

HR 5789

To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicaid coverage protections for pregnant and post-partum women while receiving inpatient treatment for a substance use disorder, and for other purposes.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		May 15, 2018
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		May 18, 2018
Rep. Herrera Beutler, Jaime [R-WA-3]	R · WA		May 24, 2018
Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		May 24, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported By	Jun 12, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6	Related bill	Oct 24, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-271.

Summary (as of Jun 12, 2018)

This bill requires the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to develop guidance for states on neonatal abstinence syndrome services, including coverage options under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP). The Government Accountability Office must also study Medicaid coverage gaps for pregnant and postpartum women with substance-use disorders.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 12, 2018:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 115-730.
- **Jun 12, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 565.
- **May 17, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 17, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **May 15, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **May 15, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.