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Hello Nikki,

The Affordable Care Act (ACA) is an important part of our nation's effort to end AIDS in our lifetime. Because of the ACA, insurance companies can no longer refuse to cover people with HIV or any other health condition. They also can't charge higher monthly health insurance premiums based upon HIV

status. Yet, as with all advances, the devil is in the details. And, despite the new ACA insurance rules, health insurers continue to create barriers to life-saving HIV care.



Some insurers intentionally hide information about whether or not they cover the medications people living with HIV need in an effort to keep them off of their health plans. Some fail to provide access to HIV medications, and others require people living with HIV to pay thousands of dollars in coinsurance, while people with other health conditions pay far less for their medications.

The Elton John AIDS Foundation (EJAF) is supporting efforts to solve this problem. We are working with Harvard Law School's Center for Health Law and Policy Innovation and other EJAF grantees to study current health insurance practices and develop policies to prevent discrimination and instead provide meaningful access to health insurance to all people living with HIV.

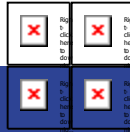
You can learn more about the Center for Health Law and Policy Innovation's important work [on our website](#), and then help support our efforts by [making a generous donation](#) to the Foundation today.

Join us in our efforts to end AIDS in our lifetime!

Sincerely,



Scott P. Campbell
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