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# Subsidy Scheme Stats

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The Obamacare subsidy scheme drives up plan costs and pays insurers – not patients – at the expense of the American taxpayer.

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★ Total cost to extend COVID Credits permanently:

**\$410 B**

★ Almost the entire Obamacare premium increase is paid for by taxpayers:

**80.3%**

★ Care is still being denied & costs are still unaffordable:

**1/3** of claims still denied

**\$21k** per family OOP costs

★ Wasteful federal spending on zero-claim enrollees lets insurers pocket full subsidies:

**> \$35 B** in 2024

for **12 M** enrollees