

NCHAC members receive a regular e-mail newsletter about health care issues in NC, and have an opportunity to participate and have discussions on these important issues.

MEMBERSHIP FORM

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 ORGANIZATION _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
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Membership Rates

Low-Income individual membership	\$5
Individual membership	\$25
Organizational membership (<i>dues according to budget</i>)	
< \$10,000 organizational budget	\$25
\$10,000 - \$49,999	\$50
\$50,000 - \$99,999	\$75
\$100,000 - \$149,999	\$100
\$150,000 - \$199,999	\$150
\$200,000 - \$249,999	\$175
\$250,000 - \$499,999	\$200
\$500,000 - \$999,999	\$300
> \$999,000	\$500

Donations in addition to the standard dues are gratefully accepted.

NCHAC is a project of the non-profit NC Justice Center. ALL DUES ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.

Please make checks payable to:
 NC HEALTH ACCESS COALITION

To join online, please go to:

www.nchac.org

NC Justice Center's Health Access Coalition

PO Box 28068 • 224 S. Dawson Street
 Raleigh, NC 27611

(919)856-2570 voice (919)856-2175 fax

Organizations that join NCHAC are listed as members on NCHAC materials and on our website. Please let us know if you do NOT prefer your organization listed.

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Many thanks to all our loyal members for your financial support and for your willingness to advocate on the Coalition's issues.

Because of you, the voices of health care consumers – both insured and uninsured – are being heard in the General Assembly, state offices, and the media.

NCHAC continues to be **a force for ordinary North Carolinians on health care issues** – but **ONLY** with your help. Individuals and groups alike are welcomed as members, so please spread the word and help us enlist others. You will receive regular email updates, alerts on important health issues, and information on how you can help ensure that everyone in North Carolina has **access to high quality and affordable health care.**

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Better Health Care for All North Carolinians

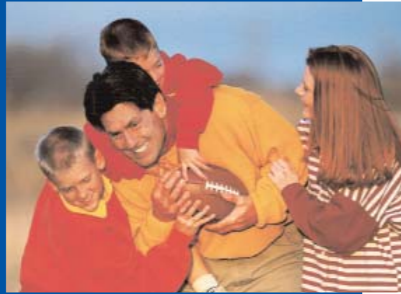
NC Health Access Coalition

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The NC Justice Center's Health Access Coalition

[or NCHAC] educates the public and policymakers about health care reform options and enables consumers to become active participants in developing health policy for the state's residents. We provide research and policy analysis, technical support and information to legislators and the public. Together we support a health care system that provides all North Carolinians with affordable, high quality, comprehensive, and accessible health care services, with strong measures to control rising health care costs. We are creating a movement of individuals and organizations that demands improvement in North Carolina's health care system.



■ *NC Health Access Coalition is a group of individuals and organizations from across the state advocating on behalf of health care consumers.*

We Support a Health Care System for All North Carolinians that Includes:

- **Health Coverage for All** – Comprehensive health services regardless of age, sex, race, disability, religion, ethnicity, residence, or economic or health status
- **Comprehensive Benefits** – Coverage that meets health care needs throughout life
- **Consumer Involvement** – A voice at the table in the implementation and oversight of the system
- **Primary and Preventive Care** – Emphasis on primary care, prevention and health education
- **A Choice of Providers** – More options for consumers when seeking health care
- **Quality Care** – Delivery of high-quality health services to all
- **Cost Containment** – Controls of health care costs
- **Informed Consent** – Recognition of the patient as a full partner in the determination of care
- **Affordability** – Affordable payments, premiums and co-pays for all families and employers

- **"Job Lock" Prevention** – A provision that allows individuals to move into a new job without concern over losing health coverage
- **Simplicity** – Simplified paperwork for patients, employers, and health care providers

In Designing this System, North Carolina *MUST*:

- EXPAND HEALTH COVERAGE TO THOSE WHO ARE UNINSURED, WHILE ALSO ALLOWING THOSE WHO ARE HAPPY WITH THEIR COVERAGE TO KEEP IT
- ENSURE THAT ALL CHILDREN HAVE HEALTH COVERAGE
- PROTECT FAMILIES FROM ECONOMIC DISASTER DUE TO LACK OF ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE OR LACK OF COVERAGE
- PROVIDE THE SAME COVERAGE FOR MENTAL ILLNESSES AS FOR PHYSICAL ILLNESSES
- FULLY MEET THE HEALTH CARE NEEDS OF OUR OLDER POPULATION
- MAKE CERTAIN THAT PEOPLE LIVING WITH DISABILITIES RECEIVE COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES

Help us make a difference for the people of our state!

