

## HR 2686

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a Medicare Advantage benchmark adjustment for certain local areas with VA medical centers and for certain contiguous areas.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jun 3, 2009

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 4, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/2686>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Jun 3, 2009

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 4, 2009
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 3, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jun 3, 2009)

Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to provide for a Medicare Advantage benchmark adjustment for certain local areas with Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) medical centers and for certain contiguous areas.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 4, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 3, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 3, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Jun 3, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **Jun 3, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce