

# United States Senate

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The Honorable Ron Wyden  
Ranking Member  
Senate Committee on Finance  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Ranking Member Wyden,

Thank you for your continued work as Ranking Member of the Senate Finance Committee on behalf of Americans' health. I write to urge that we swiftly take up legislation to guarantee great health care for every American child.

In the State of Georgia, tens of thousands of children lack health insurance and in recent years thousands have been thrown off the Medicaid rolls.<sup>1,2</sup> Georgia children have missed pediatrician visits because they lack insurance.<sup>3</sup> This is a national crisis. No child in America should be denied care. We must ensure every child is covered and has access to care, including hearing, dental, and vision care. This must be an urgent priority for us to address in Congress.

In support of your ongoing work to strengthen health care coverage, I am urging the Committee and all my colleagues to tackle this issue head on to guarantee great health care for every child nationwide, including hearing, dental, and vision coverage.

I look forward to working with you to ensure every kid in America has timely access to the care they need.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,



Jon Ossoff  
United States Senator

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<sup>1</sup> <https://ccf.georgetown.edu/2025/09/12/u-s-and-state-by-state-child-health-coverage-trends/>

<sup>2</sup> <https://apnews.com/article/medicaid-georgia-redetermination-removals-f0b5676e7762003b998cbced55c610e0>

<sup>3</sup> <https://www.ajc.com/news/health-news/number-of-georgians-dropped-from-medicaid-nears-50000/VAQYLWFWCFBA7JMGOJX6T62T6U/>