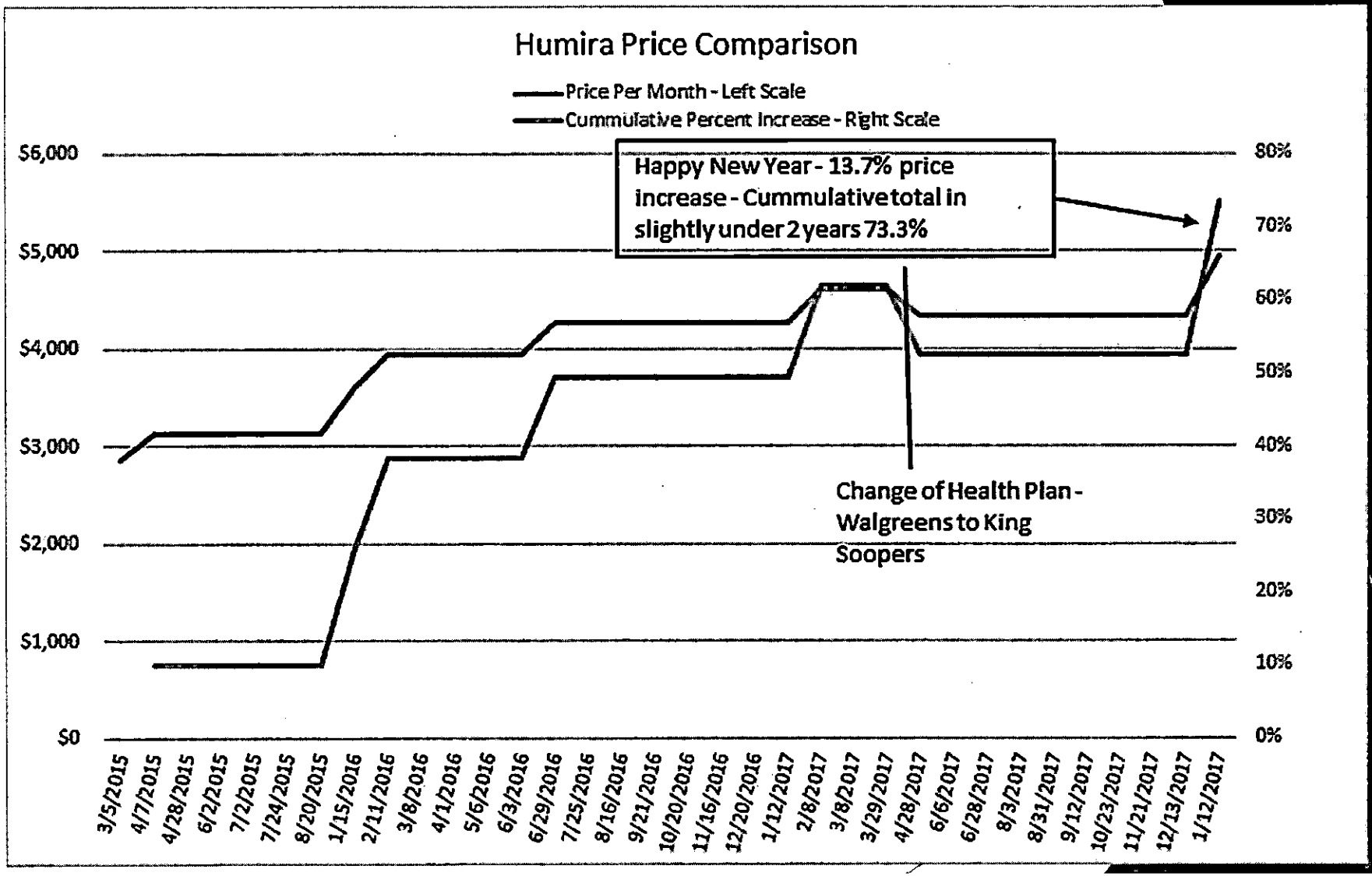
Attachment F

SB 18-80: Concerning Importation of Pharmaceuticals from Canada

Senator Irene Aguilar


Humira Price Comparison
Price Per Month - Left Scale
Cummulative Percent Increase - Right Scale
Happy New Year - 13.7% price increase - Cummulative total in slightly under 2 years 73.3%
Change of Health Plan - Walgreens to King Soopers
$6,000
