

HR 6524

Accelerating Kids' Access to Care Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 27, 2018)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

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| Rep. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM-3] | D · NM | | Jul 25, 2018 |
| Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1] | R · WV | | Jul 25, 2018 |
| Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-16] | R · PA | | Dec 6, 2018 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Jul 27, 2018 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 115 S 2415 | Related bill | Feb 12, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. |

Summary (as of Jul 25, 2018)

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This bill requires: (1) state Medicaid programs to adopt a streamlined screening and enrollment process for eligible out-of-state providers and suppliers, and (2) the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to establish a process for providers and suppliers to enroll simultaneously in the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 25, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 25, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.