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Have you ever skipped a mammogram or pap smear because you couldn't afford the co-pay under your health insurance plan? We all need regular screenings and preventive care to stay healthy. But in today's economy, we sometimes have to make difficult choices – such as avoiding health insurance co-pays so we can buy our kids the supplies they need to go back to school in the fall.

We shouldn't have to sacrifice our health this way. And we won't, if the health reform bills now pending in Congress are enacted. One of the most important provisions is that insurance companies wouldn't be allowed to charge us co-pays for health screenings and other forms of preventive care. This is the kind of health reform we need – immediately!

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