

## HR 5942

Health Equity and Accountability Act of 2018

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		May 23, 2018
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Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		May 23, 2018
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Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		May 23, 2018
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		May 23, 2018
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		May 23, 2018
Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		May 23, 2018
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Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Hanabusa, Colleen [D-HI-1]	D · HI		May 23, 2018
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		May 23, 2018
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		May 23, 2018
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		May 23, 2018
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		May 23, 2018
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		May 23, 2018

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Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		May 23, 2018
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		May 23, 2018
Rep. Richmond, Cedric L. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		May 23, 2018
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Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		May 23, 2018
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		May 23, 2018
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		May 23, 2018
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		May 23, 2018
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Jun 5, 2018
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jun 5, 2018
Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Jun 5, 2018
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 5, 2018
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Jun 19, 2018
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Jun 19, 2018
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jun 19, 2018
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Sep 4, 2018
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Oct 19, 2018
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Oct 19, 2018
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Oct 19, 2018
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Oct 26, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2018
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	May 24, 2018
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2018
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 19, 2018
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Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2018
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2018
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 23, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1318	Related bill	<b>Dec 21, 2018:</b> Became Public Law No: 115-344.
115 S 2465	Related bill	<b>Dec 18, 2018:</b> Became Public Law No: 115-327.
115 S 3660	Related bill	<b>Nov 27, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
115 HR 1925	Related bill	<b>Jun 12, 2018:</b> Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 572.
115 HR 5423	Related bill	<b>Apr 2, 2018:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
115 HR 5161	Related bill	<b>Mar 9, 2018:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 2410	Related bill	<b>Feb 27, 2018:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
115 S 2259	Related bill	<b>Dec 20, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
115 HR 4418	Related bill	<b>Nov 17, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 3559	Related bill	<b>Aug 4, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 3602	Related bill	<b>Aug 4, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 S 1650	Related bill	<b>Jul 27, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
115 S 1653	Related bill	<b>Jul 27, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
115 HR 2982	Related bill	<b>Jun 23, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 2953	Related bill	<b>Jun 20, 2017:</b> Referred to the House Committee on the Budget.
115 HR 2913	Related bill	<b>Jun 16, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 2677	Related bill	<b>May 26, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 1882	Related bill	<b>Apr 26, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
115 S 845	Related bill	<b>Apr 5, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## Summary (as of May 23, 2018)

### Health Equity and Accountability Act of 2018

This bill establishes a series of programs and requirements relating to the health of minority populations, including provisions to improve data collection, health literacy, health workforce diversity, and overall access to health care.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Development.
- **Oct 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Jun 27, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Indian, Insular and Alaska Native Affairs.
- **Jun 27, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.
- **Jun 27, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 24, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **May 23, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **May 23, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Agriculture, Education and the Workforce, the Budget, the Judiciary, Veterans' Affairs, Armed Services, and Natural Resources, 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.
- **May 23, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.