

## HR 6342

Compassionate Freedom of Choice Act of 2012

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Aug 2, 2012

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Aug 3, 2012)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/6342>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Broun, Paul C. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Aug 2, 2012
Rep. Hanna, Richard L. [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Aug 2, 2012
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Sep 11, 2012
Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]	R · VA		Sep 20, 2012

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 3, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

Compassionate Freedom of Choice Act of 2012 - Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to declare that nothing in it or in the Public Health Service Act shall prevent or restrict, and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) shall not implement or enforce any law to prevent or restrict, the importation, distribution, or sale of investigational drugs or devices for terminally ill patients.

Prohibits the FDA Commissioner from requiring the disclosure, collection, or reporting of certain information concerning such drugs or devices, except that the sponsor of a clinical trial may voluntarily disclose, collect, or report such information to the FDA.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Aug 3, 2012:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1407-1409)
- **Aug 3, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.