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**1. Songs and Sunscreen Spread the Health Insurance Message**

[http://www.nytimes.com/2013/08/01/business/media/songs-and-sunscreen-spread-the-health-insurance-message.html?emc=edit\\_tnt\\_20130731&tntemail0=y&\\_r=1&](http://www.nytimes.com/2013/08/01/business/media/songs-and-sunscreen-spread-the-health-insurance-message.html?emc=edit_tnt_20130731&tntemail0=y&_r=1&)

**2. Revealing a Health Care Secret: The Price**

[http://opinionator.blogs.nytimes.com/2013/07/31/a-new-health-care-approach-dont-hide-the-price/?\\_r=0](http://opinionator.blogs.nytimes.com/2013/07/31/a-new-health-care-approach-dont-hide-the-price/?_r=0)

**3. California cracks down on rehab clinics after CNN/CIR investigation**

[http://www.cnn.com/2013/07/31/health/rehab-racket-siu-cir-part-three/index.html?hpt=hp\\_t1](http://www.cnn.com/2013/07/31/health/rehab-racket-siu-cir-part-three/index.html?hpt=hp_t1)

**4. Whistleblower suit: Hospitals defrauded Medicaid**

<http://www.usatoday.com/story/money/business/2013/07/31/whistleblower-suit-hospitals-defrauded-medicaid/2607219/>

**5. Medicare program designed to save money on medical equipment delays access for some Charleston patients**

<http://www.postandcourier.com/article/20130731/PC16/130739883/1177/medicare-program-designed-to-save-money-on-medical-equipment-delays-access-for-some-charleston-patients>

**6. President Obama on Hill's Obamacare mess: I'm on it**

<http://www.politico.com/story/2013/07/obama-hill-health-care-dispute-95017.html>

**5. Congress To Consider 'Keep The IRS Off Your Health Care Act Of 2013' This Week**

<http://www.forbes.com/sites/kellyphillips/2013/07/31/congress-to-consider-keep-the-irs-off-your-health-care-act-of-2013-this-week/>

**6. Wagner: Will SC help turn off the engine of cancer?**

<http://www.thestate.com/2013/08/01/2892474/wagner-will-sc-help-turn-off-the.html>

**7. Schools keep distance from Obamacare enrollment**

[http://www.politico.com/story/2013/08/public-schools-obamacare-enrollment-94993.html?hp=t3\\_3](http://www.politico.com/story/2013/08/public-schools-obamacare-enrollment-94993.html?hp=t3_3)

**8. Mr. President, ObamaCare is creating a part time economy**

<http://www.foxnews.com/opinion/2013/08/01/mr-president-obamacare-is-creating-part-time-economy/>

**9. The Future of Health Care: Empty Hospitals?**

<http://finance.yahoo.com/news/future-health-care-empty-hospitals-221743147.html>

**10. Report: Oversight of compounding pharmacies is unclear, inconsistent at state, federal levels**

[http://www.washingtonpost.com/national/report-oversight-of-compounding-pharmacies-is-unclear-inconsistent-at-state-federal-levels/2013/08/01/c719ce90-fa7c-11e2-89f7-8599e3f77a67\\_story.html](http://www.washingtonpost.com/national/report-oversight-of-compounding-pharmacies-is-unclear-inconsistent-at-state-federal-levels/2013/08/01/c719ce90-fa7c-11e2-89f7-8599e3f77a67_story.html)

**11. Lift health care reform's deductible cap: Column**

<http://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2013/08/01/janet-trautwein-on-obamacare-and-small-business/2599471/>

**13. Doctors Propose New Cancer Definition to Avoid Unnecessary Treatments**

[http://www.pbs.org/newshour/bb/health/july-dec13/cancer\\_07-30.html](http://www.pbs.org/newshour/bb/health/july-dec13/cancer_07-30.html)

**14. 'CHURNING': THE LATEST WATCHWORD FOR STATES WORKING ON HEALTH REFORM**

<http://www.californiahealthline.org/road-to-reform/2013/churning-the-latest-watchword-for-states-working-on->

**15. Pivoting From Insurance**

<http://online.wsj.com/article/SB10001424127887323997004578640250265613308.html?KEYWORDS=health+law>

**16. Advocates for nursing home reform push back against proposed health watchdog cuts**

<http://www.publicintegrity.org/2013/08/01/13091/advocates-nursing-home-reform-push-back-against-proposed-health-watchdog-cuts>

**17. The Unanticipated Consequences of Postponing the Employer Mandate**

[http://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMp1308934?query=featured\\_home](http://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMp1308934?query=featured_home)

**18. Despite Probes, China's Drug Market To Boom To \$315 Billion By 2020**

<http://www.forbes.com/sites/brucejapsen/2013/08/01/despite-probes-chinas-drug-market-to-boom-to-315-billion-by-2020/>

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