

HR 2413

Autism Treatment Acceleration Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

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Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-25]	D · TX		Jul 28, 2009
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2009
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Rep. Kildee, Dale E. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Nov 18, 2009
Rep. Ortiz, Solomon P. [D-TX-27]	D · TX		Nov 18, 2009
Rep. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Dec 16, 2009
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Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]	D · OH		Apr 28, 2010
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Jun 15, 2010
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Jun 15, 2010

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Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jun 15, 2010
Resident Commissioner Pierluisi, Pedro R. [D-PR-At Large]	D · PR		Jun 15, 2010
Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]	D · WV		Sep 29, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 8, 2009
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 11, 2009
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Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 15, 2009
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	May 14, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 819	Related bill	Apr 2, 2009: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4379-4385)

Autism Treatment Acceleration Act of 2009 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Administrator of the Health Resources and Services Administration, to implement an Autism Care Center Program to provide grants and other assistance to improve the effectiveness and efficiency in providing comprehensive care to individuals diagnosed with autism spectrum disorders and their families.

Directs the Secretary to award grants for: (1) services to enable adults with autism spectrum disorders to be as independent as possible; and (2) multimedia campaigns to increase public education and awareness and reduce stigma concerning such disorders.

Establishes the Interdepartmental Autism Coordinating Committee to coordinate all federal efforts concerning autism spectrum disorders.

Repeals provisions establishing the Interagency Autism Coordinating Committee to coordinate all efforts within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) concerning autism spectrum disorders.

Requires the Secretary to establish: (1) the National Network for Autism Spectrum Disorders Research and Services to provide resources for, and facilitate communication between, autism spectrum disorder researchers and service providers; and (2) a National Data Repository for Autism Spectrum Disorders Research and Services to facilitate the development and rapid dissemination of research into best practices that improve care.

Requires the Secretary to award national training initiative supplemental grants to address the unmet needs of individuals with autism spectrum disorders and their families.

Amends the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and the Public Health Service Act to require group health plans to provide coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorders. Applies such requirement to coverage offered in the individual market, under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program, and under Department of Defense (DOD) health benefit plans.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 11, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Jun 11, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Healthy Families and Communities.
- **Jun 11, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Jun 8, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **May 15, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 14, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **May 14, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **May 14, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, Oversight and Government Reform, and Armed Services, 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.
- **May 14, 2009:** Referred to House Education and Labor
- **May 14, 2009:** Referred to House Oversight and Government Reform
- **May 14, 2009:** Referred to House Armed Services