

## HR 2204

Medicare Access to Rural Anesthesiology Act of 2009

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Apr 30, 2009

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Apr 30, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/2204>

### Sponsor

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

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Rep. Akin, W. Todd [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Apr 30, 2009
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Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Jun 3, 2009
Rep. Gonzalez, Charles A. [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Jun 3, 2009
Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jun 3, 2009
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Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		May 12, 2010
Rep. Graves, Sam [R-MO-6]	R · MO		May 12, 2010
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		May 12, 2010
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jun 17, 2010
Rep. Ellsworth, Brad [D-IN-8]	D · IN		Jun 17, 2010
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-9]	R · MO		Jun 17, 2010
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Rep. Heller, Dean [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Sep 14, 2010

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 30, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Apr 30, 2009)

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Medicare Access to Rural Anesthesiology Act of 2009 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to provide payment under Medicare part A (Hospital Insurance) on a reasonable cost basis for anesthesia services furnished by a physician who is an anesthesiologist in certain rural hospitals in the same manner as payment is made for anesthesia services furnished by a certified registered nurse anesthetists in such hospitals.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 30, 2009:** Introduced in House
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