of New York have a declinable preexisting condition.**\(^2\)
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in New York is expected to increase by $2.893 billion.**\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters:** 10,970 in New York
  - **Iron Workers:** 4,840 in New York
  - **Security Guards:** 113,490 in New York
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 14,700 in New York

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North Carolina

- With repeal of the ACA, **791,000 people in the state of North Carolina would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 66.5%.

- **1,658,000 non-elderly adults in the state of North Carolina have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 27% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in North Carolina is expected to increase by $2.062 billion.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 14,530 in North Carolina
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,250 in North Carolina
  - **Security Guards:** 27,150 in North Carolina
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 3,460 in North Carolina

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North Dakota

- With repeal of the ACA, **45,000 people in the state of North Dakota would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 98.7%.

- **111,000 non-elderly adults in the state of North Dakota have a declinable preexisting condition.**\(^2\)
  - This represents 24% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in North Dakota is expected to increase by $186.9 million**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 300 in North Dakota
  - **Iron Workers**: 330 in North Dakota
  - **Security Guards**: 1,630 in North Dakota
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 840 in North Dakota

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Ohio

• With repeal of the ACA, **807,000 people in the state of Ohio would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 129.1%.

• **1,919,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Ohio have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 28% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Ohio is expected to increase by $2.405 billion**.\(^3\)

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 19,030 in Ohio
  - **Iron Workers**: 2,540 in Ohio
  - **Security Guards**: 31,000 in Ohio
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 6,370 in Ohio

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Oklahoma

- **With repeal of the ACA, 247,000 people in the state of Oklahoma would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 45.6%.

- **706,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Oklahoma have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 31% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of uncompensated care in Oklahoma is expected to increase by $894 million.

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters:** 3,390 in Oklahoma
  - **Iron Workers:** 710 in Oklahoma
  - **Security Guards:** 10,900 in Oklahoma
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 1,490 in Oklahoma

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Oregon

• With repeal of the ACA, 397,000 people in the state of Oregon would lose their health coverage.1
  o This represents an increase of 151.8%.

• 654,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Oregon have a declinable preexisting condition.2
  o This represents 27% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of uncompensated care in Oregon is expected to increase by $1.087 billion.3

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include4:
  o **Firefighters:** 3,280 in Oregon
  o **Iron Workers:** 430 in Oregon
  o **Security Guards:** 7,920 in Oregon
  o **Taxi Drivers:** 1,620 in Oregon

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Pennsylvania

- With repeal of the ACA, **728,000 people in the state of Pennsylvania would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 100.6%.

- **2,045,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Pennsylvania have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 27% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Pennsylvania is expected to increase by $1.856 billion**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 5,110 in Pennsylvania
  - **Iron Workers**: 1,550 in Pennsylvania
  - **Security Guards**: 43,620 in Pennsylvania
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 7,780 in Pennsylvania

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Rhode Island

- With repeal of the ACA, **79,000 people in the state of Rhode Island would lose their health coverage**.¹
  - This represents an increase of 136.5%.

- **164,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Rhode Island have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Rhode Island is expected to increase by $186 million**.³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 1,880 in Rhode Island
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 440 in Rhode Island

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South Carolina

• With repeal of the ACA, **273,000 people in the state of South Carolina would lose their health coverage**.¹
  o This represents an increase of 43.8%.

• **822,000 non-elderly adults in the state of South Carolina have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  o This represents 28% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in South Carolina is expected to increase by $655 million**.³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters**: 5,270 in South Carolina
  o **Iron Workers**: 720 in South Carolina
  o **Security Guards**: 13,770 in South Carolina
  o **Taxi Drivers**: 1,650 in South Carolina

South Dakota

- With repeal of the ACA, **36,000 people in the state of South Dakota would lose their health coverage**.\(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 43.4%.

- **126,000 non-elderly adults in the state of South Dakota have a declinable preexisting condition**.\(^2\)
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in South Dakota is expected to increase by $130 million**.\(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters: 550 in South Dakota**
  - **Iron Workers: 900 in South Dakota**
  - **Security Guards: 1,160 in South Dakota**
  - **Taxi Drivers: 650 in South Dakota**

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Tennessee

- With repeal of the ACA, **372,000 people in the state of Tennessee would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 54.2%.

