

## HR 7105

Brian Tally VA Medical Care and Liability Improvement Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 30, 2018)

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### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Oct 30, 2018
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Oct 30, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 30, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Oct 30, 2018)

#### Brian Tally VA Medical Care and Liability Improvement Act

This bill subjects independent contractors of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) who provide medical care to veterans at VA facilities to the same federal tort laws for medical malpractice that apply to VA health care personnel. An insurance claim for malpractice benefits by a contractor-defendant shall be subrogated to the United States.

The VA shall: (1) revoke the authorization to provide VA care of a contractor who has been the defendant in at least three cases during a five-year period that resulted in a judgment or settlement against the United States, and (2) bring an adverse action against certain VA health care personnel for similar reasons.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 30, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 30, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **Oct 30, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.