

Insurance Reform

Health System Reform

More people covered

More benefits & protections

Lower costs (consumers & government)

Improved quality & efficiency

Stronger workforce & infrastructure

Greater focus on public health & prevention

Insurance exchanges

Preventive services cov'g

Medical loss ratio (MLR)

Medical homes pilots

Medicaid provider payments

Community Transform. Grants

Guaranteed issue

Rate restrictions

Premium rate review

Quality measure devel. & use

Medicare provider payments

Public education campaigns

Kids under 26 covered

No lifetime/annual limits

Medicare Advantage

Incentive payments

NHSC loan repayment program

Community health needs assessments

Min cov'g provision

Uniform summaries

Prescription drug rebates

Dual eligibles carecoord.

Nutritional labeling

The chart on the previous page provides a broad overview of the structure of the Affordable Care Act (ACA), the health care law enacted in 2010. It does not address all provisions in the law. This table provides a brief explanation of the provisions in the chart, and the year each is effective (in parentheses). Visit www.healthcare.gov for a full list of provisions and more detailed explanations. Visit <http://www.apha.org/advocacy/Health+Reform> for more ACA resources.

