

## HR 6781

### Mental Health Telemedicine Expansion Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Sep 12, 2018

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Sep 20, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6781>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Reed, Tom [R-NY-23]	R · NY		Sep 12, 2018

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 12, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 20, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3797	Identical bill	Dec 19, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Sep 12, 2018)

### Mental Health Telemedicine Expansion Act

This bill excludes certain mental health telehealth services from specified requirements under Medicare, including originating site requirements.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 20, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 12, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 12, 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.