

## HR 6932

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve home health payment reforms under the Medicare program.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Sep 27, 2018

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 10, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6932>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Abraham, Ralph Lee [R-LA-5]

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

### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Sep 27, 2018
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Sep 27, 2018
Rep. Graves, Garret [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Sep 27, 2018
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Sep 27, 2018
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Oct 9, 2018
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Oct 12, 2018
Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Oct 26, 2018
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Nov 6, 2018
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Dec 10, 2018
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Dec 19, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 27, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 10, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3545	Related bill	<b>Oct 3, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S6496-6497)
115 S 3458	Identical bill	<b>Sep 18, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Sep 27, 2018)

This bill alters the payment methodology under the Medicare prospective payment system for home health services, including by eliminating the requirement that such methodology include certain behavioral assumptions regarding the implementation of specified changes to units of payment and case-mix adjustment factors.

## Actions Timeline

- **Oct 10, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 27, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 27, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.