

BASIC LEVEL OF MEDICAL CARE

Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, recognizes that 30 percent of the U.S. public have no health insurance of any kind. Many people who are welfare recipients tend to remain on the rolls so that they will not lose their medical coverage.

Americans who cannot afford treatment often do not seek medical attention until their situation is drastic. Baby care is not affordable for many young parents.

Hadassah urges the federal government to initiate a medical coverage program that insures access to basic medical care for all Americans. The coverage should be subsidized to whatever extent necessary by federal funding.