
Media Recap

March 2026

Summary

In a closed enrollment landscape, media attention to the Health Connector and national health care issues was minimal in March. The Health Connector worked with Governor Healey's office on a [press release](#) announcing the event celebrating the 20th anniversary of health care reform in Massachusetts. The April 13 event at Faneuil Hall will include Governors Healey, Romney, and Patrick, along with legislative leaders and others discussing Chapter 58 and its impacts over the last two decades.

Health Connector Topics



[Bipartisan event in works to mark Romneycare's 20th anniversary](#)

SHNS, March 19, 2026

Articles of Note



[Trump's Medicaid work mandates are meant to save money. But first states will have to spend millions](#)

AP News, March 1, 2026



[Medicaid Is Paying for More Dental Care. GOP cuts Threaten to Reverse the Trend.](#)

KFF, March 2, 2026



[Health plans with no providers may reshape Obamacare](#)

Axios, March 11, 2026



[Health care spending eclipsed benchmark for fourth straight year](#)

SHNS, March 12, 2026



[Can Massachusetts implement universal health care?](#)

The Worcester Guardian, March 15, 2026



[Evidence shows ACA's Mandated Benefits alone don't drive up costs. The debate continues.](#)

KFF, March 18, 2026

	Proposed rollback of Mass. health aide program previews the coming pain from Medicaid cuts
	CommonWealth Beacon, March 22, 2026
	Massachusetts lawmakers push to direct more healthcare spending to primary care amid access crisis
	BU News Service, March 23, 2026
	Top Senate Dems blast proposed ACA rule promoting 'junk coverage' that would push estimated 2 million off enrollment
	The Hill, March 26, 2026
	Over 200,000 people could lose MassHealth under coming federal changes, report says
	The Boston Globe, March 27, 2026

Social Media Highlights

Most Engagements



A [LinkedIn post](#) highlighting the Health Connector’s upcoming 20-year celebration, requesting for members to share their stories of how the Health Connector has made a difference in their lives.

Most Impressions and Reach



A [Facebook Post](#) reminding MA residents that during tax season, if they need insurance, they should check the box on their MA state tax return to find out if they qualify for free or low-cost health insurance.

Most Link Clicks



A [Facebook post](#) encouraging members to make sure they have completed their premium payment in order to be fully enrolled, and details the three ways you can submit payment.