

HR 5809

Better Information Act of 2020

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Feb 7, 2020

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 7, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]

Party: Democratic • State: VA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Feb 7, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2020
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2020
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 7, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 5826	Related bill	Feb 12, 2020: Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Voice Vote.
116 HR 5192	Related bill	Nov 21, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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This bill requires private health insurance plans to include on insurance membership cards the

- hospital nearest to the primary residence of the plan holder,
- contact information for customer service,
- deductible amount applicable to the plan holder,
- out-of-pocket maximum applicable to the plan holder, and
- cost-sharing amount for in-network emergency or urgent care services applicable to the plan holder.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 7, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 7, 2020:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, 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.
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