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## HR 902

Chiropractic Patients' Freedom of Choice Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Health Introduced: Mar 6, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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### **Sponsor**

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Party: Democratic • State: OK • Chamber: House

# Cosponsors (84 total)

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Rep. Frost, Martin [D-TX-24]	$D \cdot TX$		Mar 20, 2001
Rep. Hart, Melissa A. [R-PA-4]	$R \cdot PA$		Mar 20, 2001
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Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D·LA		Mar 20, 2001
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Rep. Leach, James A. [R-IA-1]	$R \cdot IA$		Mar 20, 2001
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Rep. Otter, C. L. (Butch) [R-ID-1]	$R \cdot ID$		Mar 20, 2001
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Rep. Schrock, Edward L. [R-VA-2]	$R \cdot VA$		Mar 20, 2001
Rep. Davis, Jo Ann [R-VA-1]	$R \cdot VA$		Apr 4, 2001
Rep. Gordon, Bart [D-TN-6]	D · TN		Apr 4, 2001
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-18]	$R \cdot FL$		Apr 4, 2001
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	$R \cdot NJ$		Apr 4, 2001
Rep. Emerson, Jo Ann [R-MO-8]	$R \cdot MO$		May 9, 2001
Rep. English, Phil [R-PA-21]	$R \cdot PA$		May 9, 2001
Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2]	$R \cdot NJ$		May 9, 2001
Rep. Sandlin, Max [D-TX-1]	$D \cdot TX$		May 9, 2001
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D·FL		May 9, 2001
Rep. Cantor, Eric [R-VA-7]	$R \cdot VA$		May 17, 2001
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		May 17, 2001
Rep. Strickland, Ted [D-OH-6]	D · OH		May 17, 2001
Rep. Boswell, Leonard L. [D-IA-3]	D·IA		Jun 6, 2001
Rep. Shows, Ronnie [D-MS-4]	D·MS		Jun 6, 2001
Rep. Boucher, Rick [D-VA-9]	D·VA		Jun 12, 2001
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	$R \cdot GA$		Jun 12, 2001
Rep. Maloney, James H. [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jun 25, 2001

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Rep. McIntyre, Mike [D-NC-7]	D · NC	Jul 11, 2001
Rep. Bentsen, Ken [D-TX-25]	D · TX	Jul 20, 2001
Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]	D · OH	Jul 25, 2001
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	D · NY	Jul 30, 2001
Rep. Miller, Gary G. [R-CA-41]	R · CA	Aug 1, 2001
Rep. Thurman, Karen L. [D-FL-5]	D · FL	Sep 6, 2001
Rep. Hilliard, Earl F. [D-AL-7]	D · AL	Sep 20, 2001
Rep. Olver, John W. [D-MA-1]	D · MA	Sep 20, 2001
Rep. Wilson, Heather [R-NM-1]	R · NM	Oct 2, 2001
Rep. Mollohan, Alan B. [D-WV-1]	D · WV	Nov 7, 2001
Rep. Udall, Tom [D-NM-3]	D · NM	Dec 4, 2001
Resident Commissioner Acevedo-Vila, Anibal [D-PR-At Large]	D · PR	Dec 13, 2001
Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE	Feb 6, 2002
Rep. Lucas, Ken [D-KY-4]	D · KY	Feb 7, 2002
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ	Feb 7, 2002 Feb 12, 2002
Rep. Lewis, Ron [R-KY-2]	R · KY	Feb 12, 2002
Rep. Berman, Howard L. [D-CA-26]	D · CA	Mar 7, 2002
Rep. Rohrabacher, Dana [R-CA-45]	R · CA	Mar 7, 2002
	D · MN	
Rep. Sabo, Martin Olav [D-MN-5]	R · AL	Mar 7, 2002
Rep. Aderholt, Robert B. [R-AL-4]	D · CT	Mar 14, 2002
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · NY	Mar 14, 2002
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]	R · OH	Mar 14, 2002
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Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]		Apr 10, 2002
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D·IL	Apr 10, 2002
Rep. Bachus, Spencer [R-AL-6]	R · AL	Apr 25, 2002
Rep. Goode, Virgil H., Jr. [I-VA-5]	I · VA	May 8, 2002
Rep. Hall, Tony P. [D-OH-3]	D · OH	May 8, 2002
Rep. Nussle, Jim [R-IA-2]	R · IA	May 8, 2002
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN	May 8, 2002
Rep. LaHood, Ray [R-IL-18]	R · IL	May 14, 2002
Rep. Pomeroy, Earl [D-ND-At Large]	D · ND	May 14, 2002
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI	Jun 5, 2002
Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]	D·WV	Jun 5, 2002
Rep. Traficant, James A., Jr. [D-OH-17]	D · OH	Jun 5, 2002
Rep. Oberstar, James L. [D-MN-8]	D · MN	Jul 11, 2002
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-27]	D · CA	Jul 11, 2002
Rep. Hoeffel, Joseph M. [D-PA-13]	D · PA	Jul 26, 2002
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH	Jul 26, 2002
Rep. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV-2]	R·WV	Sep 9, 2002
Rep. Reyes, Silvestre [D-TX-16]	D · TX	Sep 9, 2002

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	<b>Date Joined</b>
Rep. McCarthy, Karen [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Sep 26, 2002

### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 14, 2001
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2001

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

Health

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Mar 6, 2001)

Chiropractic Patients' Freedom of Choice Act of 2001 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicare reimbursement for all physicians' services furnished by doctors of chiropractic within the scope of their license.

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