

HR 4245

Veterans' Electronic Health Record Modernization Oversight Act of 2017

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Nov 3, 2017

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (May 22, 2018)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/4245>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bergman, Jack [R-MI-1]	R · MI		Nov 3, 2017
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Nov 3, 2017
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Nov 3, 2017
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Jan 9, 2018
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Mar 5, 2018
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Mar 6, 2018
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Apr 24, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Discharged from	May 8, 2018
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 22, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 2063	Identical bill	Nov 2, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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(Sec. 2) This bill directs the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide Congress with:

- certain planning and implementation documents and contracts related to its Electronic Health Record Modernization program to implement an electronic health or medical record system to replace any or all of the Veterans Information Systems and Technology Architecture, the Computerized Patient Record System, the Joint Legacy Viewer, or the Enterprise Health Management Platform;
- quarterly updates of certain of such documents;
- copies of related contracts, orders, or agreements within 5 days; and
- notice within 10 days of delays of any milestone or deliverable exceeding 30 days, change requests exceeding \$1 million, protest submissions, data losses, or breaches of patient privacy.

Actions Timeline

- **May 22, 2018:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **May 21, 2018:** Reported by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H. Rept. 115-691.
- **May 21, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 534.
- **May 21, 2018:** Mr. Dunn moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **May 21, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4253-4254)
- **May 21, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4245.
- **May 21, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4253)
- **May 21, 2018:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4253)
- **May 21, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 8, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 8, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 8, 2018:** Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations Discharged.
- **Mar 7, 2018:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Nov 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 3, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **Nov 3, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations.