

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

- **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.