

## Idaho

Idaho uses the provider assessment program to stabilize Medicaid rates to nursing centers and more adequately fund quality, long term care services for seniors and individuals with disabilities. A budget proposal from Congress to reduce the effective cap on provider assessments to 5.5% would limit Idaho's ability to finance its Medicaid program.

### ASK CONGRESS...

To oppose any legislative proposal that would reduce the Medicaid provider assessment rate or quality assessment fee.

#### ► *Provider Assessments*

Current Rate:

**6.0%**

Impact of Reduction to 5.5%:

**\$78 million over 10 Years**



#### ► *Medicaid in Idaho*

**63.9%** of residents rely on Medicaid for daily nursing center care.