

## HR 195

### Seniors' Health Care Freedom Act of 2007

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jan 4, 2007

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 2, 2007)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-bill/195>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

## Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Culberson, John Abney [R-TX-7]	R · TX		Jan 4, 2007
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Jan 4, 2007
Rep. Garrett, Scott [R-NJ-5]	R · NJ		Jan 9, 2007
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jan 23, 2007
Rep. Brown-Waite, Ginny [R-FL-5]	R · FL		Jan 31, 2007
Rep. Bachmann, Michele [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jun 12, 2008

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 2, 2007
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 18, 2007

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Seniors' Health Care Freedom Act of 2007 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to remove the affidavit requirement applicable to the use of private contracts with practitioners under Medicare.

Declares that no persons otherwise eligible for old-age benefits under Social Security shall be denied such benefits because of their voluntary refusal to participate in any part of the Medicare program.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 2, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 18, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 5, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2)
- **Jan 4, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 4, 2007:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.