

## HR 2445

DATA Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** May 16, 2017

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (May 19, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/2445>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Jul 11, 2017
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Sep 11, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 19, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 16, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of May 16, 2017)

#### DMEPOS Access and Transparency Act of 2017 or the DATA Act of 2017

This bill directs the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to implement prior-authorization processes under the Medicare program for certain medical equipment, prosthetics, orthotics, supplies, and services.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 19, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 16, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **May 16, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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.

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