

HR 449

Health Care for America's Heroes Act

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jan 16, 2009)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 16, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary

(as of Jan 9, 2009)

Health Care for America's Heroes Act - Makes eligible for health care under the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) patient enrollment system veterans with incomes not exceeding 200% of the maximum for treatment as a low-income family. (Currently, only veterans with incomes not exceeding the maximum for treatment as a low-income family are so eligible.)

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 16, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 9, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 9, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.