



Nancy Pelosi
Speaker of the House

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Dear Friends:

It is an honor to send warm greetings to the brilliant leaders and advocates of the National Health Law Program. It is also a privilege to congratulate you on fifty years of transformative progress for all Americans!

Since 1969, the National Health Law Program has been a powerful force for good in California and across America, protecting and advancing the health and well-being of our most vulnerable and underserved communities. The committed work of NHeLP's lawyers and advocates has been essential to expanding Medicaid and beating back dangerous work requirements, safeguarding women's reproductive freedom and protecting the lifesaving benefits of the Affordable Care Act. As we continue to face constant threats to the fundamental right to quality, affordable health care, we must remain committed to our shared work to protect people with pre-existing conditions and ensure every family has access to the care they need to grow and thrive.

Guided by your experience and tireless leadership, we can advance progress for hard-working Americans, regardless of age, race, gender or socio-economic condition. Working together, we can ensure that health care remains a right, not a privilege, for all.

On behalf of the United States Congress, thank you for your partnership in this critical mission. Again, congratulations on fifty years of remarkable leadership and success!

best regards,

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