

Rally at San Francisco's Moscone Center against AHIP 6/19/2008

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<http://www.vimeo.com/1210357>

Rally for universal health care in San Francisco June 19, 2008



Speaking in front of hundreds of union members, seniors and health care providers, California Alliance for Retired Americans (CARA) Legislative Director Hene Kelly delivers a fiery speech for single payer health care outside a convention of health insurance companies in downtown San Francisco on June 19. Kelly pointed at the banner hanging outside the convention center welcoming the insurers and said, "Are you listening, health insurance companies? Your days are numbered!" The crowd roared its approval. [Click here](#) for Kelly's four minute speech ([Quicktime](#) video).

This incredible list of sources for the June 19 Single Payer Rally in San Francisco is sent to us by Michael Lyon of SF ... I hope that these come through so you can just click on the link ... if not, guess you'll have to cut and paste into the web-browser bar ... anyway ... well worth a few minutes of your time ... and it was great seeing folks in the pictures that we didn't see at the rally ... quite a gathering!

Patricia Jackson

<http://www.indybay.org/newsitems/2008/06/20/18509548.php>

Gray Panthers Sacramento

<http://www.gpcal.org/rallyjun1908.htm>

Bill Carpenter

<http://fog.ccsf.org/~wcarpent/singlepayerfirstbatch/stills.html>

<http://fog.ccsf.org/~wcarpent/singlepayersecondbatch/stills.html>

Bill Hackwell

<http://www.indybay.org/newsitems/2008/06/20/18509522.php>

Raging Grannies

<http://www.indybay.org/newsitems/2008/06/20/18509419.php>

Fog City Journal

<http://www.fogcityjournal.com/wordpress/2008/06/20/single-payer-healthcare-rally-sends-clear-message-to-health-insurance-industry/>

Video of June 19th Demo in SF

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pxFd3GVCbMk>

Here's a great video of the demonstration at Humana in Louisville, with a wonderful healthcare talking union blues song

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xzsmP7XJNH4&url=http://www.dailykos.com/story/2008/6/19/18353/9897/372/538640>

Here's a video to be part of a national campaign against the insurance industry, based on a pre-June 19th press conference in LA

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h13JDUwN8Wg&feature=related>

video of Baltimore MD June 19 rally

<http://youtube.com/watch?v=NPsoJJ2bpRs>

and

http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=2299688328558349429&q=june+19th+2008+health+insurance&ei=EJRcSMP_E5vWrgOD2d2VDg&hl=en

Allentown PA single payer demo

http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=1597650480687831102&q=june+19th+2008+health+insurance&ei=EJRcSMP_E5vWrgOD2d2VDg&hl=en

Watch "Insurance Jive" and sign on as a Citizen Co-Sponsor of H.R. 676

It doesn't have to be this way

<http://www.couragecampaign.org/page/s/healthcareforall>

Check out the site below, sent by Lynn Hudiekoper ... seen singing along toward the end of the clip ... really great song on single payer. You'll want to play it a second time to sing along, too!

The Raging Grannies were great as usual and led off the Rally with enthusiasm and color. Their lyrics are really great and funny. I didn't know I was being filmed!

<http://www.indybay.org/newsitems/2008/06/22/18510201.php>

On June 19th, 2008, the American Health Insurance Plans (the trade group of the thousands of insurance company executives) will have their annual meeting in San Francisco. June 19th is also the traditional day of national celebration of the emancipation from slavery for millions of Americans, people in many cities, and Healthcare-NOW will be combining activities on both.

<http://www.healthcare-now.org/june19.html>

Lots of Photos





The Chronicle / Christina Liou