

HR 2978

To amend title 5, United States Code, to increase the maximum age to qualify for coverage as a "child" under the health benefits program for Federal employees.

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5179	Related bill	Jul 20, 2010: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Post Office, and the District of Columbia.
111 HR 5200	Related bill	May 25, 2010: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Post Office, and the District of Columbia.

Includes an unmarried dependent child who is under 25 years of age (currently, under age 22) or incapable of self-support because of a mental or physical disability that existed before age 25 (currently, before age 22) as a member of a federal employee's family who is eligible for coverage under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program.

Actions Timeline

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