

HR 4020

Guaranteed Access to Health Insurance Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Nov 5, 2009)

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Committee Activity

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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Nov 5, 2009 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 4, 2009)

Guaranteed Access to Health Insurance Act of 2009 - Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to provide grants to states that adopt a program that provides reinsurance for health insurance coverage or a high risk pool to mitigate the health care costs of high risk individuals in such states. Limits participation in such reinsurance programs or high risk pools to citizens and nationals of the United States.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 5, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 4, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 4, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.