

## HR 7149

### Protecting Married Seniors from Impoverishment Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (Nov 16, 2018)

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## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 16, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Nov 16, 2018)

### Protecting Married Seniors from Impoverishment Act

This bill makes permanent certain provisions regarding Medicaid eligibility that protect against spousal impoverishment for recipients of home and community-based services. Under current law, these provisions expire on December 31, 2018.

## Actions Timeline

- **Nov 16, 2018:** Introduced in House
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