

HR 4614

Medicare Access to Radiology Care Act of 2016

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Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 1, 2016)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (36 total)

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Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Feb 25, 2016
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Feb 25, 2016
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Feb 25, 2016
Rep. Reichert, David G. [R-WA-8]	R · WA		Feb 25, 2016
Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Feb 29, 2016
Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Mar 3, 2016
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Mar 17, 2016
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Mar 17, 2016
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Apr 11, 2016
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Apr 11, 2016
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	R · PA		Apr 11, 2016
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Apr 11, 2016
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Apr 15, 2016
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Apr 15, 2016
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. Westerman, Bruce [R-AR-4]	R · AR		May 16, 2016
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		May 23, 2016
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		May 24, 2016
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jun 15, 2016
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Jun 22, 2016
Rep. Young, Todd [R-IN-9]	R · IN		Jul 11, 2016
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Jul 13, 2016
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Long, Billy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Graves, Sam [R-MO-6]	R · MO		Jul 25, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 26, 2016
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 1, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2940	Identical bill	May 17, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Feb 25, 2016)

Medicare Access to Radiology Care Act of 2016

This bill amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to revise physician supervision requirements under the Medicare program for radiology services performed by advanced level radiographers. Specifically, with respect to a state that has established such requirements for those services, the bill aligns Medicare's requirements with state requirements.

An "advanced level radiographer" is a radiographer who has obtained specified certification from either the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists or the Certification Board for Radiology Practitioner Assistants.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 1, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 26, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 25, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 25, 2016:** 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.