

HR 1036

Veterans Physical Therapy Services Improvement Act of 2009

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Oct 1, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 12, 2009)

Veterans Physical Therapy Services Improvement Act of 2009 - Establishes in the Veterans Health Administration (VHA) of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA): (1) the position of Director of Physical Therapy Service; and (2) degree and license requirements for appointment to a physical therapist position.

Establishes the Department of Veterans Affairs Geriatric, Amputee, Polytrauma, and Rehabilitation Research Fellowships Program to assist in the recruitment of qualified physical therapists for VHA positions specializing in the areas of geriatrics, amputee rehabilitation, polytrauma care, and rehabilitation research.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 1, 2009:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Feb 13, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 12, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 12, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.