What’s Next for Health Policy?

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Insurers are racing the clock:

- Bids for Healthcare.gov states due June 21
- Dates vary for state-run exchanges
Administration has immense power to stabilize/destabilize the market

- What could stabilize:
  - Continue CSR payment
  - Enforce the individual mandate
  - Encourage enrollment/outreach
  - Help with reinsurance
How Trump Admin could destabilize the individual insurance market

- Things that could send the market into a tailspin:
  - Exactly the opposite of what would stabilize it:
  - Dropping CSR suit
  - Publicly stopping individual mandate enforcement
  - Don’t do anything (uncertainty)
  - Don’t maintain the infrastructure of healthcare.gov
Meanwhile, Congress has other health issues to address

- CHIP
- PDUFA
- Appropriations
- IPAB trigger