

HR 2959

Accountable Care Promotion Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 19, 2009)

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Sponsor

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

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| Rep. Tanner, John S. [D-TN-8] | D · TN | | Jun 18, 2009 |
| Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-1] | D · CA | | Jun 18, 2009 |
| Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8] | D · MD | | Jun 18, 2009 |
| Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3] | D · KY | | Jun 18, 2009 |
| Rep. Etheridge, Bob [D-NC-2] | D · NC | | Jun 24, 2009 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Jun 19, 2009 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | Jun 18, 2009 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 18, 2009)

Accountable Care Promotion Act of 2009 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to conduct a pilot program to test different payment incentive models designed to reduce the growth of expenditures and improve health outcomes in the provision to beneficiaries of items and services by qualifying accountable care organizations (ACOs) of physicians.

Specifies among payment incentive models a performance target model and a partial capitation model. Allows the Secretary to develop other models.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 19, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 18, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 18, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Jun 18, 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 18, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce