### FOR YEARS, AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANIES HAVE BEEN MORE ABOUT CORPORATE GREED THAN PATIENT NEED.

Insurance executives have lined their pockets at record rates while our health insurance premiums went up three times faster than wages and four times faster than general inflation.

#### IT'S A CRIME that insurance companies

- ✓ rack up profits by denying patients treatment even when doctors recommend it,
- ✓ discriminate against people with pre-existing conditions, and
- ✓ keep premiums and out of pocket costs high so that care is unaffordable even for those who have insurance.

**IT'S A CRIME** that 64% of all bankruptcies are caused by medical debt. **IT'S A CRIME** that every 12 minutes someone dies because they can't afford the escalating cost of health insurance.

Enough is enough! It's time to hold insurance companies accountable for their crimes.

It's time for Congress to take our side. We need good health care we can afford with the choice of a public health insurance option.

## If the insurance companies win, we lose.

# INSURANCE CRIMES

CITIZEN

ACTION

AGAINST

BIG

JOIN US AS WE DECLARE ANTHEM BLUE CROSS A CRIME SCENE!

## Tuesday, October 6th 11:30 am

### Meet at Justin Herman Plaza (1 Market Street near Embarcadero Center)

We'll be issuing an arrest warrant to Blue Cross CEO Angela Braly for the health care crimes she has committed to maximize her own profits.

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