

## HR 1547

### Family Health Care Flexibility Act

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Mar 23, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 7, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/1547>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** House

## Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Walters, Mimi [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3]	R · KS		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Mar 24, 2015
Rep. Rothfus, Keith J. [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Mar 24, 2015
Rep. Frelinghuysen, Rodney P. [R-NJ-11]	R · NJ		Apr 15, 2015
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Jun 1, 2015

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 7, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 6019	Related bill	<b>Sep 19, 2016:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
114 S 3297	Related bill	<b>Sep 8, 2016:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 619.
114 S 3251	Related bill	<b>Jul 14, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 HR 3006	Related bill	<b>Jul 9, 2015:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
114 S 836	Identical bill	<b>Mar 23, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Mar 23, 2015)

### Family Health Care Flexibility Act

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to repeal provisions added by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act that: (1) restrict payments from health savings accounts, Archer medical savings accounts, and health flexible spending and reimbursement arrangements for medications to prescription drugs and insulin only (thus allowing payments for over-the-counter medications); and (2) impose a \$2,500 limitation on salary reduction contributions to a health flexible spending arrangement under a cafeteria plan.

### Actions Timeline

- **Apr 7, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 23, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 23, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1835)
- **Mar 23, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.