

HR 991

CT Colonography Screening for Colorectal Cancer Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: TX • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Mar 6, 2013
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		May 7, 2013
Rep. Crenshaw, Ander [R-FL-4]	R · FL		May 8, 2013
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Jul 9, 2013
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Jul 22, 2013

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2013
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 12, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

CT Colonography Screening for Colorectal Cancer Act of 2013 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to: (1) provide Medicare coverage for screening computed tomography colonography (CTC) as a colorectal cancer (CRC) screening test, and (2) exclude screening CTC from the meaning of "imaging services" for which there is a special rule regarding outpatient services department (OPD) fee schedule payments.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to submit a preliminary report to Congress on the status of coverage of CTC as a CRC screening test under Medicare, including the extent to which such coverage as required by this Act has been implemented.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 12, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 8, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 6, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 6, 2013:** 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.