

HR 3790

Improving Cancer Treatment Education Act of 2012

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Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Dec 12, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 20, 2012
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 20, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3622	Related bill	Dec 13, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jan 18, 2012)

Improving Cancer Treatment Education Act of 2012 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act, as amended by the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act of 2008, to provide for Medicare coverage of comprehensive cancer patient treatment education services.

Expresses the sense of Congress with respect to continued support by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) in the area of symptom management and the role of nurses in providing those interventions.

Amends the Public Health Service Act to direct the NIH Director to expand, intensify, and coordinate programs for the conduct and support of research with respect to: (1) improving the treatment and management of symptoms and side effects associated with cancer and cancer treatment, and (2) evaluating the role of nursing interventions in the amelioration of such symptoms and side effects.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 20, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 18, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 18, 2012:** 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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