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General Comment

The rights of the individual who would be gaining valuable contraceptive methods should be what is considered. The rights of the health care provider, religious or not should not be consideration.

All companies follow regulations they may not like. It doesn't mean they should not follow them. If they are religious, then in the employers personal life they can choose not to use contraceptives. Some religious groups believe that people should not go to hospitals. That going to a doctor goes against God. What if an Employer belongs to this group? Should they be allowed to deny health care outright?

Contraceptives prevent unwanted pregnancies - which saves tax dollars from people who can't afford their children. Contraceptives also prevent diseases. This should be a high priority in a health care bill! Please help prevent AIDS and other preventable diseases.

Let me use another example. This is the same as when big companies produce CO2 as a waste product. We have regulations restraining pollution. The company does not want these restrictions, but for the good of the environment these restrictions are placed upon the employer. In their personal life, they can waste gas and drive extra large vehicles.

Please do not take contraceptive rights away, especially from the poorer people who need it the most.