

HR 5950

Detainee Basic Medical Care Act of 2008

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Policy Area: Immigration

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 3005	Related bill	May 12, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of May 1, 2008)

Detainee Basic Medical Care Act of 2008 - Directs: (1) the Secretary of Homeland Security to establish procedures for the delivery of medical and mental health care to all immigration detainees in Department of Homeland Security (DHS) custody; and (2) that such procedures address all detainee health needs, including primary care, emergency care, chronic care, prenatal care, dental care, eye care, mental health care, medical dietary needs, and other medically necessary specialized care.

Actions Timeline

- May 1, 2008:** Introduced in House
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