



Individual Mandate Working Group

Update

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Summary of Public Comments

Public Comments on Draft Report:

- 18 Public Comments submitted
- Comments could be submitted at each Working Group meeting, by email or by phone
- Public Comment Period: September 28 – October 12, 2018

Summary of Public Comments on Draft Report (18):

- Support for maintaining exemption for healthcare sharing ministries (14)
- Support for creating an exemption for Christian Scientists (1)
- Opposition to a state-based individual mandate/recommendations for alternatives to an individual mandate penalty (3)

Full text of all public comments available [here](#).