(Washington, DC) - U.S. Congresswoman Gwen Moore (D-Milwaukee) today made the following statement after the House passed and sent to the President improvements to historic health insurance reform legislation that was signed into law on Tuesday:

**“Tonight’s vote ends more than a year of work to deliver historic reform.**

**“Families will see benefits right away. Small businesses will get help to afford insurance for their employees. Seniors will get help to afford medicine. And we take care of children – insurance companies can no longer deny them based on pre-existing conditions and they can stay on their parents’ insurance until they turn 26.**

**“Tonight’s improvements are just the first. We will have many more opportunities to fine tune this bill as it goes into effect.”**

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