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## Obama's Healthcare Speech Study Guide

1. How many American citizens currently can not get healthcare coverage?

30 million

2. How many American citizens lose their coverage every day?

14,000 Americans

- 3. What are the three basic goals of the Obama administration with regards to healthcare?
- 4. Under Obama's proposal what kinds of things are insurance companies going to be prohibited from doing? (Mention at least two.)
- 5. How did President Obama respond to the charge that there are plans to kill off senior citizens?
- 6. Can federal dollars be used to fund abortions?
- 7. In your own words, what was the President saying to both the right and the left on the political spectrum?
- 8. What does Obama propose be done for those American citizens that can not afford healthcare coverage?
- 9. How does the President propose paying for universal healthcare in the United States?
- 10. What part or parts of the President's speech either most inspired or most irritated you? Does President Obama's proposal seem like a good one or not and why?