

HR 1571

Seniors Access to Mental Health Act of 2007

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 19, 2007

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 23, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]

Party: Republican • State: PA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Mar 19, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 20, 2007
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 23, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 1715	Related bill	Jun 27, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Mar 19, 2007)

Seniors Access to Mental Health Act of 2007 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to provide, by a gradual increase in the percentage of expenses considered incurred expenses, for a gradual reduction (from 50% to the standard 20%) by 2013 of copayment rates for outpatient psychiatric services under the Medicare program.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 23, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 20, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 19, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 19, 2007:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.