

## HR 1265

### Nursing Home Workforce Quality Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 14, 2019

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 15, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/1265>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Duffy, Sean P. [R-WI-7]

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

### Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gianforte, Greg [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Feb 14, 2019
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Feb 14, 2019
Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Feb 26, 2019
Rep. Cheney, Liz [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Mar 25, 2019
Rep. Watkins, Steve [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Mar 25, 2019
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Apr 3, 2019
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Apr 12, 2019
Rep. Stauber, Pete [R-MN-8]	R · MN		Apr 12, 2019
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jun 10, 2019
Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Jun 12, 2019
Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]	R · NE		Jun 13, 2019
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-3]	R · WV		Jun 28, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 15, 2019
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 14, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Feb 14, 2019)

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### Nursing Home Workforce Quality Act

This bill repeals certain restrictions under Medicare and Medicaid that prohibit the approval of nurse-aide training and competency evaluation programs in skilled nursing facilities that have been subject to specified regulatory actions (e.g., civil penalties) for substandard quality of care. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) may still disapprove such programs; however, the CMS must rescind the disapproval upon completion of corrective action.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 15, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 14, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 14, 2019:** 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.
- **Feb 14, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.