

## HR 3387

### Classified Veterans Access to Care Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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Rep. Kirkpatrick, Ann [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Oct 30, 2013
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	R · PA		Oct 30, 2013
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Nov 20, 2013
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Apr 29, 2014
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Sep 16, 2014

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Mar 27, 2014

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Classified Veterans Access to Care Act - Requires the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (VA) to: (1) establish standards and procedures to ensure that a veteran who participated in a classified mission or served in a sensitive unit while in the Armed Forces may access mental health care provided by the VA in a manner that fully accommodates the veteran's obligation to not improperly disclose classified information; (2) disseminate guidance to employees of the Veterans Health Administration, including mental health professionals, on such standards and procedures and on how to best engage such veterans during the course of mental health treatment with respect to classified information; and (3) ensure that an individual may elect to identify as such a veteran on an appropriate form.

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### **Actions Timeline**

- **Mar 27, 2014:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Nov 12, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 30, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 30, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.