

HR 1501

Puerto Rico Medicare Reimbursement Equity Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** PR • **Chamber:** House

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 12, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 12, 2009)

Puerto Rico Medicare Reimbursement Equity Act of 2009 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to revise the formula for the Medicare inpatient hospital services payment rate for Puerto Rico hospitals to: (1) reduce the applicable Puerto Rico percentage from 25% to zero; and (2) increase the applicable federal percentage from 75% to 100%.

Actions Timeline

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