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General Comment

This rule is blatantly discriminatory against any who have religious or conscience objections to contraception or abortion. It forces citizens who participate in health insurance plans to cover with their premiums the cost of other participants abortions and contraceptives. That is a moral wrong.

In addition, they should not be covered anyway because they are not health care. Abortions (and morning after pills can be called nothing else) are not healthy for the embryo. And they are not particularly healthy in the long term for the woman who takes them, and the same is true of contraceptives--there are long-term negative side-effects. How can pills that make people sick be called health care?