

## S 482

PHIT Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Mar 1, 2017

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 1, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/482>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** SD • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		Mar 1, 2017
Sen. Donnelly, Joe [D-IN]	D · IN		Mar 1, 2017
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Mar 1, 2017
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 7, 2017
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Mar 9, 2017
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 28, 2017
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Mar 29, 2017
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Apr 24, 2017
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		May 2, 2017
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		May 22, 2017
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Sep 12, 2017
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Oct 3, 2017
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jan 16, 2018
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Feb 8, 2018
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Mar 12, 2018
Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV]	R · NV		Apr 23, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 1, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6312	Related bill	<b>Jul 19, 2018:</b> Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 655.
115 HR 1267	Related bill	<b>Mar 1, 2017:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

## Summary (as of Mar 1, 2017)

### Personal Health Investment Today Act of 2017 or the PHIT Act of 2017

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow a medical care tax deduction for up to \$1,000 (\$2,000 for a joint return or a head of household) of qualified sports and fitness expenses per year. The bill defines "qualified sports and fitness expenses" as amounts paid exclusively for the sole purpose of participating in a physical activity, including: (1) fitness facility memberships, (2) physical exercise or activity programs, and (3) equipment for a physical exercise or activity program.

### Actions Timeline

- **Mar 1, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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