

HR 1213

Screening Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms Very Efficiently Act of 2009

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 2, 2009)

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Sponsor

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| Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9] | D · NJ | | Jul 7, 2009 |
| Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-7] | R · LA | | Jul 13, 2009 |
| Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7] | D · PA | | Sep 14, 2009 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Mar 2, 2009 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | Feb 26, 2009 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 26, 2009)

Screening Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms Very Efficiently Act of 2009 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act with respect to Medicare coverage of ultrasound screening for abdominal aortic aneurysms.

Repeals the prerequisite of a referral resulting from an initial preventive physical exam.

Replaces such requirement with one requiring that the individual receiving the ultrasound screening be between the ages of 65 and 75.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 2, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 26, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 26, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Feb 26, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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 26, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means