

## HR 4062

### Veterans' Health and Radiation Safety Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	May 27, 2010

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 3330	Related bill	May 19, 2010: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 111-623.

Veterans' Health and Radiation Safety Act - Requires the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to report annually to Congress on the low-volume (treating 100 patients or fewer) programs at each medical facility of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).

Directs the Secretary to ensure that all employees at a VA hospital where radioactive isotopes are used in the administration of medical services receive appropriate training on what constitutes a medical event and when and to whom a medical event should be reported. Prohibits such isotopes from being used at a VA hospital where such training is not provided.

Requires the Secretary to carry out specified evaluations and peer reviews of all medical services provided under contract with a non-government entity.

#### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 27, 2010:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Nov 13, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 7, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 7, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.