



THE ONECARENOW CAMPAIGN

Health Care for All—California (HCA) is a statewide network of 30 chapters, with over 20,000 members and supporters in nearly 200 cities. Together, we are working hard to educate Californians about universal single payer health insurance. This is what we are doing.

The OneCareNow Campaign: On August 12, 2006, HCA launched a massive, historic grassroots campaign—the **OneCareNow Campaign**—to achieve universal, single-payer health insurance in California. OneCareNow means one plan and one high standard of care for all Californians. It means full care for all, for life, for less. The OneCareNow Campaign is dedicated to building public pressure to demand that single payer health insurance be passed and signed into law. To succeed, we'll need your help! (Senate Bill 840, authored by Senator Sheila Kuehl, passed both houses of the state legislature, in August 2006, only to be vetoed by the Governor!)

The Campaign is bold and simple. **There will be at least one “event” every day for a year, each in a different city,** beginning with less populated cities and towns in California and ending with the largest, Los Angeles. Throughout the year, we will be educating people about single payer health insurance. A week after the Los Angeles event, on August 19, 2007, supporters from the 365 cities—and elsewhere in the state—will hold a mammoth rally in Sacramento for universal, single payer health insurance. We will go to Sacramento to demand that our elected officials pass universal, single payer health insurance for all Californians.

Where We Are Today: The response to the OneCareNow Campaign has been swift and enthusiastic, and the Campaign is rapidly growing into a major grassroots effort. In just a few short months, we have started organizing Community Action Teams and planning for 365 city events throughout the state; developed effective campaign materials; launched and maintained a powerful advocacy-oriented web site; convened regular Campaign and fund raising planning meetings; met with existing and potential coalition partners; and set up essential financial and administrative structures. All these activities will continue, but they require the time and expertise of hundreds of volunteers, consultants, and staff members. **And they require the financial support and generosity of people like you.**

We're asking for your help in this historic Campaign by making the most generous contribution you can today. Please send your check, payable to **OneCareNow Campaign**, to OneCareNow Campaign, PO Box 2578, Mill Valley CA 94942-2578, or contribute securely on line at www.onecarenow.org. Together, we can make quality health care a reality for all Californians.

Thank you for your support of the OneCareNow Campaign.

*Full Care, For All, For Less, For Life
The OneCareNow Campaign is a project of Health Care for All – California.*