$5,000
$4,000
$3,000
$2,000
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80%
70%
60%
50%
40%
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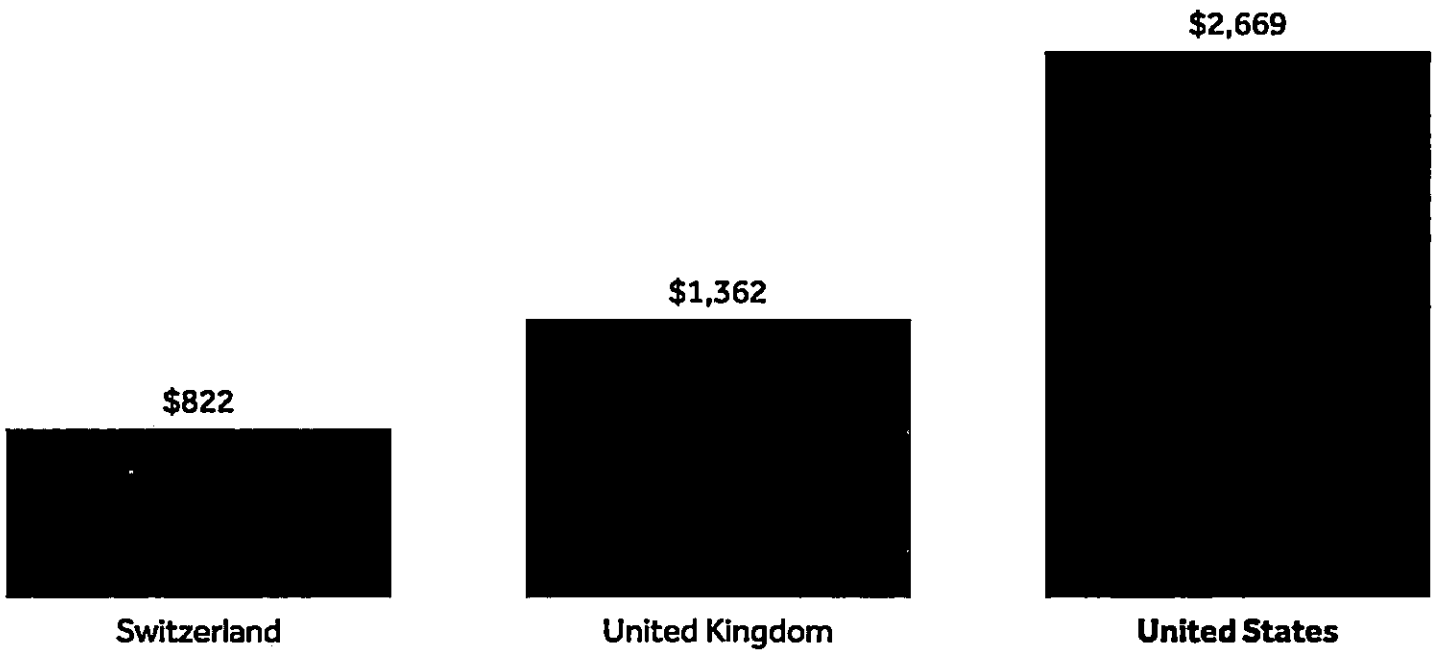
Average price Humira, 1 prefilled syringe carton, 2 syringes, 28 day supply, 2015



Source: International Federation of Health Plans 2015 Comparative Price Report • Get the data • PNG

