

## HR 3254

CARE Act of 2005

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jul 12, 2005

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Select Education.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Select Education. (Aug 10, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-bill/3254>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ-13]

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

### Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-7]	R · LA		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Jul 12, 2005
Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Jul 28, 2005
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jul 28, 2005
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Dec 8, 2005
Rep. Solis, Hilda L. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Dec 22, 2005
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Dec 22, 2005

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 10, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 12, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 2244	Related bill	<b>Feb 2, 2006:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Jul 12, 2005)

Caregiver Assistance and Relief Effort Act of 2005 or the CARE Act of 2005 - Amends the Older Americans Act of 1965 to increase and extend the authorization of appropriations for the national family caregiver support program, including caregiver support programs for Native Americans, through FY2006.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow caregivers a tax credit for family members with long-term care needs; (2) allow a tax deduction for long-term care insurance premiums; and (3) apply certain consumer protection provisions to long-term care insurance contracts.

## Actions Timeline

- **Aug 10, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Select Education.
- **Jul 12, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 12, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1461-1462)
- **Jul 12, 2005:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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