

HR 4470

Routine HIV Screening Coverage Act of 2012

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 26, 2012
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 20, 2012
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 19, 2012
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 26, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 19, 2012)

Routine HIV Screening Coverage Act of 2012 - Amends the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA), and the Internal Revenue Code to require group health plans and health insurance issuers offering group or individual health insurance coverage to provide coverage for routine HIV screening under terms and conditions no less favorable than for other routine preventive health services. Prohibits such a plan from taking specified actions to avoid the requirements of this Act.

Requires inclusion of a notice of such screening coverage in the uniform summary of benefits and coverage explanation provided by the group health plan or health insurance issuer.

Defines "routine HIV screening" as having the meaning given the term by the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) after consultation with the the Office of National AIDS Policy, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), health care professionals, and other qualified individuals.

Applies requirements of this Act to health insurance coverage offered under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 26, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Apr 26, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 20, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 19, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 19, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and the Workforce, and Oversight and Government Reform, 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.