

# "This bill is heartless. Congress can and must do better."

-ANA President Pam Cipriano

# TIMELINE OF THE SENATE'S 4 ATTEMPTS TO REDUCE ACCESS TO QUALITY HEALTHCARE

# **JUNE 26, 2017**

Better Care Reconciliation Act of 2017 (BCRA)

### **IMPACTS**

- 22 million uninsured by 2026
- \$772 billion cut from Medicaid
- Elimination of \$1 billion
  Prevention and Public Health Fund
  Reduced eligibility for premium subsidies and greater burden for
- older, low-income Americans
  Process lacked transparency and nurse input

# JULY 13 & JULY 20, 2017

Better Care Reconciliation Act of 2017 (BCRA) Amended

#### **IMPACTS**

- 22 million uninsured by 2026
  - \$756 billion cut from Medicaid
- Work requirements for certain individuals to receive Medicaid
- Allowed the sale of "skeleton" plans that eliminated coverage of essential health benefits (removed in July 20 version)
- Elimination of \$1 billion Prevention and Public Health Fund
- Process lacked transparency and nurse input

#### **JULY 2017**

Obamacare Repeal Reconciliation Act of 2017 (Originally drafted and passed by the

(Originally drafted and passed by the Senate in 2015 to be vetoed by President Obama)

## **IMPACTS**

- 32 million uninsured by 2026
- \$842 billion cut from Medicaid
- 3/4 of the population would live in areas with no insurer participation for the non-group market
- The average premium would increase by over 50%
- Elimination of **\$1 billion** Prevention and Public Health Fund
- Process lacked transparency and nurse input