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Equal Access to Medicare Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Dec 12, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13453)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]

Party: Democratic • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 12, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 12, 2005)

Equal Access to Medicare Act of 2005 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to prohibit charging membership or other incidental fees, or requiring purchase of items or services not covered by Medicare as a prerequisite for provision of a Medicare-covered item or service to a Medicare beneficiary.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 12, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Dec 12, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S13453)
- **Dec 12, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13453)