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Physical Therapist Student Loan Repayment Eligibility Act of 2011

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 12, 2011
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		May 12, 2011
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Jun 13, 2011
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Jun 14, 2011
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jul 21, 2011
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Apr 23, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 12, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 1426	Identical bill	Apr 11, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of May 12, 2011)

Physical Therapist Student Loan Repayment Eligibility Act of 2011 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to include physical therapy within the definition of "primary health services" for purposes of the National Health Service Corps. Makes physical therapists eligible for repayment of their educational loans in order to ensure an adequate supply of physical therapists.

Actions Timeline

- **May 12, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
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