Dear friend of BRI,

Many of us are hopeful that a real, actual ACA repeal and replace will finally take place. The problem is that no one has seen the "replace." Here at BRI, we have specific ideas on what should constitute the optimum "replace," including free market principles that drive the healthcare industry.

Dr. Nicholas Pandelidis shares his insights on the background problems with Obamacare and practical paths forward.

"Just as discouraging are the murmurings of so-called "moderate" (fearful) Republicans who want to "replace" with an ObamaCare lite, keeping the "good provisions." In particular, maintaining the ACA's solution for pre-existing medical conditions would continue to further drive up health insurance premiums for all." ~Dr. Nicholas Pandelidis

Also, the final installment you've been waiting for! Zach Howell's blog series on healthcare economics culminates with:

**Part 3: The Socialist Knowledge and Calculation Problems in Healthcare**

Zach is BRI's 2nd undergraduate leader and will be attending Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University in the fall.

"One of Friedrich Hayek's great contributions to economics is his examination of how dispersed knowledge is utilized for the betterment of everyone. Everyone has an understanding of how things work unique to their world.... Many aspects of the medical system assume that if there are enough guidelines and planning from above, the perfect outcome can be reached. Yet, in reality, the optimal outcome in any area of an economy must derive from valuing the capabilities, yet respecting the limits of human
Part 1: Economic principles drive the best healthcare delivery systems
Part 2: The socialist incentive problem in healthcare

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