

HR 1819

Medicare Payment Adjustment To Community Health Centers (PATCH) Act of 2005

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
(May 13, 2005)

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Sponsor

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Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jun 28, 2005
Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2005
Rep. Foley, Mark [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Jun 29, 2005
Rep. Harris, Katherine [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Jun 29, 2005
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jul 19, 2005
Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT		Jul 19, 2005
Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3]	D · FL		Oct 17, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 13, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	May 4, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 1593	Identical bill	Jul 29, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Medicare Payment Adjustment To Community Health Centers (PATCH) Act of 2005 - Amends part E (Miscellaneous) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to revise the definition of Federally qualified health center (FQHC) services to include certain services furnished by an FQHC for which payment may otherwise be made under Medicare if they were furnished by a health care provider or health care professional other than an FQHC.

Repeals the limitation of such services to outpatients of an FQHC, extending them to all patients of an FQHC. Repeals the declaration that any reference to a rural health clinic is deemed a reference to an FQHC.

Ensures FQHC reimbursement for patients of hospitals and critical access hospitals under the hospital prospective payment system.

Actions Timeline

- **May 13, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
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