

## HR 572

Veterans Access to Community Care Act of 2015

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 6, 2015)

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Rep. Delaney, John K. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Dec 6, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 6, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 577	Related bill	<b>Feb 6, 2015:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
114 S 207	Identical bill	<b>Jan 21, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

## Summary (as of Jan 27, 2015)

### Veterans Access to Community Care Act of 2015

Directs the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (VA) to use the Secretary's existing authority to furnish health care to veterans at non-VA facilities to provide health care at non-VA facilities to veterans who reside more than 40 miles driving distance from the closest VA medical facility providing the care they seek.

### Actions Timeline

- **Feb 6, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 27, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 27, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.