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The 9 Principles

1. America Is Good.
2. I believe in God and He is the Center of my Life.
3. I must always try to be a more honest person than I was yesterday.
4. The family is sacred. My spouse and I are the ultimate authority, not the government.
5. If you break the law you pay the penalty. Justice is blind and no one is above it.
6. I have a right to life, liberty and pursuit of happiness, but there is no guarantee of equal results.
7. I work hard for what I have and I will share it with who I want to. Government cannot force me to be charitable.
8. It is not un-American for me to disagree with authority or to share my personal opinion.
9. The government works for me. I do not answer to them, they answer to me.

The 12 Values

- Honesty
- Reverence
- Hope
- Thrift
- Humility
- Charity
- Sincerity
- Moderation
- Hard Work
- Courage
- Personal Responsibility
- Gratitude

The 9-12 Project in Mentor OH



Our Mission

is to Inspire, Educate, and Empower and Encourage to Action, the citizens of this Republic regarding the noble Principles and Values on which the United States of America was founded.



**We believe in the principles and values of the 9-12 Project
If these describe you and if you agree with 7 out of the 9 principles, then
we have something in common. Please consider joining us.**

**A continuation of trivia about the
United States Constitution**

Q. When did the United States government go into operation under the Constitution?

A. The Constitution became binding upon nine States by the ratification of the ninth State, New Hampshire, June 21, 1788. Notice of this ratification was received by Congress on July 2, 1788. On September 13, 1788, Congress adopted a resolution declaring that electors should be appointed in the ratifying States on the first Wednesday in January, 1789; that the electors vote for President on the first Wednesday in February, 1789; and that "the first Wednesday in March next [March 4, 1789] be the time and the present seat of Congress the place for commencing proceedings under the said constitution." The Convention had also suggested "that after such Publication the Electors should be appointed, and the Senators and Representatives elected." The Constitution left with the States the control over the election of congressmen, and Congress said nothing about this in its resolution; but the States proceeded to provide for it as well as for the appointment of electors. On March 3, 1789, the old Confederation went out of existence and on March 4 the new government of the United States began legally to function, according to a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States (*wings v. Speed*, 5 Wheat. 420); however, it had no practical existence until April 6, when first the presence of quorums in both Houses permitted organization of Congress. On April 30, 1789, George Washington was inaugurated as President of the United States, so on that date the executive branch of the government under the Constitution became operative. But it was not until February 2, 1790, that the Supreme Court, as head of the third branch of the government, organized and held its first session; so that is the date when our government under the Constitution became fully operative.



YES on Issue 3

Protecting Our Health Care Preserving Ohioans' Freedom

Know the Facts Share With Confidence

The Ohio Health Care Freedom Amendment, which will appear on the November 2011 ballot, would amend the Ohio Constitution by adding Section 21 to Article I, Ohio's Bill of Rights, "to preserve the freedom of Ohioans to choose their health care and health care coverage." It is the intentions of the Amendment's drafter (the 1851 Center for Constitutional Law) and proponents (Ohioans for Health Care Freedom, the Ohio Project, the Ohio Liberty Council, and others) that the Amendment provide the greatest possible protections against, separately and distinctly, federal, state, and local efforts to preserve and protect Ohioans' freedom to make their own health care and health insurance decisions.

Obamacare and Women

Cancer survival rates in Canada and in Europe are lower than in the U.S.

Why is this?

Some argue it is because countries like the UK and Canada have government run health care that allows bureaucrats rather than doctors and patients make decisions about what kind of care people can receive and when they will get it. We are working to preserve the sanctity of the doctor-patient relationship in the U.S. so that the government can't tell you what treatment you are allowed to have.

Denial of preventive coverage

Obamacare requires insurers to cover all preventive measures ranked "A" or "B" by the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force without cost sharing.¹ As of 2009, the rating of mammography for women ages 40-50 is "C"² and did not have to be covered by insurers until Congress intervened.³ How many more women's health services will fall victim to the Task Force without being saved by Congress?

Denial of life-extending medication

In 2010, the FDA decided to "de-label" the life-extending, but expensive, cancer drug Avastin because it has been deemed inefficient due to its high cost following denial of drug by Britain's national health agency.⁴ This means more than 17,500 women must foot the \$88,000/year bill on their own to stay alive.⁵

How is your money being spent?

- \$50 million each year to school-based health centers, which may offer contraception or abortion services¹
 - \$250,000 per state for a new "Personal Responsibility Education" program required to teach contraception²
- There are some "restrictions" requiring these clinics to honor parental consent and notification laws. Existing law already grants confidentiality privileges to teens, nullifying state and local policies.³

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Obamacare and Families

Q: Does Obamacare penalize couples for being married? A: Yes. Here’s an example...

Unmarried Couple	Married Couple
Each person earns: \$25,000	Each person earns: \$25,000
Total income: \$50,000	Total income: \$50,000
Annual health insurance premium cap: \$3,076	Annual health insurance premium cap: \$5,160

Penalties can be as high as \$10,000 and hit young couples and empty nesters especially hard. 2

Example marriage penalty: \$2,0841



DID YOU KNOW? Obamacare discriminates against hiring low income bread winners?

How does that work?

According to section 4980H (a)(1) of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, employers with more than 50 employees whose workers are eligible for and choose to take health care subsidies from the government are penalized.

What does this mean?

There’s an incentive to hire a teenager over a single mom or someone looking to supplement family income rather than a low-income breadwinner.

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Obamacare and Doctors

What if I...

.... don't report data on "quality measures for covered professional services" to HHS

• 1.5% reimbursement penalty starting in 2015, and 2.0% penalty starting in 2016 1

....spend more than the government approves on a patient?

• Another reimbursement penalty 2

... don't implement new mechanisms created by the Act to "improve quality?"

• Cannot contract with any "qualified" health insurance plan Americans will be required to have 3

Thanks to the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, Medicare reimbursement rates are slated to decrease 29.5%

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“What needs to be done?”

Why not me?

Why not now?”

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