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## **Pennie Board of Directors Meeting**

January 2025

## Agenda

#### • Preliminary Matters

- August 2024 Board Meeting Minutes
- Executive Director's Report
  - Open Enrollment 2025
- Executive Session



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#### **Preliminary Matters**

#### Call to Order

- Roll Call
- Approval of Previous Meeting's Minutes
- Opportunity for Public Comment



## 2025 Open Enrollment

- Nearly **half a million (496,661)** Pennsylvanians are now covered with affordable, high-quality health coverage through Pennie
- This includes **90,472** enrollments of individuals new to Pennie.
- The growth reflects a **14% increase** compared to this time last year, growing significantly beyond last year's record 17% increase.
- Pennie now has enrolled more Pennsylvanians through the marketplace than at any point since the marketplaces began in 2014.

## What's Next: Enhanced Tax Credits

- However, the enhanced premium tax credits are set to expire at the end of 2025. Pennie enrollees will face substantial increases in their monthly premiums starting in 2026 unless Congress acts.
- The additional savings, totaling around **\$600 million annually**, goes directly to help Pennsylvanians afford their health coverage through Pennie.
- If not extended, enrollees receiving tax credits will see a **premium increase of 82% on average**, with some paying double or four times as much as they pay today.
- Enrollment has increased 47% since the enhanced premium tax credits went into place.
- **Roughly three quarters** have ONLY enrolled in health coverage through Pennie with the enhanced premium tax credits.

## What's Next: Enhanced Tax Credits

#### Populations Most at Risk:

- Low- and middle-income individuals
- Older Pennsylvanians
- Small business owners
- Residents of rural communities.
- More information, data, and customer testimonials can be found at **pennie.com/affordability.**







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