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## S 1246

Medical Education Affordability Act Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Education
Introduced: Jun 14, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as

introduced: CR S6492) (Jun 14, 2005)

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#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]

Party: Democratic • State: CT • Chamber: Senate

# Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	$D \cdot WI$		Jun 14, 2005
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Jun 14, 2005
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jun 14, 2005
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	$D \cdot IL$		Jun 20, 2005
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D·NY		Jun 24, 2005
Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jun 29, 2005

#### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 14, 2005

### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

# **Policy Area:**

Education

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

#### **Summary** (as of Jun 14, 2005)

Medical Education Affordability Act - Directs the Secretary of Education to revise specified regulations regarding student loan repayment deferment under certain programs of the Higher Education Act of 1965 with respect to borrowers who are in postgraduate medical or dental internship, residency, or fellowship programs.

# **Actions Timeline**

- Jun 14, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 14, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6492)
- Jun 14, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6492)