

HR 4006

Community-Based Independence for Seniors Act of 2017

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Sponsor

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Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Nov 15, 2017
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Nov 15, 2017
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Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Nov 29, 2017
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Nov 29, 2017
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Nov 29, 2017
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Nov 29, 2017
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Dec 7, 2017
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Dec 11, 2017
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Dec 19, 2017
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jan 8, 2018
Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Feb 5, 2018
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Feb 13, 2018
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Apr 11, 2018
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Apr 24, 2018
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		May 8, 2018
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		May 23, 2018
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		May 23, 2018
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jun 28, 2018
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-3]	R · PA		Jun 29, 2018
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Knight, Stephen [R-CA-25]	R · CA		Sep 6, 2018
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Sep 26, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 13, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 11, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 11, 2017)

Community-Based Independence for Seniors Act of 2017

This bill amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to establish a Community-Based Institutional Special Needs Plan demonstration program through which up to five eligible Medicare Advantage (MA) organizations shall provide home and community-based care to eligible Medicare beneficiaries. For purposes of the demonstration program, an eligible Medicare beneficiary is ineligible for Medicaid and unable to perform two or more activities of daily living.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) shall establish payment rates for eligible MA plans under the demonstration program. Such payment rates are capped but shall be in addition to payments otherwise made to MA organizations with respect to such plans.

The CMS shall also: (1) help to educate eligible Medicare beneficiaries on the availability of the program, and (2) provide for program evaluation by an independent third party.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 13, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 11, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 11, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.