

## HR 3975

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage for low vision devices under Medicare, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jan 29, 2014

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. (Jan 29, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/3975>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Owens, William L. [D-NY-21]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 29, 2014
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 29, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jan 29, 2014)

Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act (SSA) to cover low vision devices under Medicare.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 29, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 29, 2014:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.