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# 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	<b>Date Joined</b>
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]	$D \cdot ND$		May 5, 2004
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	$D \cdot NM$		May 6, 2004
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	$R \cdot NV$		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]	$R \cdot ME$		Jul 22, 2004
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	$D \cdot ND$		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.

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.