

HR 6074

Enhancing Quality through Survey System Improvements Act of 2010

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (1 total)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 30, 2010
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 30, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Enhancing Quality through Survey System Improvements Act of 2010 - Amends titles XVIII (Medicare) and XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to revise requirements for the review by the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) of state procedures for scheduling and conducting standard skilled nursing facility (SNF) surveys. Authorizes the Secretary to review the SNF survey procedures of contractors other than a state.

Makes each top tier SNF and nursing facility subject to a complete on-site standard survey at specified three-year intervals.

Requires each state to implement programs to measure and reduce inconsistency in the application of survey results (including the results of both health surveys and life safety surveys) among surveyors.

Lists the circumstances for special compliance surveys.

Requires any funds collected by a state as an administrative civil monetary penalty to be used for the development of acuity adjusters that will provide more accurate information to the public, SNFs, nursing facilities, and their residents about the quality of care provided by each such facility.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 30, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce