

How the GOP tax bills hurt **Virginia**

Both bills increase taxes on many working- and middle-class families

- **756,000 filers** in the bottom 80% of the income distribution in Virginia would see a tax hike in 2027 in the House bill²⁷⁷
- **1,065,400 filers** in the bottom 80% of the income distribution in Virginia would see a tax hike in 2027 in the Senate bill²⁷⁸

The tax bills cut Medicare, lead to coverage losses, and increase health care premiums²⁷⁹

- The House bill would cut **\$546 million** from Medicare next year in Virginia
- By 2025, there would be **287,000 more uninsured people** in Virginia
- A typical, unsubsidized family of four in Virginia would see marketplace premiums increase by an extra **\$2,140** in 2019

Key deductions for residents in Virginia are at risk of being eliminated²⁸⁰

- **261,037 filers** in Virginia claimed an average of **\$9,987** in medical expense deductions in 2014
- **314,827 filers** in Virginia claimed an average of **\$1,091** in student loan interest deductions in 2014

Housing would become more expensive

- **1,436,160 filers** in Virginia claimed an average of **\$10,778** in state and local tax deductions in 2014²⁸¹
- Home prices would fall more than **10%** in the short term²⁸²

²⁷⁷ <https://itep.org/housetaxplan/>

²⁷⁸ <https://itep.org/senatetaxplan/>

²⁷⁹ <https://www.americanprogress.org/issues/healthcare/news/2017/11/16/442906/senate-tax-bill-threatens-access-health-care/>

²⁸⁰ <https://www.irs.gov/advocate/reports-to-congress>

²⁸¹ <http://www.taxpolicycenter.org/statistics/state-and-local-tax-deduction>

²⁸² <http://narfocus.com/billdatabase/clientfiles/172/21/2888.pdf>