

S 2174

A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to include podiatrists as physicians for purposes of covering physicians services under the medicaid program.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 8, 2004

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 8, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Mar 8, 2004
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Apr 27, 2004
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Apr 27, 2004
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		Apr 28, 2004
Sen. Conrad, Kent [D-ND]	D · ND		May 5, 2004
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		May 6, 2004
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		May 7, 2004
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2004
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jun 16, 2004
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Jun 21, 2004
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jul 22, 2004
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		Oct 7, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 8, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 8, 2004)

Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to include podiatrists as physicians in order to cover their services under the Medicaid program.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 8, 2004:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 8, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2304-2305)
- **Mar 8, 2004:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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