

## HR 383

### Menopausal Hormone Replacement Therapies and Alternative Treatments and Fairness Act of 2011

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jan 20, 2011

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 25, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/383>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 25, 2011
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 1, 2011
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2011
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 25, 2011
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 27, 2011

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Menopausal Hormone Replacement Therapies and Alternative Treatments and Fairness Act of 2011 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act (SSA) to cover hormone replacement therapy for menopausal symptoms and alternative treatments for such therapy. Amends SSA title XIX (Medicaid) to cover alternative treatments for hormone replacement therapy for menopausal symptoms.

Requires coverage of hormone replacement therapy for menopausal symptoms and alternative treatments for such therapy on the same basis as outpatient prescription drugs under: (1) the Public Health Service Act and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) (group health plans and group and individual health insurance); (2) the Internal Revenue Code (group health plans); and (3) federal employee health benefit plans.

Includes alternative treatments for hormone replacement therapy for menopausal symptoms under veterans' benefits.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 25, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Feb 25, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 8, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, U.S. Postal Service, and Labor Policy .
- **Feb 1, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 27, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and the Workforce, Oversight and Government Reform, and Veterans' Affairs, 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.