

Sample Medicaid Expansion Letter to the Editor

Kansans have never shied away from hard work and tackling difficult subjects, and the current status of Medicaid expansion in the Kansas Legislature should be no exception.

Before recessing for the April break, a motion was made to have a full discussion on Medicaid expansion in the Kansas Senate. Senators will vote on this motion when they return to Topeka on April 25.

Our senators are elected to represent the people, and part of that duty includes a fair and open conversation about major policies that would benefit our state. There is no reason for any senator to vote against having an open conversation about Medicaid expansion. In order to represent everyone, lawmakers should have a conversation that all Kansans can have a voice in.

Kansas has failed to make affordable health coverage available to all Kansans for more than ten years. Tens of thousands of Kansans live everyday without the ability to see a doctor. Hospitals are financially suffering. Our rural communities aren't thriving as they could be if we had Medicaid expansion.

Dear Kansas Senators: It's time to vote yes to bring Medicaid expansion to the floor.