

## HR 3520

### Pulmonary Hypertension Research and Diagnosis Act of 2015

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**Chamber:** House

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Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		May 31, 2016
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 18, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **Pulmonary Hypertension Research and Diagnosis Act of 2015**

This bill amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to establish the Interagency Pulmonary Hypertension Coordinating Committee. The committee must monitor research and annually summarize research and medical advances regarding pulmonary hypertension.

The committee must develop a comprehensive strategic plan to improve health outcomes for individuals with pulmonary hypertension. The plan must include recommendations regarding pulmonary hypertension diagnosis, research, transplantation criteria, public awareness, and health care delivery.

HHS must report on activities related to improving health outcomes for individuals with pulmonary hypertension. The report must include information regarding pulmonary hypertension epidemiology, treatment, support available to individuals, and research.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 18, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 16, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 16, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.