

## HR 328

Access to Hospitals Act of 2003

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 3, 2003)

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Rep. Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Apr 29, 2003
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Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		May 7, 2003
Rep. Bonilla, Henry [R-TX-23]	R · TX		May 7, 2003

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Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT		May 7, 2003
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Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-1]	D · CA		May 7, 2003
Rep. Turner, Jim [D-TX-2]	D · TX		May 7, 2003
Rep. Cardoza, Dennis A. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		May 14, 2003
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Rep. Emanuel, Rahm [D-IL-5]	D · IL		May 14, 2003
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Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		May 14, 2003
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		May 14, 2003
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		May 14, 2003
Rep. Jones, Stephanie Tubbs [D-OH-11]	D · OH		May 15, 2003
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Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]	D · KS		May 15, 2003
Rep. Nunes, Devin [R-CA-21]	R · CA		May 15, 2003
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		May 15, 2003
Rep. Tauscher, Ellen O. [D-CA-10]	D · CA		May 15, 2003
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Rep. Dingell, John D. [D-MI-15]	D · MI		May 22, 2003
Rep. Hayes, Robin [R-NC-8]	R · NC		May 22, 2003
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		May 22, 2003
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		May 22, 2003
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 22, 2003
Rep. Baird, Brian [D-WA-3]	D · WA		Jun 5, 2003
Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Jun 5, 2003
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Rep. Ortiz, Solomon P. [D-TX-27]	D · TX		Jun 5, 2003
Rep. Ross, Mike [D-AR-4]	D · AR		Jun 5, 2003
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Jun 5, 2003
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Jun 5, 2003
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jun 23, 2003
Rep. Granger, Kay [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Jun 23, 2003
Rep. McCarthy, Carolyn [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Jun 23, 2003

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Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jun 23, 2003
Rep. Northup, Anne M. [R-KY-3]	R · KY		Jun 23, 2003
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-44]	R · CA		Jul 21, 2003
Rep. Stenholm, Charles W. [D-TX-17]	D · TX		Jul 21, 2003
Rep. Wolf, Frank R. [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Jul 21, 2003
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Rep. McCarthy, Karen [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Jan 20, 2004

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 3, 2003

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 652	Identical bill	<b>Mar 18, 2003:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3901)

## Summary (as of Jan 8, 2003)

Access to Hospitals Act of 2003 - Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to repeal specified reductions after FY 2000 and thereby extend certain modifications to disproportionate share hospital (DSH) allotments provided under the Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Benefits Improvement and Protection Act of 2000.

Increases the Medicaid DSH allotment for the District of Columbia.

## Actions Timeline

- **Feb 3, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
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