



# Ron Has Plans to Make Quality Health Care More Affordable for Minnesotans

The sharply rising costs in the individual health policy market can be dealt with in a number of ways, some of which are:

### **Capping**

No Minnesotan would pay in the individual market more than 10% of their annual income for health insurance. For any amount over 10% a rebate would cover the difference.

#### Re-establish the High Risk Pool

For years MN had a high risk plan called the Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association (MCHA). Any individual with high risk health problems could purchase their insurance in this subsidized pool.

#### **Hold Insurance Companies Accountable**

Hold insurance companies to their legal requirement to pay for mental health coverage. Make it illegal for insurance companies to bait and switch consumers by changing what drugs are covered after a person has already signed up for a plan.

Ron will draw on his financial planning experience to find more proposals to stabilize premiums for the individual policy market.

To solve this problem we need the type of compromise and collaboration between political parties, MNSure, and the Federal Affordable Care Act that Ron brings to the Capitol.

None of this can happen until the legislature is in session.



## Ron has been consistently endorsed by the following health organizations:

Minnesota Medical Association • Minnesota Nurses Association • Planned Parenthood of MN, SD, & ND • NARAL ProChoice Minnesota and supported by: Minnesota Dental Association • Minnesota Independent Insurance Agents Association

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