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## HR 4540

Mammogram Availability Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Health Introduced: Dec 14, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations. (Mar 27, 2006)

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### **Committee Activity**

| Committee                         | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Education and Workforce Committee | House   | Referred to | Mar 27, 2006 |
| Energy and Commerce Committee     | House   | Referred to | Jan 3, 2006  |

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

Health

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Dec 14, 2005)

Mammogram Availability Act of 2005 - Amends the Public Health Service Act and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) to require a group health plan, and a health insurance issuer offering group coverage, that provides coverage for diagnostic mammographies for any woman 40 years old or older to provide no less favorable coverage for annual screening mammographies for such a woman. Prohibits related enrollment and renewal discrimination, monetary incentives to women, and penalties or incentives to providers. Applies such requirements and prohibitions to coverage offered in the individual market.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Mar 27, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.
- Jan 3, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Dec 14, 2005: Introduced in House
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