

## HR 4520

To provide for the extension of the enforcement instruction on supervision requirements for outpatient therapeutic services in critical access and small rural hospitals through 2017.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Dec 1, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Dec 8, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/4520>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** KS • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Loebssack, David [D-IA-2]	D · IA		Dec 1, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 8, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 1, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Dec 1, 2017)

This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services to continue to instruct Medicare contractors not to enforce requirements for direct physician supervision of outpatient therapeutic services in critical access and small rural hospitals through 2017.

### Actions Timeline

- **Dec 8, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Dec 1, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 1, 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.