

HR 5768

To amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the waiver of the collection of copayments for telehealth and telemedicine visits of veterans, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Jul 15, 2010

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 16, 2010)

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Sponsor

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

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 16, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 3325	Identical bill	<b>Sep 2, 2010:</b> Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 557.

Summary (as of Jul 15, 2010)

Authorizes the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (VA) to waive the imposition or collection of copayments for telehealth and telemedicine visits of veterans.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 16, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.