

Take Action to Protect Health Care Call Your Senators Today!

Tell Your Senators No Vote Before Inauguration

Calling your U.S. Senators and House Representatives is one of the most effective ways to communicate with your congress members on key issues that are important to you - *and it only takes 2-minutes*.

When you call your congress members, a staffer for the Senator's/Representative's office will be the one to answer the phone. They will then ask you your name, address (zip code in particular, to confirm if you are a constituent from the district), then take down your message and relay it to the Legislative Aide who works on the topic as well as the congress member. Staff also keeps track of the number of constituents who call-in on particular issues. The staffer's overall job is to tally and report on the input they receive on a given issue and to treat constituents with warmth.

So, call both your US Senators today. Your voice makes a difference!

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SAMPLE CALL SCRIPT

Hello - I'm a constituent and a future physician from <<insert school>> and a member of the American Medical Student Association (AMSA). I'm calling to let Senator ______ know that as a future physician, I am vitally concerned about protecting health care for your constituents and my future patients, and I urge the Senate not to confirm Amy Coney Barrett before inauguration. As a future physician, I am deeply concerned that the Senate is pushing through a confirmation of a Supreme Court nominee rather than focusing on providing COVID-19 relief to help our communities and protect health care for millions. Considering the upcoming Supreme Court decision on the Affordable Care Act, I am deeply concerned that a vote to confirm Amy Coney Barrett is a vote to dismantle the American healthcare system. There should be no confirmation for this important position until after inauguration.

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