

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)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| 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
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