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Comment - I am writing to encourage Medicaid expansion in Virginia. As the nurse coordinator of a rural free clinic I see daily patients who cannot receive much needed care. When a patient needs a referral to a specialist there is a huge charge upfront which is beyond their ability to pay. Often he or she must go without orthopedic, vascular, or cancer care. These people are usually unemployed so do not qualify for help from the ACA. Please consider expanding Medicaid to allow these folks the care they need and deserve as Americans.