

## HR 1263

### Excellence in Mental Health Act

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**Policy Area:** Health

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 22, 2013

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 264	Related bill	Feb 7, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
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## Summary (as of Mar 19, 2013)

Excellence in Mental Health Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to set forth criteria for the certification of federally-qualified community behavioral health centers. Limits such a certification to five years, but requires the Administrator of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to provide an opportunity for recertification at the end of each certification period.

Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to make such centers eligible for payments for services under Medicaid.

Amends the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to award matching grants to states or Indian tribes to expend funds for the construction or modernization of facilities used to provide community-based mental health and substance abuse services to individuals.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 22, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 19, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 19, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.