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Rural Health Services Preservation Act of 2007

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Feb 15, 2007

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2079)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2079) (Feb 15, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]

Party: Republican • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 15, 2007
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Feb 15, 2007
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Jun 21, 2007
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		Sep 5, 2007
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Apr 8, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 15, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 2159	Identical bill	May 25, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
110 HR 1563	Identical bill	Mar 23, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Feb 15, 2007)

Rural Health Services Preservation Act of 2007 - Amends part C (Medicare+Choice) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to require Medicare Advantage organizations to provide for a payment rate for critical access hospital services and rural health clinic services that is: (1) at least the applicable payment rate established under Medicare part A (Hospital Insurance) or part B (Supplementary Medical Insurance) for such services; or (2) 103% of the otherwise applicable payment rate, if the critical access hospital or the rural health clinic determines appropriate

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 15, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 15, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2000-2002, S2079)
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