September 22, 2021

U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Representatives,

Health care is a human right, not a privilege. Sky high prescription drug prices that put needed and live-saving medications out of reach are an insidious denial of that human right and dignity.

We urge you not to falter at this unique moment and opportunity. We ask you to enact bold legislation to lower prescription drug prices for all Americans. Individuals who have Medicare, job-based health plans, Affordable Care Act plans or otherwise, all need to have affordable drug prices. It is time to stop drug corporations from setting and raising prices as high as they want, anytime they want through anticompetitive behaviors and pricing that make drugs unaffordable and out of reach for millions of Americans.

Sincerely,

National Organizations
AFL-CIO
AFSCME
Families USA
Public Citizen
Protect Our Care
AIDS Healthcare Foundation
Allergy & Asthma Network
Alliance for Retired Americans
American Family Voices
American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO
American Federation of Teachers
American Medical Student Association
Asian Pacific American Labor Alliance, AFL-CIO
Association of Flight Attendants – CWA
Be a Hero
Center for American Progress
Communications Workers of America
Community Catalyst
Congregation of Our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd, U.S. Provinces
Consumer Action
The Democratic Coalition
Doctors For America
DSA Health Workers Collective
Empowering Pacific Islander Communities (EPIC)
Health Care Voices
Health Care Voter
Health Gap
Indivisible
International Brotherhood of Teamsters
International Federation of Professional and Technical Engineers (IFPTE)
International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace & Agricultural Implement Workers of America (UAW)
Justice in Aging
The Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights
Little Lobbyists
Lower Drug Prices Now
Main Street Alliance
Medicare Rights Center
MomsRising
National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association (NARFE)
National Adult Day Services Association (NADSA)
National Advocacy Center of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd
National Association of Social Workers
National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare
National CooperativeRx
National Education Association
National Federation of Federal Employees
National Health Law Program
National Nurses United
Network Lobby for Catholic Social Justice
Oral Health Progress and Equity Network (OPEN, Inc.)
Organization of Professional Employees of U.S.D.A.
Our Revolution
Patients for Affordable Drugs Now
People’s Action
Progressive Doctors
R2H Action [Right to Health]
SPAN Parent Advocacy Network
Social Security Works
T1 International
UNITE HERE!
Voices for Progress
Voters of Tomorrow

**Arizona**
Asian Pacific Community in Action
Children’s Action Alliance
Honest Arizona
Progress Arizona
AFSCME LOCAL 3282

**Florida**
Florida Alliance for Healthcare Value

**Georgia**
Georgians for a Healthy Future
Jewish Community Relations Council
Jewish Democratic Womens Salon
AFSCME Local 1644

**Idaho**
TI International Idaho

**Illinois**
AIDS Foundation Chicago
State Rep. Will Guzzardi
Shriver Center on Poverty Law

**Massachusetts**
Massachusetts ME/CFS and FM Association

**Maryland**
Lower Shore Progressive Caucus
Maryland Consumer Rights Coalition
Maryland Health Care for All! Coalition
Our Revolution Maryland
BCTGM International Union
Healthcare Now of Maryland

**Minnesota**
T1 International Minnesota

**Nevada**
Culinary Union Local 226

**New Hampshire**
T1 International

**New Jersey**
AFT New Jersey
CWA Local 1014
CWA Local 1032
Lutherans Engaging in Advocacy Ministry
New Brunswick Area Branch NAACP
New Jersey Citizen Action
The New Jersey Education Association
New Jersey Superior Officers Law Enforcement Association

**California**
Americans for Democratic Action, Southern California
Health Access California
Livermore Indivisible
National Association of Social Workers (NASW), California Chapter
OFA East Bay Central
OWL Sac-Cap (Older Women’s League Sac-Cap)
T1 International California

**Colorado**
The Consortium
Colorado Consumer Health Initiative
Teamsters 125

**New York**
Metro New York Health Care for All

**Ohio**
Ohio Alliance for Retired Americans Educational Fund

**Oregon**
Oregon Coalition for Affordable Prescriptions

**Tennessee**
Tennessee Health Care Campaign

**Utah**
T1 International Utah

**Vermont**
Office of the Health Care Advocate, Vermont Legal Aid
Southern Vermont Area Health Education Center
Voices for Vermont’s Children

**West Virginia**
West Virginians for Affordable Health Care

**Wisconsin**
Citizen Action of Wisconsin

CC: The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, President of the United States
The Honorable Charles Schumer, Majority Leader, U.S. Senate
The Honorable Nancy Pelosi, Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable Ron Wyden, Chairman of Senate Committee on Finance
The Honorable Richard Neal, Chair, House Ways and Means Committee
The Honorable Frank Pallone, Chair, House Energy and Commerce Committee
The Honorable Patty Murray, Chair, Senate Health Education Labor and Pensions Committee
The Honorable Richard Burr, Ranking Member, Senate Health Education Labor and Pensions Committee
The Honorable Cathy McMorris Rodgers, Ranking Member, House Energy and Commerce Committee
The Honorable Kevin Brady, Ranking Member, House Ways and Means Committee
The Honorable Bobby Scott, Chair, House Education and Labor Committee
The Honorable Virginia Foxx, Ranking Member, House Education and Labor Committee