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Turn your attention to Obamacare

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Finally! The presidential race is nearing its end and letters to the editor can move from obsessing on candidates to addressing other important issues that confront us. Obamacare, for example.

redictably, insurance rates will rise. Some will attempt to eliminate Obamacare as the solution while others will work to improve Obamacare, principally, it appears, by seeking government subsidies for the insured as is now done for those on Medicaid. How absurd: government money being used to insure that insurance companies can make a profit.

Would it not make much more sense to use government money to improve the health of people instead of insurance companies? Which makes the showing of the movie, "The Time is Now, Health Care for Everybody," especially timely.

Sponsored by Health Care for All Oregon, it tells the story of the drama, struggle and success of the move toward health care equity. First United Methodist Church, 1376 Olive St, is the place. Nov. 1 at 7 p.m. is the time.

It's an opportunity to move your thoughts from presidential pondering to an issue that will impact every single one of us, our health and how to insure that everyone will have access to the kind of health care we need when we need it. And sooner or later, we will all need it.