

**Tammy Baldwin voted to give illegal immigrants COVID-19 stimulus funds that were meant for our citizens, and even voted to give taxpayer-funded healthcare to illegals granted amnesty.**

**Tammy Baldwin voted to allow illegal immigrants to receive COVID relief checks.**

- **In March 2021, Tammy Baldwin voted against S. Amdt. 968.** (H.R. 1319, [Vote Number 104](#), Rejected 49-50, Baldwin Voted Nay, 3/6/21)
  - **S. Amdt. 968 would have made individuals who are not considered lawfully present in the U.S. ineligible for the 2021 individual tax rebates provided in the COVID stimulus.** “Cruz, R-Texas, amendment no. 968 to the Schumer, D-N.Y., substitute amendment no. 891 to the bill that would make individuals who are not considered lawfully present in the U.S. under current tax code ineligible for the 2021 individual tax rebates provided by the bill.” (Vote Number 104, [CQ Summary](#), 3/6/21)
  
- **In March 2021, Tammy Baldwin voted against S. Amdt. 1364.** (H.R. 1319, [Vote Number 96](#), Rejected 49-50, Baldwin Voted Nay, 3/6/21)
  - **S. Amdt. 1364 would have limited COVID funding to the states and Washington, DC to “necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019.”** “Romney, R-Utah, amendment no. 1364 to the Schumer, D-N.Y., substitute amendment no. 891 to the bill that would modify the funding formula for payments from the COVID-19 state fiscal recovery fund to limit the amounts distributed to necessary expenditures incurred by the state between March 1, 2020, and March 31, 2021, due to the COVID-19 public health emergency. It would also prevent payments from exceeding the amount by which tax revenue exceeds the total amount of revenue collected by the state in the second, third and fourth quarters of 2020.” (Vote Number 96, [CQ Summary](#), 3/6/21)
  
- **Democrat governors and mayors earmarked at least \$517 million to illegal immigrants through the American Rescue Plan.** “According to a Fox News Digital review of state and local programs, Democrat governors and mayors earmarked at least \$517 million for the programs, which generally consisted of providing cash payments to individual illegal immigrants. The funding reviewed by Fox News Digital was drawn from the American Rescue Plan (ARP), the \$1.9 trillion federal COVID-19 stimulus package President Biden signed into law in March 2021.” (Thomas Catenacci, “Dem states, cities overrun by migrants funneled millions in federal COVID-19 aid to support illegals,” [Fox News](#), 2/21/24)
  - **States that steered money to illegal immigrants through the American Rescue Plan included Washington, Illinois, and New Jersey.** “Overall, in addition to Washington, Fox News Digital identified such a funding mechanism in Illinois and

New Jersey, and the cities of Washington, D.C., Chicago, Denver and Boston. The jurisdictions, in particular, used funding from the ARP's Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, which was designed to help local governments recover from the pandemic.” (Thomas Catenacci, “Dem states, cities overrun by migrants funneled millions in federal COVID-19 aid to support illegals,” [Fox News](#), 2/21/24)

- **A report by Washington State’s Department of Social and Health Services said that 100,000 undocumented residents received payments of \$3,075 through their “COVID-19 Immigrant Relief Fund.”** “Washington's government crafted the largest such program, allocating \$340 million in ARP funding for the so-called ‘COVID-19 Immigrant Relief Fund’ program. According to state and federal filings, the program consisted of sending one-time cash grants worth \$1,000 each to immigrants with unauthorized citizenship status. In a report last year, the Washington state Department of Social and Health Services said more than 100,000 undocumented residents received payments of \$3,075 under the program. The state's legislature approved the program in legislation passed in April 2021.” (Thomas Catenacci, “Dem states, cities overrun by migrants funneled millions in federal COVID-19 aid to support illegals,” [Fox News](#), 2/21/24)
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By Daniel Dale

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(Daniel Dale, “Fact check: No, not all undocumented immigrants will get relief checks. Yes, some of them probably will,” [CNN](#), 3/12/21)

- **The American Rescue Plan specifies that nonresident aliens cannot receive stimulus checks.** “The text of the new law says that, to get checks, a person needs a valid Social

Security number and can't be a 'nonresident alien.'" (Daniel Dale, "Fact check: No, not all undocumented immigrants will get relief checks. Yes, some of them probably will," [CNN](#), 3/12/21)

- **Some illegal aliens are given "resident alien" status if they spend enough days in the United States.** "The IRS explains on its website that undocumented immigrants qualify as resident aliens for tax purposes if they spend enough days physically present in the US." (Daniel Dale, "Fact check: No, not all undocumented immigrants will get relief checks. Yes, some of them probably will," [CNN](#), 3/12/21)
- **A senior policy analyst at the Migration Policy Institute says that if someone has a valid Social Security Number, they would be eligible to receive a stimulus check.** "Julia Gelatt, senior policy analyst at the Migration Policy Institute think tank, said that 'the way the bill is written, as long as someone has a valid Social Security number issued by the (Social Security Administration), they would be eligible for the stimulus payments.'" (Daniel Dale, "Fact check: No, not all undocumented immigrants will get relief checks. Yes, some of them probably will," [CNN](#), 3/12/21)
  - **A senior fellow at the Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center said that you can be a non-US citizen, without an authorization to work and still have a Social Security Number (SSN).** "You can be in the country without authorization to work, you can be a non-US citizen, and still have your SSN and qualify for the payments,' said Janet Holtzblatt, a senior fellow at the Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center and a former tax official in the federal government." (Daniel Dale, "Fact check: No, not all undocumented immigrants will get relief checks. Yes, some of them probably will," [CNN](#), 3/12/21)

### In 2013, Tammy Baldwin voted to allow immigrants who receive amnesty to receive taxpayer-funded healthcare benefits.

- **In March 2013, Tammy Baldwin voted against S. Amdt. 614.** (S. Con. Res. 8, [Vote Number 77](#), Amendment Rejected 43-56-1, Baldwin Voted Nay, 3/23/13)
  - **S. Amdt. 614 would have prohibited illegal immigrants who later receive legal status from qualifying for Medicaid or exchange subsidies under the Affordable Care Act.** "Sessions, R-Ala., amendment no. 614 that would create a deficit-reduction reserve fund to allow for legislation that would prohibit illegal immigrants who later receive legal status from qualifying for Medicaid or exchange subsidies under the 2010 health care law, as long as the legislation's costs are offset without raising new revenue." (Vote Number 77, [CQ Summary](#), 3/23/13)
  - **Amnesty grants legal status to illegal immigrants.** "Amnesty involves granting legal status to non-U.S. citizens even though they have entered the country illegally or have broken some of the many laws and rules that govern amnesty." (Law Office of Case J. Darwin, "What is Immigration Amnesty and How to Apply," [Blog](#), 5/11/23)

- **Medicaid is paid for by taxpayers.** “Established in 1965, Medicaid is a federal entitlement program paid for by taxpayers that provides health and long-term care insurance to low-income families and individuals.” (National Association of Counties, [Medicaid and Counties: Understanding the Program and Why It Matters to Counties](#), published 2/1/20)