

## S 577

### HIPAA Recreational Injury Technical Correction Act

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Mar 9, 2005

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Mar 9, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/577>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** ME • **Chamber:** Senate

## Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Mar 9, 2005
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		Apr 6, 2005
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 6, 2005
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Apr 11, 2005
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	R · MN		Apr 18, 2005
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	R · UT		Apr 22, 2005
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jul 29, 2005
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Feb 15, 2006
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		May 24, 2006

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 9, 2005

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 4289	Identical bill	May 1, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.
109 HR 2793	Related bill	Jul 11, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.

## **Summary** (as of Mar 9, 2005)

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HIPAA Recreational Injury Technical Correction Act - Amends the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), the Public Health Service Act, and the Internal Revenue Code to prohibit a group health plan or health insurance issuer offering group health coverage from denying benefits or coverage otherwise provided under the plan for the treatment of an injury solely because it resulted from participation in a legal mode of transportation or recreational activity.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 9, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 9, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2392-2393)
- **Mar 9, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.