2024 National Health Council Policy Matrix

Blue = Regulatory  Red = Legislative  Green = Both

High

Engage As Needed

Health Care Workforce

Artificial Intelligence in Health Care

Surprise Medical Billing

Outcomes/Value-Based Arrangements

Monitor

Pandemic Preparedness and Response
- Long COVID Support
- Public health infrastructure
- Disease Prevention

Opioids and Pain Management

Mental/Behavioral Health

Quality Measurement

Copay Accumulators

Partners

Equity*
- Care Delivery
- Insurance Access
- Innovation
- Social Drivers

Patient Access
- Utilization Management
- CMS Patient Engagement
- Telehealth

Medical Innovation
- PDUFA VII
- Patient/Caregiver Engagement
- Real-World Evidence

Increasing/Improving Insurance Coverage
- ACA Market Improvement
- Medicaid Unwinding
- Protecting Medicaid
- Medicare Advantage

Health Appropriations

Low

Low

Importance to the Patient Advocacy Community

*Equity’s placement in the middle of the Matrix is to indicate that the NHC will ensure it is an essential part of all NHC’s policy activities. It is not represented by the scale of the importance to the patient advocacy community or the NHC’s ability to impact.