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Support Our Health Care Providers Act of 2003

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S15420-15470)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Daschle, Thomas A. [D-SD]	D · SD		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Graham, Bob [D-FL]	D · FL		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Pryor, Mark L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	D · NV		Nov 22, 2003
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Nov 24, 2003
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		Nov 24, 2003
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Nov 24, 2003
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Nov 25, 2003
Sen. Hollings, Ernest F. [D-SC]	D · SC		Nov 25, 2003
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Nov 25, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 21, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 21, 2003)

Support Our Health Care Providers Act of 2003 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) the Social Security Act (SSA) with respect to services in rural areas, inpatient hospital services, physician services, preventive services, certain demonstrations and studies, home health services, graduate medical education (GME), chronic care improvement, regulatory and contracting reform, education and outreach, appeals and recovery, as well as specified aspects of the Medicaid program under title XIX.

(S. 1926 is identical, except with respect to any provider cuts or premium increases, to titles IV through VII of the conference report of H.R. 1, the Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003, which became Public Law 108-173 on December 8, 2003. It excludes titles I (Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit), II (Medicare Advantage), III (Combatting Waste, Fraud, and Abuse), XI (Access to Affordable Pharmaceuticals), and XII (Tax Incentives for Health and Retirement Security) of the conference report of H.R. 1.)

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 21, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 21, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S15420)
- **Nov 21, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S15420-15470)