

HR 4563

Cancer Screening Coverage Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 24, 2010)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Richardson, Laura [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 22, 2010
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 9, 2010
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Mar 11, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 23, 2010
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 3, 2010
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 2, 2010
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 24, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Cancer Screening Coverage Act of 2009 - Amends the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and the Internal Revenue Code to require a group health plan to provide coverage for certain types of cancer screening. Includes under such coverage mammograms, clinical breast examinations, pap tests and pelvic examinations, colorectal screening procedures, and prostate screening tests, at specified intervals and through specified procedures for certain age groups in appropriate genders.

Prohibits related eligibility discrimination, monetary incentives to individuals, and penalties or incentives to providers.

Requires such plans and issuers to provide certain disclosures to participants and beneficiaries, including regarding covered benefits, cost sharing, and participating providers.

Applies the requirements of this Act to coverage offered in the individual market and under the federal employees health benefits plan.

Authorizes the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to modify coverage requirements under this Act to incorporate new scientific and technological advances, practice pattern changes, or other updated medical practices regarding cancer screening.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 24, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Feb 3, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E118-119)
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, Ways and Means, and Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Referred to House Education and Labor
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Feb 2, 2010:** Referred to House Oversight and Government Reform