

## S 453

### Veteran Emergency Medical Technician Support Act of 2015

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 11, 2015

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Feb 11, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/453>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** Senate

## Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		May 21, 2015
Sen. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL]	R · IL		Jun 15, 2015
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 17, 2016
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Apr 20, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 11, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 1818	Identical bill	May 16, 2016: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## Summary (as of Feb 11, 2015)

### Veteran Emergency Medical Technician Support Act of 2015

Amends the Public Health Service Act to direct the Department of Health and Human Services to establish a demonstration program for states with a shortage of emergency medical technicians (EMTs) to streamline state requirements and procedures to assist veterans who completed military EMT training to meet state EMT certification, licensure, and other requirements.

## **Actions Timeline**

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