

HR 4499

PROP Act of 2016

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Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]

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

Cosponsors (44 total)

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Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Guinta, Frank C. [R-NH-1]	R · NH		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Rogers, Harold [R-KY-5]	R · KY		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 9, 2016
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Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Feb 25, 2016
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Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Feb 26, 2016
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Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Feb 29, 2016
Rep. Dold, Robert J. [R-IL-10]	R · IL		Mar 2, 2016
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Mar 2, 2016
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Mar 7, 2016
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Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Apr 11, 2016
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Apr 11, 2016
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Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Apr 12, 2016
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Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Apr 13, 2016
Rep. Donovan, Daniel M., Jr. [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Apr 13, 2016
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Apr 14, 2016
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Apr 19, 2016
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Apr 21, 2016
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Apr 21, 2016
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		May 6, 2016
Rep. Meehan, Patrick [R-PA-7]	R · PA		May 12, 2016
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		May 13, 2016
Rep. Esty, Elizabeth H. [D-CT-5]	D · CT		May 16, 2016
Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]	R · GA		May 17, 2016
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Jun 9, 2016
Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Jun 13, 2016
Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jun 13, 2016

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Jun 22, 2016
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Jul 1, 2016
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Sep 6, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 11, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2758	Related bill	Apr 7, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Feb 9, 2016)

Promoting Responsible Opioid Prescribing Act of 2016 or the PROP Act of 2016

This bill amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to exclude certain pain-related measures for purposes of calculating incentive payments under the value-based purchasing program (VBP). (VBP is a program that links hospital payments to the quality of care provided.)

Specifically, VPB measures shall not include measures based on a patient's assessment of: (1) the patient's need for pain medicine during a hospital stay; (2) how often, during the stay, the patient's pain was well controlled; or (3) how often, during the stay, hospital staff did everything they could to help manage the patient's pain.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 11, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 9, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 9, 2016:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H658-659)
- **Feb 9, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.