

HR 3502

Protecting People From Surprise Medical Bills Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 27, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]

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

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Rep. Burchett, Tim [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jun 26, 2019
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Rep. Cisneros, Gilbert Ray, Jr. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Dunn, Neal P. [R-FL-2]	R · FL		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1]	R · MD		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Jun 26, 2019
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Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Rigglesman, Denver [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Shalala, Donna E. [D-FL-27]	D · FL		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Taylor, Van [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Watkins, Steve [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Wenstrup, Brad R. [R-OH-2]	R · OH		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Wright, Ron [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Jun 26, 2019
Rep. Baird, James R. [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Jun 27, 2019
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Jul 9, 2019

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Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jul 12, 2019
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Jul 12, 2019
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Jul 12, 2019
Rep. Rouda, Harley [D-CA-48]	D · CA		Jul 12, 2019
Rep. Abraham, Ralph Lee [R-LA-5]	R · LA		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Cox, TJ [D-CA-21]	D · CA		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Fletcher, Lizzie [D-TX-7]	D · TX		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Hagedorn, Jim [R-MN-1]	R · MN		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Holding, George [R-NC-2]	R · NC		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Jul 23, 2019
Rep. Stanton, Greg [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Jul 23, 2019
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jul 25, 2019
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Jul 25, 2019
Rep. Mitchell, Paul [R-MI-10]	R · MI		Jul 25, 2019
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Jul 30, 2019
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		Aug 9, 2019
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Aug 9, 2019
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Aug 9, 2019
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Aug 9, 2019
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Aug 9, 2019
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Aug 16, 2019
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Aug 16, 2019
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Sep 11, 2019
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Sep 11, 2019
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Sep 11, 2019
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Sep 11, 2019
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Sep 11, 2019

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Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Sep 11, 2019
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Sep 12, 2019
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Sep 12, 2019
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Sep 12, 2019
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [D-NJ-2]	D · NJ		Sep 12, 2019
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Sep 20, 2019
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Sep 20, 2019
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Rose, Max [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Oct 23, 2019
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Oct 23, 2019
Rep. Green, Mark E. [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Oct 31, 2019
Rep. Rose, John W. [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Nov 22, 2019
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Nov 22, 2019
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Dec 6, 2019
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Dec 6, 2019
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Dec 18, 2019
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		Dec 18, 2019
Rep. Pence, Greg [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jan 10, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 26, 2019
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2019
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 26, 2019
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 26, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill makes a series of changes relating to health care costs and billing practices.

Among other things, the bill

- applies in-network cost-sharing requirements to certain emergency and related non-emergency services that are provided out-of-network;
- requires health insurers to include in-network and out-of-network deductibles, as well as out-of-pocket maximum limitations, on enrollee insurance cards;
- requires health insurers to provide online and print directories of in-network health care providers; and
- prohibits health care providers from billing individuals for services more than a year after such services are provided.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 27, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 26, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 26, 2019:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H5176)
- **Jun 26, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Oversight and Reform, and Education and Labor, 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.