

## HR 180

To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to eliminate the requirement for 3 months of retroactive coverage under the Medicaid program.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jan 3, 2017

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jan 25, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/180>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK-2]

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 25, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1628	Related bill	<b>Jul 28, 2017:</b> Returned to the Calendar. Calendar No. 120.

### Summary (as of Jan 3, 2017)

This bill amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to eliminate the requirement for up to three months of retroactive coverage under Medicaid.

Under current law, a state Medicaid program must provide coverage for up to three months prior to an individual's application for benefits if the individual would have been eligible for benefits during that period. The bill eliminates this requirement and instead specifies that coverage begins in the month during which the individual applies for benefits.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 25, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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