

HR 1037

Occupational Therapy in Mental Health Act

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Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 8, 2013)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 4574	Related bill	Jul 21, 2014: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
113 S 1815	Identical bill	Dec 12, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Mar 7, 2013)

Occupational Therapy in Mental Health Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to include occupational therapists within the definition of "behavioral and mental health professionals" for purposes of the National Health Service Corps.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 8, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 7, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 7, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.