

HR 774

Medicaid Coverage of Tobacco Cessation Nonprescription Drugs Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jan 31, 2017

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 3, 2017)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/774>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 3, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 31, 2017)

This bill amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to eliminate restrictions on state Medicaid program coverage of nonprescription drugs for tobacco cessation. Under current law, a state Medicaid program may exclude from coverage, or otherwise restrict, such drugs, except for those recommended to pregnant women.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 3, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 31, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 31, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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