

S 1423

Medicaid Birth Center Reimbursement Act

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jul 9, 2009)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		Jul 9, 2009
Sen. Corker, Bob [R-TN]	R · TN		Aug 6, 2009
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Oct 27, 2009
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Dec 3, 2009

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 9, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 3590	Related bill	Mar 23, 2010: Became Public Law No: 111-148.
111 HR 2358	Identical bill	May 13, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jul 9, 2009)

Medicaid Birth Center Reimbursement Act - Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to authorize coverage under the Medicaid program for services at a non-hospital freestanding birth center where childbirth is planned to occur away from the pregnant woman's residence.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 9, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 9, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7320-7321)
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