

HR 79

Medicaid Payment Fairness to the Territories Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jan 3, 2013

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jan 4, 2013)

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Committee Activity

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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Jan 4, 2013 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 3, 2013)

Medicaid Payment Fairness to the Territories Act of 2013 - Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to tie the federal medical assistance percentage (FMAP) for Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, and American Samoa, beginning in FY2014, to the highest FMAP applicable to any of the 50 states for the fiscal year involved.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 4, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 3, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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