

## HR 4627

### Medicaid Expansion Parity Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 26, 2016)

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## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

## Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 26, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2787	Related bill	Apr 13, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 HR 4807	Related bill	Mar 18, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
114 HR 4588	Related bill	Feb 26, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

## **Medicaid Expansion Parity Act of 2016**

This bill amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to provide the enhanced federal medical assistance percentage (FMAP) to every state that expands Medicaid coverage for individuals who are newly eligible under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, regardless of when such expansion takes place.

Under current law, the enhanced FMAP is equivalent to 100% in 2014 through 2016, 95% in 2017, 94% in 2018, 93% in 2019, and 90% thereafter. The bill retains this enhanced FMAP, but bases it on a term of years rather than on specific dates.

The bill applies retroactively.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 26, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 25, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 25, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.