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## Nine Changes in the Latest Open Enrollment Period

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Even after a decade of operation, there continue to be Marketplace changes, from unsubsidized premiums to enhanced subsidies.

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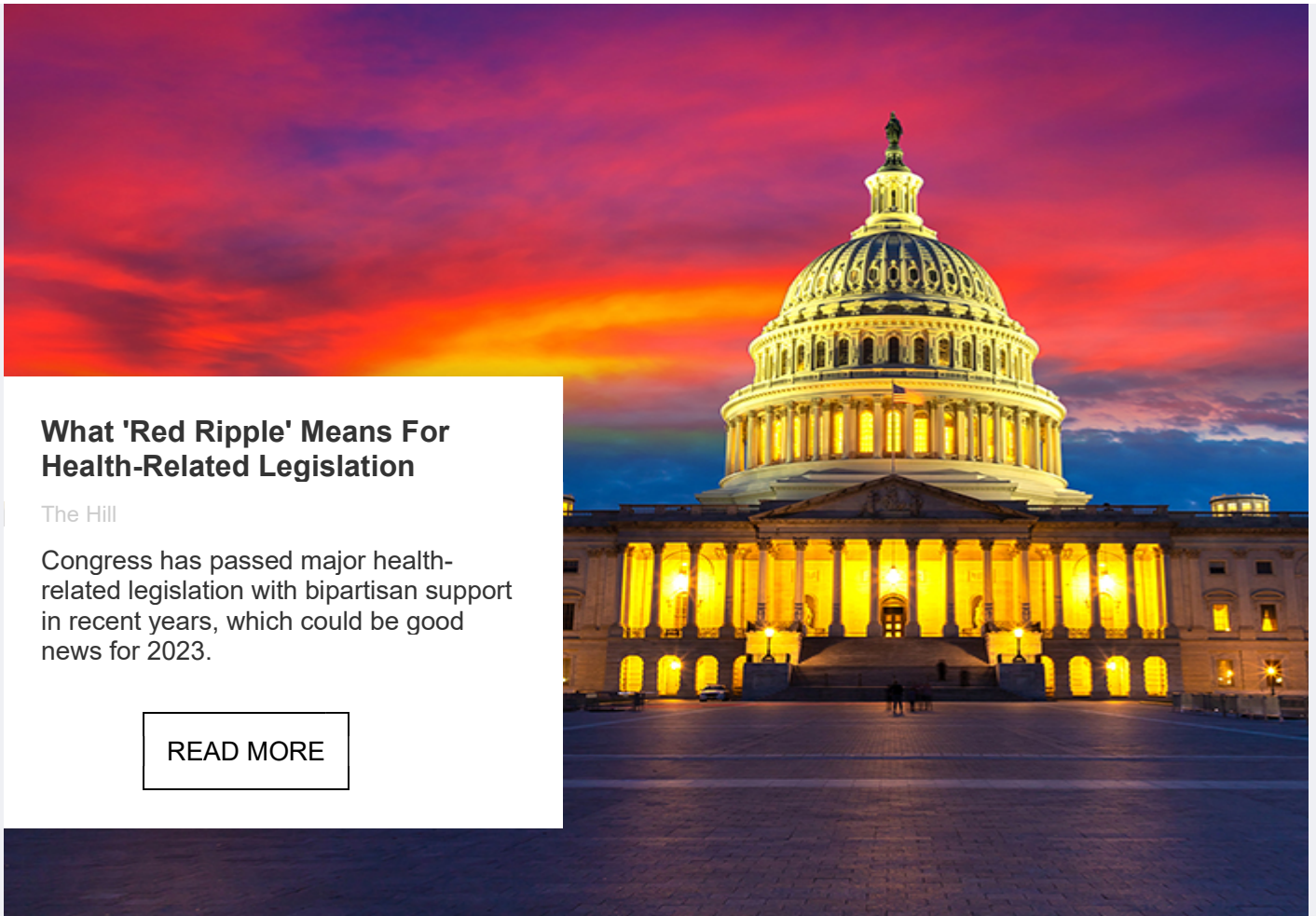


## Navigating the Affordable Care Act's 'Family Glitch' Fix

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Spouses and children who don't have access to affordable employer health insurance coverage may now qualify for financial help.

