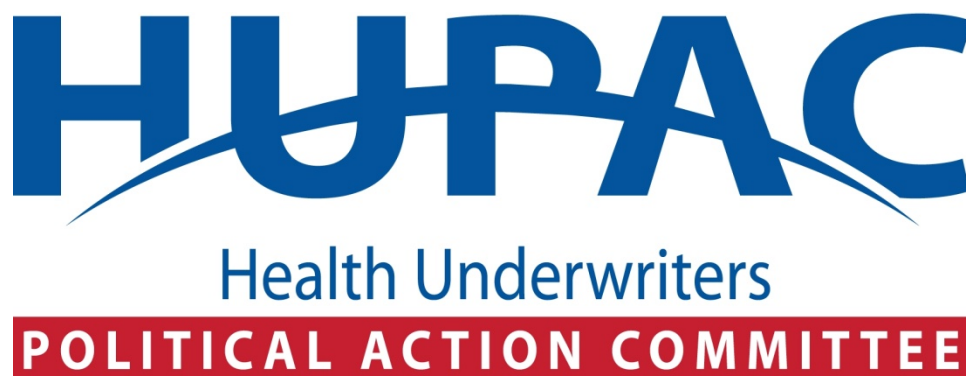


National Association
of Health Underwriters
Political Action Committee

2017-2018
Candidate Questionnaire



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HUPAC Candidate Survey

National Association of Health Underwriters (NAHU) represents more than 100,000 professional insurance agents and brokers nationwide. HUPAC is its political action committee and how NAHU members help to elect candidates dedicated to ensuring that the health care industry – and private health insurance – continues to be a strong and affordable choice for all Americans.

HUPAC is registered with the Federal Election Commission. Candidates seeking HUPAC support please complete and return the candidate survey below to:

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Part I: Candidate and Campaign Information

Date:

Name:

Permanent Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Office Being Sought:

District/State:

Are you an incumbent? Yes No

If Yes, for how long?

Have you run for office before? Yes No

If Yes, what office?

Previous Elected Position(s):

Campaign Information:

FEC ID #:

Committee Name:

Campaign Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Campaign Chair or Committee Chair:

Campaign Manager or Political Director:

Senior Campaign Strategist or

Campaign Consultant:

Party Affiliation:

- Democrat Independent Republican Other

Please include a demographic profile of your district:

HUPAC Support Request For:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Election | Date of Election |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Election | Date of Election |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special Election | Date of Election |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Run-off | Date of Election |

Have you received HUPAC support in previous campaigns?

- Yes No

Please list all candidates running for this office, including third party candidates:

Opponent's Name:

Party Affiliation:

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Candidate Background:

1. Previous elected office(s) held (please include committee assignments):

2. Prior Committee Assignments in State Legislature or Congress; specify which:

3. What is (are) your primary area(s) of interest in legislative policymaking?

4. Have you ever worked in the health, life or disability insurance industry? If so, please explain.

5. Have you ever worked in any health care field? If so, please explain.

6. Do you have working relationships with health insurance agents or brokers in your state or district? If yes, please provide their names.

7. Please identify support/endorsements from other political action committees or other organizations, especially in the health care field.

Part II: ISSUE QUESTIONS

1. What are your top three (3) health care priorities? Please identify how these will be helpful to the health insurance markets operating competitively.

2. What can Congress do to ensure that professionally licensed health insurance agents and brokers are able to continue to provide their services in the individual, employer, and Medicare markets?

3. Please identify provisions of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) that you think could use modification.

4. Today employer sponsored coverage is the way that most Americans receive health insurance benefits. What are your thoughts on the employer-based system and the tax treatment of employer-provided group health insurance benefits?

5. Beginning in 2020, the PPACA "Cadillac Tax" will impose a 40% excise tax on health plans that exceed certain cost thresholds. How should Congress address this situation to prevent this negatively impacting employer-based coverage.

6. Health insurance is expensive because health care is expensive. What are ways that you believe we can bend the healthcare cost curve while improving care?

7. How far should states be able to go in changing the current ACA regulatory structure and should there be some limits?

8. People are working longer, living longer and changing jobs more frequently. What are some policy reforms you would like to see made to Medicare to modernize it for the 21st Century?

9. Many seniors currently do not have long term care coverage. How can Congress address this issue and provide coverage for an increasingly aging population?

**THANK YOU FOR RESPONDING TO THE 2017-2018
HUPAC CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE**