

S 408

Wakefield Act

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 10, 2009

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2084) (Feb 10, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/408>

Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]

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

Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 10, 2009
Sen. Conrad, Kent [D-ND]	D · ND		Feb 10, 2009
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		Feb 10, 2009
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	R · UT		Feb 10, 2009
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 10, 2009
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Apr 1, 2009
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Apr 21, 2009
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Apr 21, 2009
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		May 13, 2009
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		May 19, 2009
Sen. Hagan, Kay R. [D-NC]	D · NC		Feb 24, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 10, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 479	Identical bill	<b>Mar 31, 2009:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Wakefield Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to: (1) extend by one year the length of time for which a grant may be awarded under the emergency medical services for children grant program, which allows the Secretary of Health and Human Services to make grants to states or schools of medicine to support projects to expand and improve emergency medical services for children who need treatment for trauma or critical care; and (2) authorize appropriations for such grant program for FY2010-FY2014.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 10, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 10, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2084)
- **Feb 10, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2084)