

## S 375

Medicare Access Equity Act of 2003

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 12, 2003

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2361)

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2361) (Feb 12, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-bill/375>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Feb 12, 2003
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	D · WV		Feb 12, 2003
Sen. Thomas, Craig [R-WY]	R · WY		Feb 12, 2003
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	R · NE		May 6, 2003

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 12, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 755	Identical bill	<b>Feb 26, 2003:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

### Summary (as of Feb 12, 2003)

Medicare Access Equity Act of 2003 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act (SSA) to establish a minimum geographic cost-of-practice index value for physicians' services furnished under the Medicare program.

### Actions Timeline

- Feb 12, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- Feb 12, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2360-2361)
- Feb 12, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2361)