

S 1851

Medicare+Choice Consumer Protection Act of 2001

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13708-13709)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** Senate

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Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Dec 19, 2001
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Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Dec 19, 2001
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Dec 19, 2001
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Sen. Kohl, Herb [D-WI]	D · WI		Dec 19, 2001
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Dec 19, 2001
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 19, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 19, 2001)

Medicare+Choice Consumer Protection Act of 2001 - Amends part C (Medicare+Choice) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to: (1) provide for continuous open enrollment and disenrollment in Medicare+Choice plans; (2) permit enrollment in the Medicare supplemental insurance (Medigap) program when Medicare+Choice plans reduce benefits or when a provider leaves a Medicare+Choice plan; and (3) limit Medicare+Choice cost-sharing.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 19, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Dec 19, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S13707-13708)
- **Dec 19, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13708-13709)