Democrats plan 100-days agenda

House Democrats are preparing an ambitious agenda focussed on delivering their campaign promises — making life more affordable and conducting vast oversight of the Trump administration — if they seize majority control in the midterm elections



*Democratic leader **Hakeem Jeffries** (right) is in line to become House speaker if the party wins power*

AFFORDABILITY

Vote quickly to reinstate tax credits for ***Affordable Care Act***, which expired in 2025, leaving millions of people with higher healthcare costs

- Reverse ***Medicaid*** cuts passed by Republicans, including new work requirements for recipients
- Introduce legislation targeting high cost of essentials such as groceries, fuel and housing

CONFLICT/TRADE

Put pressure on Trump administration to end **Iran war** by pushing forward more war powers resolutions – Democrats have already forced multiple votes on ending military action

- Attempt to pass legislation to roll back or overturn Trump's **tariff regime**

OVERSIGHT

Use Democrat-controlled committees to hold hearings, issue subpoenas and launch investigations

- Committees plan to focus on Trump, his family and his administration, as part of sweeping **anti-corruption agenda**
- Leverage Senate control to block or freeze Trump's cabinet and judicial nominees

CONSTRAINTS

Much of House Democrats' agenda, if they regain power, would depend on **size of majority**. Details also depend on Senate, and whether it reverts to Democrat control

- Trump, at the White House, has ultimate say, with **veto power** at the stroke of a pen

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