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## What 'Red Ripple' Means For Health-Related Legislation

The Hill

Congress has passed major health-related legislation with bipartisan support in recent years, which could be good news for 2023.

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## Bright Health Halts Individual Insurance Coverage

Medical Xpress

Bright Health no longer offers Individual and Family Plans (except in Texas, for those who purchased plans off the Exchange).

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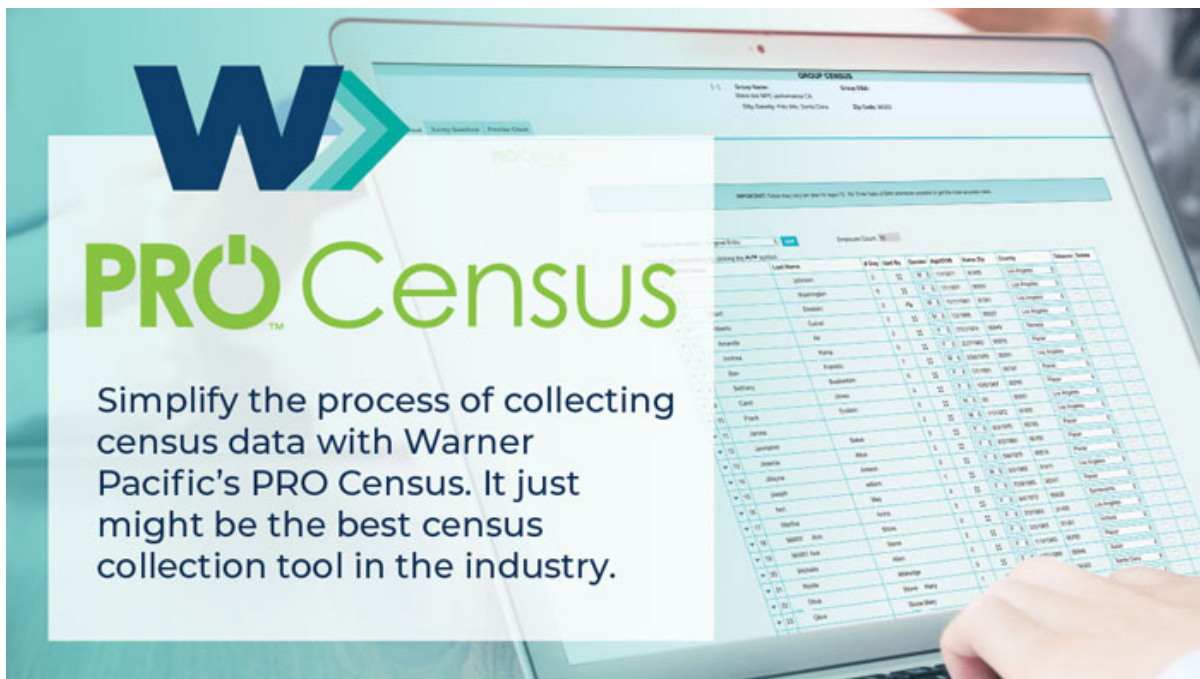


## UnitedHealthcare Helps Millions Save on Hearing Aids

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AARP members are eligible to save on custom-programmed prescription and over-the-counter hearing aids with new program.

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## Dependent Parents Can Now Be Added to Health Plans

State of California

A new state law allows adult children to add their dependent parent or stepparent to their health plan policy.

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## Governor Signs Hospital Emergency Response Bill

State of California

Senate Bill 979 relaxes insurance restrictions for patients seeking treatment outside of their network coverage areas.

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## 2023 Marks the First Year of the Colorado Option

State of Colorado

As part of Colorado Option, the Standardized Plan allows consumers and businesses to easily compare and choose the plan that's right for them.

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## Undocumented and DACA Recipients Enroll Safely

State of Colorado

For the first time in Colorado, people who are undocumented, as well as DACA recipients, have a safe way to enroll through OmniSalud.

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## Plans Underway to Reintroduce Medicaid Expansion

State of Texas

Texas Democrats filed two bills on Medicaid expansion during the state's last legislative session to address the high rate of uninsured.

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## Fifteen Insurers Offer 2023 Coverage in Texas Exchange

State of Texas

There are three newcomers and two exits in 2023, plus subsidies are larger than ever due to new Texas rate-setting rule.

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