

HR 870

Medicare Medically Necessary Dental Care Act of 2009

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Feb 4, 2009

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 9, 2009)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]

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

Cosponsors (17 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bono Mack, Mary [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Sullivan, John [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Whitfield, Ed [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Boucher, Rick [D-VA-9]	D · VA		Feb 10, 2009
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Feb 10, 2009
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Feb 10, 2009
Rep. Gordon, Bart [D-TN-6]	D · TN		Feb 10, 2009
Rep. Massa, Eric J. J. [D-NY-29]	D · NY		Feb 10, 2009
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Feb 12, 2009
Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Feb 26, 2009
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Mar 5, 2009
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Apr 1, 2009
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-12]	D · MI		May 7, 2009
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 7, 2009
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		May 7, 2009
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-11]	D · FL		May 14, 2009

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 9, 2009
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 4, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 4, 2009)

Medicare Medically Necessary Dental Care Act of 2009 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage under part B (Supplementary Medical Insurance) of medically necessary dental procedures.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 9, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 4, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 4, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Feb 4, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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 4, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means