

S 1873

Improving Emergency Medical Care and Response Act of 2007

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 25, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 3173	Related bill	Jul 25, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jul 25, 2007)

Improving Emergency Medical Care and Response Act of 2007 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, to award contracts or competitive grants to support demonstration programs that design, implement, and evaluate innovative models of regionalized, comprehensive, and accountable emergency care systems. Requires the Secretary to give priority to entities that serve a population in a medically underserved area.

Directs the Secretary to: (1) support federal programs involved in improving the emergency care system to expand and accelerate research in emergency medical care systems and emergency medicine; and (2) support research to determine the estimated economic impact of, and savings that result from, the implementation of coordinated emergency care systems.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 26, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10143)
- **Jul 25, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 25, 2007:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.