

HR 2190

Medicare Drug Savings Act of 2011

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Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 23, 2011)

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Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Sep 8, 2011
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jan 24, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 22, 2011
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 23, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1206	Identical bill	Jun 15, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jun 15, 2011)

Medicare Drug Savings Act of 2011 - Amends part D (Voluntary Prescription Drug Benefit Program) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act (SSA) to require drug manufacturers to pay the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) drug rebates for rebate eligible (low-income) individuals. Excludes from Medicare coverage as a part D drug any drug or biological manufactured by a manufacturer that has not entered into and have in effect a rebate agreement with the Secretary.

Requires a rebate agreement to require a drug or biological manufacturer to provide to the Secretary a rebate, determined according to a specified formula, for each rebate period ending after December 31, 2011, for any covered Medicare part D drug dispensed after that date to any rebate eligible individual for which payment was made by a prescription drug plan (PDP) sponsor or MedicareAdvantage (MA) organization for such period.

Specifies a formula for determination of Medicaid rebate amounts for such drugs or biologicals.

Amends SSA title XIX (Medicaid) to exclude any amounts paid under a rebate agreement from the determination of best price and average manufacturer price under the Medicaid program.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 23, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 15, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 15, 2011:** 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.

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