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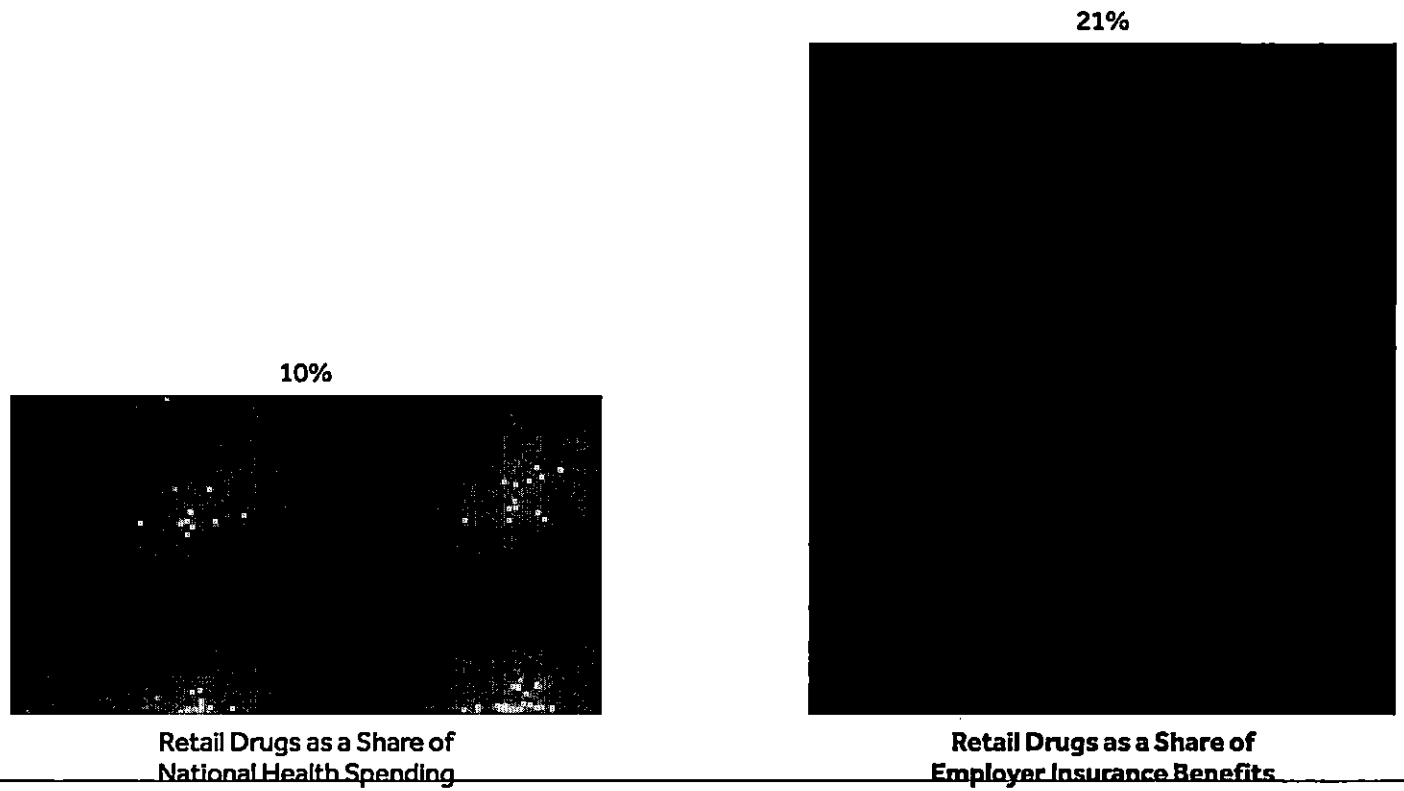
Retail drugs as a share of national health spending and as a share of employer health benefits, 2015



Source: Kaiser Family Foundation analysis of data from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and Truven Health Analytics • Get the data • PNG

