

Protect Our Care: States' request to immediately suspend Affordable Care Act dismays Wisconsin health insurers

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"The market would just be in chaos"

WISCONSIN - New reporting from the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel reveals the extent to which Governor Scott Walker and Attorney General Brad Schimel support returning to the days where individuals with pre-existing conditions can be discriminated against by health insurance companies.

As part of their lawsuit, currently pending before a federal judge in Texas, Boulton writes that Walker, Schimel and others *"did not back not back off on their request for a preliminary injunction suspending the entire law."*

"At a minimum, the states asked Judge Reed O'Connor to strike down in their states the parts of the law that prohibit health insurance companies from refusing to cover people with pre-existing health conditions or charging them higher rates."

[Read the full story here.](#)

"Governor Walker and Attorney General Schimel want to bring back discrimination in healthcare tomorrow," said Protect Our Care spokesman Joe Zepecki. "That's not hyperbole, it is a cold hard truth that would affect more than 2 million Wisconsinites with pre-existing conditions."