

## HR 5323

Medical Leave for Veterans Act of 2014

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**Chamber:** House

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

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**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (Jul 31, 2014)

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Jul 31, 2014
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jul 31, 2014
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jul 31, 2014
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Sep 15, 2014
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Sep 18, 2014

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 31, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 3001	Related bill	<b>Dec 11, 2014:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
113 HR 5229	Related bill	<b>Sep 17, 2014:</b> Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.

Medical Leave for Veterans Act of 2014 - Directs the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (VA) to issue regulations to entitle any federal employee who is a veteran with a service-connected disability rated at 30% or more, during the 12-month period beginning on the first day of employment, to up to 104 hours of leave, without loss or reduction in pay, for purposes of undergoing medical treatment for such disability for which sick leave could regularly be used. Requires the forfeiture of any such leave that is not used during such 12-month period.

Requires such employee to submit to the Secretary certification that such employee used such leave for purposes of being furnished treatment for such disability by a health care provider. .

### **Actions Timeline**

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