

HR 1640

Seniors' Health Care Freedom Act of 2001

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Apr 26, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
(May 8, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Toomey, Patrick J. [R-PA-15]

Party: Republican • State: PA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Apr 26, 2001
Rep. Schaffer, Bob [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Apr 26, 2001
Rep. Reynolds, Thomas M. [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Sep 5, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 8, 2001
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	May 3, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 26, 2001)

Seniors' Health Care Freedom Act of 2001 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act with regard to the use of private contracts by Medicare beneficiaries to eliminate the requirement that non-Medicare physicians and practitioners file affidavits pledging they will not file any Medicare claims for two years with respect to the Medicare beneficiaries with whom they contract.

Actions Timeline

- **May 8, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
- **May 3, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 26, 2001:** Introduced in House
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