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## Poll: Americans Worried as GOP Sabotage Spikes Health Care Premiums

*As Wisconsinites face skyrocketing health care costs following GOP sabotage, Leah Vukmir and Kevin Nicholson continue to run on taking away 30 million Americans' health care access*

MADISON — In Wisconsin and across the country, Republican health care sabotage continues to spike consumer costs, shouldering Americans with skyrocketing premiums — [particularly in rural areas](#) — and [rising worries that their care will soon be completely unaffordable](#). But **GOP U.S. Senate candidates Kevin Nicholson** and **Leah Vukmir** are nevertheless dead set on taking away 30 million Americans' health care access and further spiking consumer costs, as part of their right-wing, corporate-special-interest-giveaway agenda. Nicholson and Vukmir have continued to [campaign on dangerous Trumpcare repeal plans](#) that would gut protections for people with preexisting conditions, spike premiums and take health care away from up to 30 million Americans. And Vukmir and Nicholson are standing by their fellow Republicans' efforts to further destabilize health care markets — malicious sabotage that's already [spiking premiums in Wisconsin](#) and across the country.

Republican-led health care market sabotage has gotten so out of control that a recent Kaiser Family Foundation tracking poll [finds](#) that **a majority of Americans are “worried about their out-of-pocket costs increasing so high that” they won't be able to afford the care that they need.**

Meanwhile, additional [polling shows that health care remains the top issue for voters](#) heading into November's midterm elections. In Wisconsin, specifically, a recent PPP survey found that [72% of likely voters name health care](#) a top issue. That's bad news for Trumpcare candidates like Nicholson and Vukmir, who are also running on [a Republican tax law that spikes health care costs](#) while simultaneously [calling for dangerous cuts](#) to Wisconsinites' Social Security, Medicaid and Medicare benefits.