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### Stroke Treatment and Ongoing Prevention Act of 2003

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

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### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (24 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Nov 20, 2003
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jan 26, 2004
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Mar 11, 2004
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Mar 24, 2004
Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]	R · IN		Apr 5, 2004
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Apr 28, 2004
Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]	D · DE		Apr 28, 2004
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Apr 28, 2004
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		May 3, 2004
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	R · KY		May 3, 2004
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		May 3, 2004
Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 3, 2004
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		May 3, 2004
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Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		May 5, 2004
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		May 5, 2004
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		May 6, 2004
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 11, 2004
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		May 12, 2004
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	R · OR		May 18, 2004
Sen. Burns, Conrad R. [R-MT]	R · MT		Jun 3, 2004
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jun 3, 2004
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jun 7, 2004
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Jul 12, 2004

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 20, 2003

## Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 3658	Related bill	<b>Jun 15, 2004:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## Summary (as of Nov 20, 2003)

Stroke Treatment and Ongoing Prevention Act of 2003 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to: (1) establish a grant program for State stroke care systems; (2) foster the development of stroke care systems through information sharing among agencies and individuals involved in such care; (3) develop a model curriculum for training emergency medical services personnel, including dispatchers, first responders, emergency medical technicians, and paramedics, in stroke prehospital treatment; (4) issue best practices guidelines; and (5) provide public information on recognition of stroke symptoms and appropriate post-stroke actions. Authorizes the Secretary to make grants for such purposes.

Directs the Secretary to: (1) maintain the Paul Coverdell National Acute Stroke Registry; and (2) make State grants for the development of stroke care systems. Authorizes the Secretary to make related State planning grants.

Provides special grant consideration for States in a geographic area with an elevated incidence of stroke or stoke-caused disabilities.

## Actions Timeline

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