

## HR 4808

Transparent Health Care Pricing Act of 2018

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jan 19, 2018)

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### Sponsor

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Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Jan 16, 2018
Rep. DeSantis, Ron [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Mar 6, 2018
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Apr 18, 2018
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Apr 26, 2018
Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Jun 26, 2018
Rep. Taylor, Scott [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Sep 4, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 19, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 2569	Related bill	<b>Jun 2, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

## **Transparent Health Care Pricing Act of 2018**

This bill requires entities that offer or furnish health care related products or services to the public to disclose the price for those products and services at the point of purchase and on the Internet. The entities must disclose all prices, including wholesale, retail, and discounted prices, that are accepted as payment in full for products and services furnished to individual consumers.

The Department of Health and Human Services may investigate and impose civil penalties on entities that fail to comply with this requirement.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 16, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 16, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.