

HR 5613

Protecting the Medicaid Safety Net Act of 2008

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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(Apr 28, 2008)

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Committee Activity

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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Reported by | Apr 9, 2008 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on April 22, 2008. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Protecting the Medicaid Safety Net Act of 2008 - (Sec. 2) Amends the U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act, 2007 to extend until April 1, 2009, the moratorium on implementation of a proposed rule ("Medicaid Program; Cost Limit for Providers Operated by Units of Government and Provisions To Ensure the Integrity of Federal-State Financial Partnership") relating to the federal-state financial partnerships under titles XIX (Medicaid) and XXI (State Children's Health Insurance Program) (SCHIP) of the Social Security Act (SSA).

Extends until April 1, 2009, the moratorium on any action by the Secretary of Health and Human Services to restrict Medicaid payments for graduate medical education (GME).

Amends the Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Extension Act of 2007 to extend until April 1, 2009, the moratorium on certain restrictions relating to Medicaid coverage or payment for rehabilitation services or school-based administration and school-based transportation, including specified proposed regulations, if such restrictions are more restrictive in any aspect than those applied to such areas as of July 1, 2007.

Establishes additional moratoria until April 1, 2009, on specified regulatory actions concerning Medicaid: (1) treatment of optional case management services; (2) outpatient hospital services; and (3) allowable provider taxes.

(Sec. 3) Makes appropriations to the Secretary for the purpose of reducing fraud and abuse in the Medicaid program. Requires annual reports to specified congressional committees on activities funded by such appropriations.

(Sec. 4) Directs the Secretary to report to Congress on the Medicaid regulations referred to in this Act and how they were designed to address specific problems.

Directs the Secretary to contract with an independent organization to produce a comprehensive report for Congress on the prevalence of such problems: (1) identifying which claims for items and services under Medicaid are not processed through automated data systems; (2) examining the reasons why they are not so processed; and (3) recommending federal and state actions that can make claims for such items and services more accurate and completely consistent with Medicaid requirements.

(Sec. 5) Amends SSA title XIX to require each state to implement an asset verification program for purposes of determining or redetermining the eligibility of an individual for state Medicaid assistance.

Requires withholding of federal matching payments from states failing to implement such program.

Amends the TMA, Abstinence Education, and QI Programs Extension Act of 2007 to repeal the requirement to extend to the Medicaid program the web-based asset demonstration project under SS title XVI (Supplemental Security Income) (SSI).

(Sec. 6) Amends SSA title XVIII to make adjustments to funding available to the Physician Assistance and Quality Initiative (PAQI) Fund. Reduces amounts available to the Fund for expenditure during 2013, but adds funds for 2014 expenditures (under the same limitations provided for those made with money available during 2013).

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 28, 2008:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 719.
- **Apr 24, 2008:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Apr 23, 2008:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H2596)
- **Apr 23, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 349 - 62 (Roll no. 209).(text: CR 4/22/2008 H2502-2504)
- **Apr 23, 2008:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 349 - 62 (Roll no. 209). (text: CR 4/22/2008 H2502-2504)
- **Apr 23, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 23, 2008:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 22, 2008:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 110-600.
- **Apr 22, 2008:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 373.
- **Apr 22, 2008:** Mr. Dingell moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Apr 22, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H2502-2508)
- **Apr 22, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5613.
- **Apr 22, 2008:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Apr 16, 2008:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 16, 2008:** Ordered to be Reported Without Recommendation (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 46 - 0.
- **Apr 9, 2008:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 9, 2008:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
- **Apr 3, 2008:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 14, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 13, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 13, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.