

## HR 4589

To make permanent the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make grants for the transportation of highly rural veterans to medical care.

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 14, 2019)

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 14, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Oct 1, 2019)

This bill permanently extends the authority of the Department of Veterans Affairs to make grants for the transportation of highly rural veterans to health care facilities.

## Actions Timeline

- **Oct 14, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 1, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 1, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.