



Rep. Tom Emmer on Emmer: Repeal Obamacare, but don't stop there

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****REPRESENTATIVE BRADY:**

** Mr. Speaker, I'm pleased to yield one minute to one of the new members of the House of Representatives, a gentleman from Minnesota, Mr. Schumer.

****REP. TOM EMMER:**

** Thank you, Representative Brady, and thank you for your leadership on this issue. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to address the urgent health needs of this nation. I asked my constituents to share with me how Obamacare has affected them, and I want to share a few of their stories with you today. Troy from Norwood, Young America, wrote that his family's premium went up and coverage went down, drastically affecting the cost of his son's hearing aid. Brian from Albertville said his wife's mental health clinic has steadily lost clients due to regulations. Today Congress will vote to get rid of this fundamentally flawed and unworkable law, but this cannot be for show. It is not enough for Congress to simply be against Obamacare. We need to offer alternatives. By offering market-based, consumer-focused reforms, we can find real solutions, and I'm committed to working with my colleagues to get it done. It's time to stop playing party politics with the public's health. I yield back. *Note: This appears to be a House floor speech rather than a TV/radio interview, and there seems to be an error in the transcript where the speaker is introduced as "Mr. Schumer" but is actually Rep. Tom Emmer from Minnesota.*

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