

HR 5880

To amend title II of the Social Security Act to prohibit inclusion of Social Security account numbers on Medicare cards, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security. (Aug 2, 2016)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 2, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 2	Related bill	Apr 16, 2015: Became Public Law No: 114-10.
114 HR 1021	Related bill	Mar 19, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
114 HR 380	Related bill	Feb 27, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jul 14, 2016)

This bill amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act to direct the Department of Health and Human Services to establish cost-effective procedures to ensure that a Social Security account number (or a derivative) is not displayed, coded, or embedded on a Medicare card issued to an individual entitled to benefits under part A (Hospital Insurance) or part B (Supplementary Medical Insurance) of title XVIII (Medicare) of that Act, and that any other identifier displayed on the card is not identifiable as such an account number.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 2, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Jul 14, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 14, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.