

HR 5068

HHS Data Protection Act

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 29, 2016)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 29, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 26, 2016)

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This bill amends the Public Health Service Act to create the position of Chief Information Security Officer of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) in the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration and transfer to this position the functions, personnel, assets, and liabilities of the Chief Information Security Officer in the Office of the Chief Information Officer of HHS. The Chief Information Security Officer is appointed by the President.

HHS must report on the Chief Information Security Officer's plan to oversee and coordinate information security programs and the steps being taken in each division to implement the plan.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 29, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.