

## HR 4384

### Patient Safety and Drug Labeling Improvement Act

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Apr 18, 2012

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 20, 2012)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/4384>

### Sponsor

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MD • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 20, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 2295	Related bill	<b>Apr 18, 2012:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2498)

### Summary (as of Apr 18, 2012)

Patient Safety and Drug Labeling Improvement Act - Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to allow the holder of an approved abbreviated new drug application (generic drug approval) to change the labeling of a drug so approved in the same manner authorized by regulation for the holder of an approved new drug application.

Allows conforming changes to be ordered to the labeling of the equivalent listed drug and each drug approved under the abbreviated new drug application process that corresponds to such listed drug.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 20, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 18, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 18, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.