

## HR 7391

### Rural Hospital Freedom and Flexibility Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Dec 21, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

**Latest Action:** 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. (Dec 21, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/7391>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 21, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 21, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Dec 21, 2018)

#### Rural Hospital Freedom and Flexibility Act of 2018

This bill establishes several requirements under Medicare regarding certified rural emergency access centers, including payment, certification, and participation requirements.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 21, 2018:** Introduced in House
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