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# NEWS from U.S. Senator Bob Dole

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## DOLE DISCUSSES NEW HEALTH PLAN WITH WEINBERGER

WASHINGTON, D.C.--Senator Bob Dole today met with Health Education and Welfare Secretary Caspar Weinberger to discuss the Nixon Administration's forthcoming National Health Insurance proposal.

Following the meeting, Senator Dole said the details of the proposal "appeared to be constructive and should serve as the basis for worthwhile progress in dealing with America's health care needs."

"I was particularly pleased that it gives strong emphasis to cutting health care costs by reducing the emphasis on hospitalization and stressing non-hospital and preventive care."

Senator Dole is a member of the Senate Finance Committee and its subcommittee on Health, which will have jurisdiction over the Administration proposal to be submitted to Congress February 5.

"Good health care for every American is a great goal in which we all have a basic interest, and I look forward to participating in the work on this legislation," Sena Dole said.