

HR 5437

Medicare Early Detection of Cancer Promotion Act of 2006

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 5, 2006)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • State: FL • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Sep 27, 2006
Rep. McHugh, John M. [R-NY-23]	R · NY		Sep 27, 2006
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 5, 2006
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 19, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 19, 2006)

Medicare Early Detection of Cancer Promotion Act of 2006 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to: (1) extend the eligibility period for a "Welcome to Medicare" physical examination from six months to one year; and (2) eliminate the 20% coinsurance for screening mammography and colorectal cancer screening tests.

Actions Timeline

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