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- 1) **Why Doctors Still Use Pen and Paper**  
<http://www.theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/2014/04/the-paper-cure/358639/>
- 2) **HHS tech boss: Data will drive change in health care**  
<http://www.tennessean.com/story/money/2014/03/26/hhs-tech-boss-data-will-drive-change-health-care/6914025/>
- 3) **Doc fix would delay Obamacare Medicaid cuts. That's good news for non-expansion states.**  
<http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/wonkblog/wp/2014/03/26/doc-fix-would-delay-obamacare-medicaid-cuts-thats-good-news-for-non-expansion-states/>
- 4) **The 10 maps that illustrate the healthiest counties in America**  
<http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/govbeat/wp/2014/03/26/the-ten-maps-that-illustrate-the-healthiest-counties-in-america/>
- 5) **Opinion: The Individual Mandate Goes Poof**  
<http://online.wsj.com/news/articles/SB10001424052702303802104579451103019884322?ref=/home-page>
- 6) **Op-Ed: SC can save lives, money with smoking prevention, cessation investments**  
<http://www.thestate.com/2014/03/26/3350309/keely-sc-can-save-lives-money.html?sp=/99/168/#storylink=cpy>
- 7) **Opinion: "It is now probably impossible to achieve the demographic mix that the government has been forecasting. And that may well prove very expensive for the federal government."**  
[http://m.postandcourier.com/article/20140327/PC1002/140329470&template=mobile\\_story](http://m.postandcourier.com/article/20140327/PC1002/140329470&template=mobile_story)
- 8) **On the Ramifications of High-Tech, Big-Data Medical Care**  
<http://www.theatlantic.com/health/archive/2014/03/on-the-ramifications-of-high-tech-big-data-medical-care/284579/>
- 9) **Consumers Get \$10B In Subsidies For Health Coverage, Study Finds**  
<http://capsules.kaiserhealthnews.org/index.php/2014/03/consumers-get-10b-in-subsidies-for-health-coverage-study-finds>
- 10) **Extension of Health Law Signup Period Worries Insurers**  
<http://online.wsj.com/news/articles/SB10001424052702304688104579463850241889522?KEYWORDS=medicare&mg=reno64-wsj>
- 11) **Interest in Obamacare surges ahead of enrollment deadline**  
<http://www.latimes.com/business/la-fi-obamacare-extension-20140327,0,3581621.story#ixzz2x9nN0EN4>
- 12) **Why Runners Can't Eat Whatever They Want**  
[http://online.wsj.com/news/articles/SB10001424052702303949704579461381883678174?mod=trending\\_now\\_1](http://online.wsj.com/news/articles/SB10001424052702303949704579461381883678174?mod=trending_now_1)

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