

# HR 6466

To apply an alternative payment amount under the Medicare Program for certain graduate medical education programs established to train residents displaced by natural disasters.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Health Introduced: Jul 10, 2008

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 10, 2008) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-bill/6466

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## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 10, 2008
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 10, 2008

### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

#### Health

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 3117	Identical bill	Jun 11, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services, for a cost reporting period beginning on or after July 1, 2005, to provide for payments of direct graduate education costs under title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act in accordance with an alternative payment methodology for eligible hospitals in or adjacent to a major disaster area which have established a program to educate residents displaced from a graduate medical education (GME) program impacted by such disaster.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Jul 10, 2008: Introduced in House
- Jul 10, 2008: 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.
- Jul 10, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.