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HR 3989

Better Screening Test for Women Act

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House
Policy Area: Health
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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 26, 2002) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/house-bill/3989

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 26, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 18, 2002)

Better Screening Test for Women Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to authorize appropriations for FY 2003 through 2007 for the National Cancer Institute to support clinical research concerning early detection for breast cancer, including treatments as well as the link between such detection and reduction of mortality rates.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 26, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
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- Mar 18, 2002: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.