

## HR 5204

To amend section 340E of the Public Health Service Act (relating to children's hospitals) to modify provisions regarding the determination of the amount of payments for indirect expenses associated with operating approved graduate medical residency training programs.

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Oct 4, 2004

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 108-490.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 108-490. (Dec 23, 2004)

**Law:** 108-490 (Enacted Dec 23, 2004)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-bill/5204>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-14]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 5, 2004

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Dec 23, 2004)

**(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to consider the ratio of residents in children's hospitals' approved graduate medical residency training programs to beds (but excluding beds or bassinets assigned to healthy new born infants) when determining the amount of payments to such hospitals for indirect expenses associated with the treatment of more severely ill patients and the additional costs associated with teaching residents in such programs.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 23, 2004:** Signed by President.
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- **Dec 23, 2004:** Became Public Law No: 108-490.
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- **Dec 16, 2004:** Presented to President.
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- **Dec 9, 2004:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 8, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S12029)
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- **Oct 7, 2004:** Received in the Senate.
- **Oct 6, 2004:** Mr. Bilirakis moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Oct 6, 2004:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8253-8255)
- **Oct 6, 2004:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5204.
- **Oct 6, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H8253)
- **Oct 6, 2004:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H8253)
- **Oct 6, 2004:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Oct 5, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Introduced in House
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