

HR 1085

Health Insurance Coverage Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 2, 2009
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Rep. Tiberi, Patrick J. [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Mar 2, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 30, 2009
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 23, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 442	Related bill	Feb 13, 2009: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 13, 2009)

Health Insurance Coverage Protection Act - Amends the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) and the Public Health Service Act to prohibit a group health plan from imposing an aggregate lifetime benefit limit of less than: (1) \$5 million for the first two plan years; (2) \$10 million for the third and fourth plan years; and (3) adjusted amounts based on the consumer price index for subsequent plan years. Excludes from such prohibition a group health plan offered to employees of a small employer, except upon request of the employer for a consistent limit.

Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services to contract with the Institute of Medicine for a study to determine the number of individuals who have reached the lifetime limitations set forth in this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 30, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Feb 23, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 13, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 13, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Feb 13, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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.
- **Feb 13, 2009:** Referred to House Education and Labor