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Occupational Therapy in Mental Health Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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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 HR 1037	Identical bill	**Mar 8, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Dec 12, 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

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