

Arnold Ventures Health Care

We believe health care must be affordable and accessible for families, employers, and taxpayers.

Health care in the United States is more expensive than in any other country in the world, yet the nation's overall health doesn't reflect that level of investment. Our system results in uncoordinated and often unaffordable care for patients; inequities exist among communities; and special interests and market manipulations have inflated costs.

HEALTH CARE

Our work seeks to lower health care spending while ensuring and enhancing access to affordable, high-quality care. We prioritize four objectives to achieve these goals: lower prescription drug prices, lower excessive commercial sector prices charged by providers, reduce low-value and potentially harmful care, and improve care for people with complex care needs.

- Our **Drug Prices** team is working to lower drug prices by focusing on evidence-based solutions aimed at the key drivers of high drug pricing and spending: patent abuses and anti-competitive behaviors; market distortions; and high launch prices and unjustified price increases. This team is also focused on ensuring that FDA approval incentivizes innovation by using clinically meaningful evidence based on patient outcomes and requiring that trial data be publicly available and comparable across products. [Learn more.](#)
- Our **Commercial Sector Prices** team seeks to lower out-of-pocket costs and premiums for the privately insured by reducing the prices charged by providers with strong market power. [Learn more.](#)
- Our **Low-Value Care** team is working to reduce wasteful spending in the health care system by addressing the drivers of low-value, and to improve the long-term sustainability of the Medicare program. [Learn more.](#)
- Our **Complex Care** team aims to improve the coordination of care for more than 12 million people who are dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid by promoting integrated care models. [Learn more.](#)

FUNDING STRATEGY

To help drive evidence-based policy change, we provide funding to a broad range of partners to conduct the following types work:

1. **Research** to identify and highlight the drivers of the problem and to generate evidence about what works.
2. **Policy development** to translate evidence into actionable solutions.
3. **Technical assistance and advocacy** to provide timely, on-the-ground support to policymakers and other stakeholders.
4. **Visibility and communications** to amplify evidence-based policy solutions.