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Comment - I have difficulty understanding why we would willfully deny health care to a greater number of the working poor when the initial cost and the vast, vast majority of the future cost would be underwritten federally. Providing access to health care helps people stay well, stay on the job, remain productive, healthy members of society. It reduces reliance on very expensive emergency room care and helps people get their diseases under control so they do not return later, sicker, with more costly and potentially devastating conditions. Please don't send Virginia's tax dollars to help the federal government subsidize care for those in other states. Please understand that the people who would be helped are those who are already, often, working harder, longer days and nights than those of us fortunate enough to have insurance. Please!