

## HR 6110

Dr. Todd Graham Pain Management, Treatment, and Recovery Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jun 14, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 25, 2018)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. MacArthur, Thomas [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Rothfus, Keith J. [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 14, 2018
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 20, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 25, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6	Related bill	<b>Oct 24, 2018:</b> Became Public Law No: 115-271.
115 HRES 1099	Related bill	<b>Sep 28, 2018:</b> Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
115 S 3327	Related bill	<b>Aug 1, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
115 HR 5676	Related bill	<b>Jun 20, 2018:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
115 S 3008	Related bill	<b>Jun 6, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
115 HR 5778	Related bill	<b>May 31, 2018:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 5790	Related bill	<b>May 31, 2018:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 5769	Related bill	<b>May 30, 2018:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 5722	Related bill	<b>May 25, 2018:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
115 HR 5725	Related bill	<b>May 23, 2018:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

## Summary (as of Jun 19, 2018)

### Dr. Todd Graham Pain Management, Treatment, and Recovery Act of 2018

This bill establishes several requirements for the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), and alters requirements under Medicare and Medicare Advantage (MA), related to pain management and opioid use.

Among other requirements, the CMS must review payments under Medicare for opioid and non-opioid pain management procedures, specifically with respect to ambulatory outpatient surgical procedures and hospital outpatient department services. The CMS must ensure that there are no payment incentives for using opioids instead of non-opioid alternatives and must make revisions accordingly.

The bill also requires payment under Medicare to federally qualified health centers and rural health clinics that have health care practitioners who are newly certified to provide medication-assisted treatment (e.g., buprenorphine).

The bill also authorizes the suspension of payments to a pharmacy under the Medicare prescription drug benefit and MA prescription drug plans pending the investigation of a credible allegation of fraud by the pharmacy.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jun 25, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 20, 2018:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
- **Jun 19, 2018:** Mrs. Walorski moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jun 19, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5249-5254)
- **Jun 19, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6110.
- **Jun 19, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5250-5252)
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- **Jun 19, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 14, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 14, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.