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As a small business owner here in Salem, the high cost of health care insurance is our number one concern. The costs make it difficult to select older workers and creates an incentive to not hire older workers. This high cost creates an incentive to use only part time workers whenever possible to avoid paying for health insurance at all. The high cost of health insurance creates barriers to people who want to start new businesses or to retire before age 65. Companies like CVS are criminal drug dealers allowed to supervise our health care for their benefit rather than ours.