

# GOP vote to repeal health reform an empty gesture

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**Quote**

“ One of the Republicans' major campaign promises was to cut the national deficit. According to the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office, repealing health care would increase deficits by \$230 billion over the next decade. How does that square with their mission and the country's economic health? ”

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