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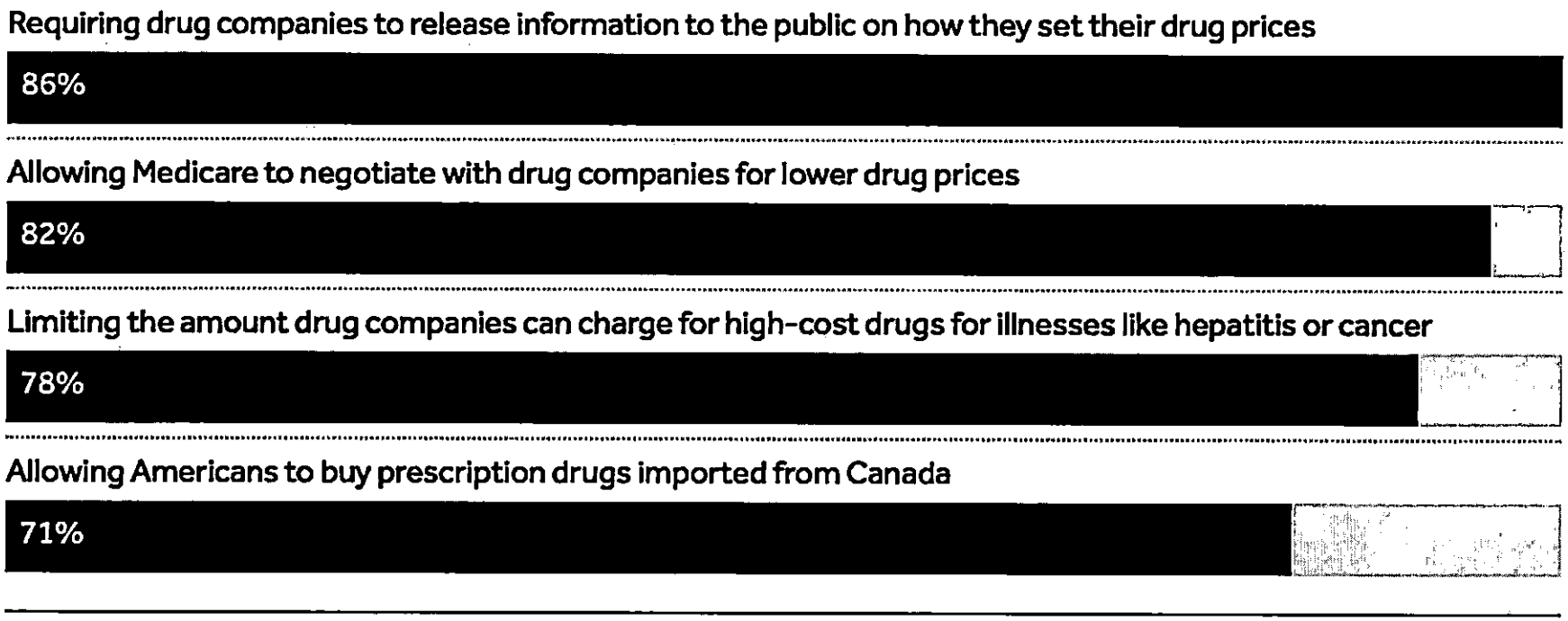
Percent who say they favor each of the following in keeping prescription drug costs down



Source: Kaiser Family Foundation Health Tracking Poll (conducted Sept 14 – 20, 2016) • Get the data • PNG

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U.S. and Canadian Prices of Some Generic Drugs with U.S. Prices That Have Recently Increased by 1000% or More.*

