

List of Governors Expressing Concern about Repeal of the Affordable Care Act and the Medicaid Expansion

[Governor Susana Martinez](#) (R-New Mexico)

Martinez said Tuesday that she expected people to continue to enroll for insurance using health care exchanges as long as it's the law and that insurance cannot simply be taken away. A transition to any new system will be needed ensure people are not left uninsured, she said.

"I don't know that there will ever be a turn off the switch, wait a period of time and then turn it back on," Martinez said. "There is going to have to be a transition and not leave everyone uninsured."

[Governor Asa Hutchinson](#) (R-Arkansas)

In this story Governor Hutchinson indicated he was interested in keeping the Medicaid expansion funding in his state – just looking for more flexibility from the federal government on issues like work requirements and asset tests.

[Governor Rick Snyder](#) (R-Michigan)

Governor Snyder told Politico that he “will work to ‘convey the successes’ of the state’s Medicaid expansion to President-elect Donald Trump and the Republican-controlled Congress.”

[Governor Doug Ducey](#) (R-Arizona)

If the law is repealed, those federal funds would dry up, endangering coverage for about 400,000 individuals. And that, said Ducey, is unacceptable.

“We know that ObamaCare isn’t working, we know that it’s badly broken and in need of improvement,” the governor said. But Ducey said any solution has to be about not just repeal but replacing it with something.

“We want to see all of our citizens have access to affordable health care,” he said.

“That’s not where we are,” the governor continued. “We’ve got a new Congress, a new president and a fresh start.”