

2024 COALITION ADVOCATE ACTIONS

In 2024, advocates sent 190,949 letters to Congress asking representatives to strengthen 24/7 access to care and protect essential hospital funding.

LETTERS SENT BY
MAINE ADVOCATES:

1,503

STATE FACTS AND RESOURCES

*Source: KFF Medicaid State Fact Sheets

In Maine, there are

367,458

Medicaid Recipients

37%

of Births Covered
by Medicaid

1 IN 3

Children Covered
by Medicaid

2 IN 3

Nursing Home
Residents Covered by
Medicaid

STORIES FROM THE STATE

Advocates from across the country submit their patient stories about 24/7 care, Medicare, Medicaid and rural healthcare access in order to highlight the importance of access to care.

“ I am permanently disabled, with a pre-existing condition. Medicaid has been a big part of my life. If it is taken away, myself, and many other people like me, will be negatively affected. I’m petrified that I won’t be able to get my pills. I’m petrified that I won’t be able to see my doctors. Medicaid allows me to afford my medical bills. I’m not alone, there are many of us out there, and we are scared.

Barbie Johnson

“ I have numerous diagnoses that require frequent doctor visits. Medicaid has helped me see the doctors that are necessary to treat my arthritis and other conditions.

Cheryl Richard