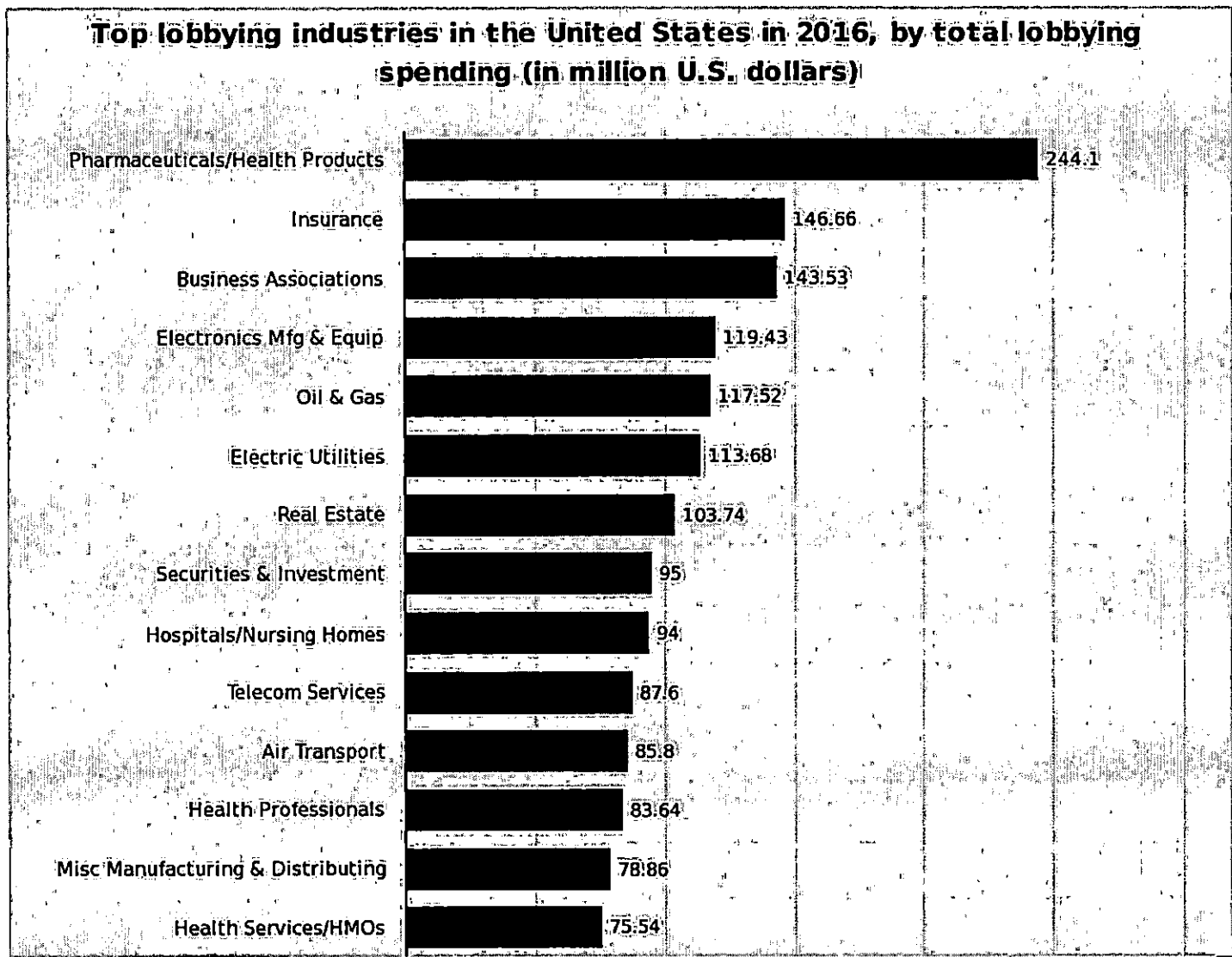
Drug	United States		Canada	
	GoodRx	NADAC	Saskatchewan	Ontario
	U.S. $/30 pills			
Tetracycline, 500-mg capsule	892.33	255.90	3.00	3.00
Captopril, 50-mg tablet	55.00	48.00	6.26	12.51
Clomipramine, 25-mg capsule	568.75	212.70	8.90	3.93
Doxycycline, 100-mg tablet	146.00	19.20	13.11	13.11
Hydroxychloroquine, 200-mg tablet	108.33	22.86	6.76	3.53
Amitriptyline, 100-mg tablet	14.00	28.86	10.51	6.89
Enalapril, 20-mg tablet	20.80	10.86	10.31	7.15
Carbamazepine, 200-mg tablet	37.00	18.00	5.30	3.45
Ursodiol, 250-mg capsule	97.00	99.00	22.83	17.09

* The GoodRx cost represents the cash price and does not include rebates or coupons. NADAC denotes National Average Drug Acquisition Cost (from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services). The Saskatchewan and Ontario prices listed are provincial formulary prices.

Potential Patient Savings
USA Pricing vs. Canadian Pricing

- Humira @ $4900 monthly
- Tetracycline @ $255.90 for 30 days

- Humira @ $1350 monthly
  - Monthly savings $ 3550
  - Annual Savings $42,600
- Tetracycline @ $3.00 for 30 days
  - Savings: $252.90 per prescription


Top lobbying industries in the United States in 2016, by total lobbying spending (in million U.S. dollars)
Pharmaceuticals/Health Products
244.1
Insurance
146.66
Business Associations
143.53
Electronics Mfg & Equip
119.43
Oil & Gas
117.52
Electric Utilities
113.68
Real Estate
103.74
Securities & Investment
95
Hospitals/Nursing Homes
94
Telecom Services
87.6
Air Transport
85.8
Health Professionals
83.64
Misc Manufacturing & Distributing
78.86
Health Services/HMOs
75.54