

HR 2758

SOS Act

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 26, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1507	Related bill	Mar 27, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Survey Our Servicemembers Act or the SOS Act

This bill directs the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to contract with an experienced non-government entity to conduct an annual survey, over a five-year period, to determine the experiences of veterans in obtaining hospital care and medical services at each VA medical facility.

Those surveys shall include questions relating to:

- the factors considered by the veteran in choosing whether to receive hospital care or medical services at a VA facility or at a non-VA facility,
- the quality of hospital care or medical services received at non-VA facilities, and
- the differences in cost to the veteran of receiving care or services at VA or at non-VA facilities.

The VA shall make the survey results publicly available on its website.

Actions Timeline

- **May 26, 2017:** Introduced in House
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