

HR 6244

To amend titles XVIII and XIX to provide for coverage at no cost sharing of COVID-19 testing under the Medicaid program and Children's Health Insurance Program.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 12, 2020

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (Mar 12, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Mar 12, 2020
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Mar 12, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 12, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 6201	Related bill	Mar 19, 2020: Engrossment Correction
116 S 3499	Related bill	Mar 12, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Mar 12, 2020)

This bill requires COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) testing and related visits to be covered without cost-sharing under the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and Medicaid during the public health emergency declared on January 31, 2020.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 12, 2020:** Introduced in House
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