

Senator **John McCain's** Plan Will TAX Your Health Care

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What's Wrong With John McCain?

“What the McCain plan would do is TAX health care benefits.”

– Shawn Tully, Editor-at-Large, *Fortune Magazine* (CNN’s “Your Money,” 3/16/08)

Senator **John McCain’s** Health Plan Is NOT All He Says It Is

McCain’s plan calls for a \$2,500 tax credit for individuals and a \$5,000 credit for families to help them pay for private health insurance. But what he doesn’t tell you is that your health care benefits from your job would no longer be tax deductible. So you’d actually have to pay extra taxes just for having benefits.

And for those of us without health insurance through our jobs, it’s even worse: \$5,000 won’t nearly cover the average cost of a family health care policy: \$12,106 per year. (*New York Times*, 5/1/08)

And Senator **John McCain** Would Deregulate the Insurance Giants, Letting Them Bypass Patient Protections in Your State and Do as They Please

Even with our current financial crisis, McCain still seems to think that deregulation would somehow improve our health care system: “Opening up the health insurance market... as we have done over the last decade in banking...”

(*Contingencies*, September/October 2008)

Taxing Health Insurance Is Wrong

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