- **1,265,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Tennessee have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 32% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Tennessee is expected to increase by $949 million.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 5,390 in Tennessee
  - **Iron Workers**: 1,250 in Tennessee
  - **Security Guards**: 22,630 in Tennessee
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 2,540 in Tennessee

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Texas

- With repeal of the ACA, **2,124,000 people in the state of Texas would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 47.4%.

- **4,536,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Texas have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 27% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Texas is expected to increase by $4.62 billion.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - **Firefighters**: 27,890 in Texas
  - **Iron Workers**: 6,380 in Texas
  - **Security Guards**: 88,450 in Texas
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 11,820 in Texas

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Utah

- With repeal of the ACA, **179,000 people in the state of Utah would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 52.4%.

- **391,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Utah have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 23% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Utah is expected to increase by $545 million.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 2,900 in Utah
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,570 in Utah
  - **Security Guards:** 5,660 in Utah
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 1,230 in Utah

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Vermont

- With repeal of the ACA, **22,000 people in the state of Vermont would lose their health coverage.**
  - This represents an increase of 81%.

- **96,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Vermont have a declinable preexisting condition.**
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Vermont is expected to increase by $109 million.**

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include:
  - Firefighters: 190 in Vermont
  - Iron Workers: 70 in Vermont
  - Security Guards: 1,150 in Vermont
  - Taxi Drivers: 540 in Vermont

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Virginia

• With repeal of the ACA, **487,000 people in the state of Virginia would lose their health coverage**.¹
  o This represents an increase of 54.1%.

• **1,344,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Virginia have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  o This represents 26% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Virginia is expected to increase by $1.589 billion**.³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters**: 9,240 in Virginia
  o **Iron Workers**: 1,490 in Virginia
  o **Security Guards**: 31,490 in Virginia
  o **Taxi Drivers**: 4,540 in Virginia

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Washington

- With repeal of the ACA, **648,000 people in the state of Washington would lose their health coverage**. \(^1\)
  - This represents an increase of 124.2%.

- **1,095,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Washington have a declinable preexisting condition**. \(^2\)
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Washington is expected to increase by $2.077 billion**. \(^3\)

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include\(^4\):
  - **Firefighters**: 8,000 in Washington
  - **Iron Workers**: 1,420 in Washington
  - **Security Guards**: 19,850 in Washington
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 3,960 in Washington

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West Virginia

- With repeal of the ACA, **172,000 people in the state of West Virginia would lose their health coverage**.¹
  - This represents an increase of 194.8%.

- **392,000 non-elderly adults in the state of West Virginia have a declinable preexisting condition**.²
  - This represents 36% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in West Virginia is expected to increase by $491.9 million**.³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters**: 850 in West Virginia
  - **Iron Workers**: 420 in West Virginia
  - **Security Guards**: 5,330 in West Virginia
  - **Taxi Drivers**: 690 in West Virginia

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Wisconsin

- With repeal of the ACA, **321,000 people in the state of Wisconsin would lose their health coverage.**¹
  - This represents an increase of 104.7%.

- **852,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Wisconsin have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  - This represents 25% of non-elderly adults.

- As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Wisconsin is expected to increase by $1.051 billion.**³

- Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  - **Firefighters:** 9,320 in Wisconsin
  - **Iron Workers:** 1,070 in Wisconsin
  - **Security Guards:** 11,060 in Wisconsin
  - **Taxi Drivers:** 5,050 in Wisconsin

Wyoming

• With repeal of the ACA, **33,000 people in the state of Wyoming would lose their health coverage.**¹
  o This represents an increase of 53.2%.

• **94,000 non-elderly adults in the state of Wyoming have a declinable preexisting condition.**²
  o This represents 27% of non-elderly adults.

• As a result of the loss of coverage due to ACA repeal, the cost of **uncompensated care in Wyoming is expected to increase by $168.5 million.**³

• Before ACA, insurers in many states were allowed to automatically deny coverage on the individual market for those with high-risk occupations. Some of these careers include⁴:
  o **Firefighters**: 460 in Wyoming
  o **Iron Workers**: 200 in Wyoming
  o **Security Guards**: 1,080 in Wyoming
  o **Taxi Drivers**: 500 in Wyoming

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