

HR 1121

Pre-existing Conditions Protection Act of 2017

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]

Party: Republican • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (81 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Abraham, Ralph Lee [R-LA-5]	R · LA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Bishop, Mike [R-MI-8]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Denham, Jeff [R-CA-10]	R · CA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Donovan, Daniel M., Jr. [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Herrera Beutler, Jaime [R-WA-3]	R · WA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-3]	R · PA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Knight, Stephen [R-CA-25]	R · CA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Mitchell, Paul [R-MI-10]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	R · PA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Poliquin, Bruce [R-ME-2]	R · ME		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Reichert, David G. [R-WA-8]	R · WA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39]	R · CA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Shuster, Bill [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Tiberi, Patrick J. [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Walters, Mimi [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Feb 16, 2017

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Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Feb 21, 2017
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Feb 21, 2017
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Feb 21, 2017
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Feb 21, 2017
Rep. Young, David [R-IA-3]	R · IA		Feb 21, 2017
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Feb 24, 2017
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Feb 24, 2017
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Feb 24, 2017
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Feb 24, 2017
Rep. Faso, John J. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Frelinghuysen, Rodney P. [R-NJ-11]	R · NJ		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22]	R · NY		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Trott, David A. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. Jenkins, Evan H. [R-WV-3]	R · WV		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. LaHood, Darin [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Mar 7, 2017
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Mar 7, 2017
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Apr 4, 2017
Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Apr 6, 2017
Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-10]	R · OH		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]	R · IL		Aug 24, 2018
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Sep 12, 2018
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Gianforte, Greg [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Handel, Karen C. [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. MacArthur, Thomas [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3]	R · KS		Sep 13, 2018
Rep. Culberson, John Abney [R-TX-7]	R · TX		Oct 5, 2018
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Oct 5, 2018
Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Oct 9, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 16, 2017
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 16, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 628	Related bill	Jan 24, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Summary (as of Feb 16, 2017)

Pre-existing Conditions Protection Act of 2017

This bill sets forth amendments that would take effect in the case of the repeal of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) and the health care provisions of the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 and the restoration of the provisions amended by those provisions.

If the amendments take effect, the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and Internal Revenue Code are revised to maintain PPACA consumer protections. Specifically, the bill would maintain the:

- requirement for health insurance to cover preexisting conditions,
- requirement for health insurers to accept every employer and every individual applying for coverage,
- prohibition against health insurers discriminating against individuals based on health status factors,
- prohibition against collecting genetic information in connection with issuing health insurance, and
- requirements for workplace wellness programs connected to health insurance.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.