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# HONEST MEDICINE: REDEFINING HEALTH

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# The New Era of IMA

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# IMA's Four Pillars

Combating Chronic Disease

Patient Empowerment

Transparency in Medicine

Building a Healthy Culture

## Combatting Chronic Disease

### Targeting root causes—not symptoms.

- Reform food guidelines & school lunches
- Launch national prevention campaigns
- Support holistic & functional medicine





### Exposing hidden agendas & demanding accountability.

- Independent review of FDA, CDC, NIH
- Open access to science & data
- End taxpayer-funded drug monopolies
- Prohibit unethical medical research



## Patient Empowerment

### Restoring patient power and medical choice.

- Ban mandates & protect exemptions
- Reinstate Right-to-Try & Informed Consent
- Vaccine policy reform
- End direct-to-consumer pharma ads
- Expand HSAs, FSAs & insurance choice





## Building a Healthy Culture

### Empowering people to take control of their health.

- Reform medical education
- Promote ethics over profit
- Support independent doctors & telehealth access







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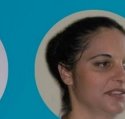
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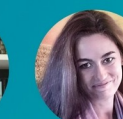
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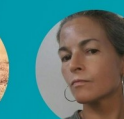
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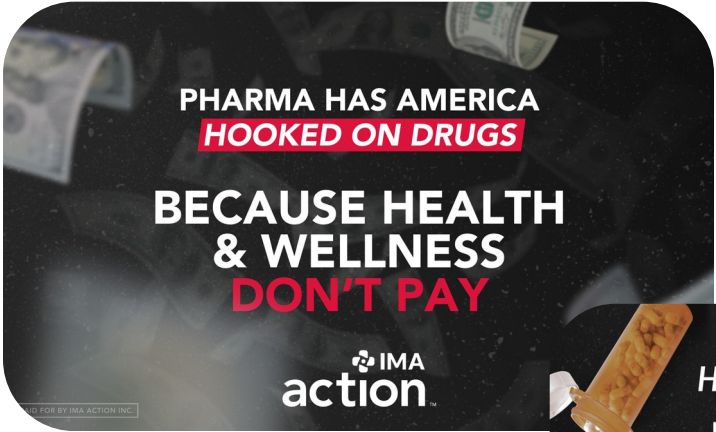
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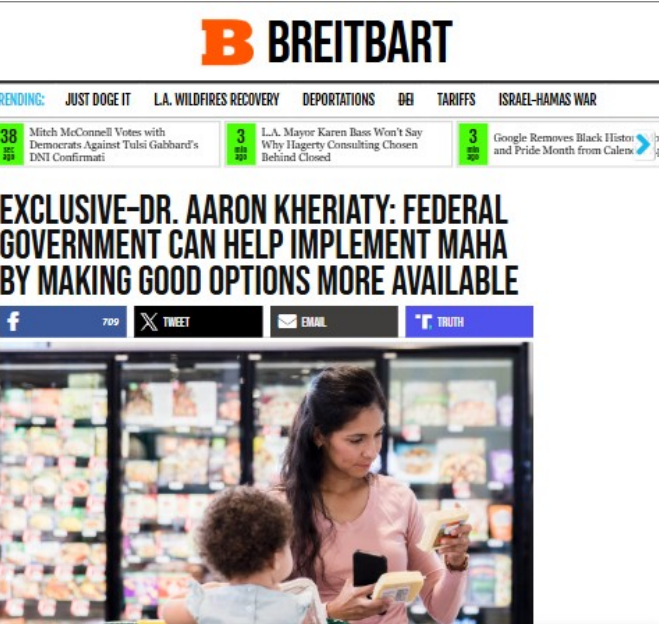
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