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Family Planning State Empowerment Act of 2003

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Chafee, Lincoln [R-RI]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 17, 2003
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 22, 2003
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 17, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 17, 2003)

Family Planning State Empowerment Act of 2003 - Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act (SSA) to give States the option to elect to: (1) make available family planning services and supplies furnished to eligible individuals of child-bearing age to any individual whose family income does not exceed the greater of 185 percent of the income official poverty line applicable to a family of the size involved or the specified eligibility income level; and (2) extend the postpartum period for provision of family planning services and supplies.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 17, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 17, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S9596-9597)
- **Jul 17, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S9597)