

S 1083

Children's Express Lane to Health Coverage Act of 2003

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: May 20, 2003

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (May 20, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]

Party: Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		May 20, 2003
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Jun 10, 2003
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jun 10, 2003
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 14, 2003
Sen. Edwards, John [D-NC]	D · NC		Oct 1, 2003
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Apr 20, 2004
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Apr 29, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 20, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 4031	Identical bill	Mar 30, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of May 20, 2003)

Children's Express Lane to Health Coverage Act of 2003 - Amends title XIX (Medicaid) and XXI (State Children's Health Insurance) (SCHIP) of the Social Security Act to give States the option of providing that Medicaid or SCHIP financial eligibility requirements are met for children based on their eligibility for nutrition assistance or similar public programs with comparable income standards and methodologies.

Actions Timeline

- **May 20, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 20, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6708-6709)
- **May 20, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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