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sharon gutwin replied on Thu, 2016-05-19 19:58

Health insurance that consumers purchase is expected to go to health care services. Excess payments are expected to be returned to those purchasing insurance. The decision of UCMC and the Green Mountain Care board to spend this money on other stuff is not appropriate. In light of excess insurance payments being diverted from intended purposes, I have a lack of confidence in the rates BCBS is proposing. First untangle the unhealthy relationships between the hospital, GCMCB and BCBS before coming back to the public with new rates. Transparency and trust should come first.

Colleen replied on Thu, 2016-05-19 22:00

I was born and raised in VT. I went away for college but moved back "home" after I got my degree. I love living in Vermont. It is becoming increasingly difficult to afford to live here.

This increase is not necessary. Don't do it!