

## HR 4901

Home Respiratory Medication Patient Protection Act of 2002

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jun 11, 2002

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 26, 2002)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/house-bill/4901>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 26, 2002
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2002

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jun 11, 2002)

Home Respiratory Medication Patient Protection Act of 2002 - Provides that, if the Secretary of Health and Human Services effects a reduction in payment rates for home respiratory medication nebulizer drugs under part B (Supplementary Medical Insurance) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act, the Secretary shall provide for an increase in the payment rates for home respiratory medication professional services in a manner so that the aggregate additional payments resulting from such payment increase are designed to be equal to, and offset, the aggregate decrease in payments resulting from such payment reduction.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 26, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
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