

HR 5104

Medicare Enrollment Protection Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Feb 27, 2018

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 5, 2018)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2018
Rep. Curbelo, Carlos [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2018
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Feb 27, 2018
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Mar 5, 2018
Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Mar 5, 2018
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Mar 6, 2018
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Mar 6, 2018
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Mar 21, 2018
Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Mar 23, 2018
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Apr 5, 2018
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Apr 5, 2018
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		May 1, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 27, 2018
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 2, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 5, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1845	Related bill	Apr 12, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2018)

Medicare Enrollment Protection Act

This bill creates a special Medicare enrollment period for individuals enrolled in, or transitioning out of, continuation coverage under the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA).

The bill exempts such individuals from certain monthly premium increases associated with delaying Medicare coverage.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 5, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 2, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 27, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and the Workforce, 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.

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