

## S 3028

### Medicare Mental Health Inpatient Equity Act

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 24, 2010

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Feb 24, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/3028>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Feb 24, 2010
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Mar 4, 2010
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Mar 15, 2010

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 24, 2010

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 6143	Identical bill	<b>Sep 15, 2010:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

### Summary (as of Feb 24, 2010)

Medicare Mental Health Inpatient Equity Act - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to eliminate the 190-day lifetime limit on inpatient psychiatric hospital services.

### Actions Timeline

- **Feb 24, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 24, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S744)
- **Feb 24, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.