When You Can Live Without Limits

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That's Medicaid shares stories of people covered by Medicaid at critical points in their lives, underscoring the importance of stable health insurance coverage in America.

Patricia was born eight weeks premature and showed indicators of disabilities early on. Her mother Cindy enrolled Patricia in Medicaid to supplement her family's private insurance and get all the care she needed.

Patricia developed quadriplegia, cerebral palsy and a seizure diagnosis. Medicaid connects her to a team of medical professionals and powered wheelchair that help her remain independent.

Thanks to Medicaid, Patricia has worked part-time and volunteered with the Special Olympics in Arizona.

"A lot of people don't know that Medicaid supports employment, which helps create a meaningful life for Patricia that is as independent as possible," says Cindy.