

## HR 5095

Prescriber Support Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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### Sponsor

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Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jun 28, 2016
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Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Jul 13, 2016
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Jul 14, 2016

### Committee Activity

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

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Prescriber Support Act of 2016

This bill amends the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to award grants to states for systems that help prescribers: (1) treat and manage patient pain; and (2) prevent, identify, and respond to patient substance misuse and substance abuse disorders. In awarding grants, HHS must give priority to states with the greatest need.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 29, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 28, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 28, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.