

## HR 3832

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to modify the surety bond requirement applicable to home health agencies as a condition of participation under Medicare.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jan 9, 2014

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jan 10, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/3832>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 10, 2014
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 9, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jan 9, 2014)

Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act with respect to home health agencies to revise surety bond condition of participation requirements to: (1) repeal the requirement for a four-year bond, and (2) require that any surety bond be at least \$50,000.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 10, 2014:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 9, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 9, 2014:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E37)
- **Jan 9, 2014:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.