

HR 2510

Breast Cancer Recovery Improvement Act

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jul 13, 2011

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 20, 2011)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/2510>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

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| Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8] | R · PA | | Jul 13, 2011 |
| Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29] | D · TX | | Jul 13, 2011 |
| Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4] | D · WI | | Aug 1, 2011 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Jul 15, 2011 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred to | Jul 20, 2011 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 13, 2011)

Breast Cancer Recovery Improvement Act - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) to require payment for post-mastectomy external breast prosthesis garments regardless of whether such items are supplied to the beneficiary before or after the mastectomy or other breast cancer surgical procedure.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to develop policies to ensure appropriate beneficiary access and utilization safeguards for such items.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 20, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 15, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 13, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 13, 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.