

## HR 4501

Combating the Opioid Epidemic Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Dec 1, 2017)

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### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Dec 5, 2017
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Feb 8, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 1, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Combating the Opioid Epidemic Act**

This bill amends the 21st Century Cures Act to provide additional funds through FY2027 for state grants to address the opioid abuse crisis.

The bill provides funds to the Department of Health and Human Services through FY2022 for state grants to conduct research on addiction and pain related to substance misuse.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Dec 1, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 30, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 30, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.