

## S 836

### Family Health Care Flexibility Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Mar 23, 2015

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 23, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/836>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** WY • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Ayotte, Kelly [R-NH]	R · NH		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 23, 2015
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		May 19, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 23, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 6019	Related bill	Sep 19, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
114 S 3297	Related bill	Sep 8, 2016: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 619.
114 S 3251	Related bill	Jul 14, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 HR 3006	Related bill	Jul 9, 2015: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
114 HR 2207	Related bill	May 1, 2015: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
114 HR 1547	Identical bill	Apr 7, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Summary** (as of Mar 23, 2015)

## Family Health Care Flexibility Act

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to repeal provisions added by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act that: (1) restrict payments from health savings accounts, Archer medical savings accounts, and health flexible spending and reimbursement arrangements for medications to prescription drugs and insulin only (thus allowing payments for over-the-counter medications); and (2) impose a \$2,500 limitation on salary reduction contributions to a health flexible spending arrangement under a cafeteria plan.

## Actions Timeline

- Mar 23, 2015: Introduced in Senate
- Mar 23, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.