

S 1132

EPI Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Apr 15, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]

Party: Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 15, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 15, 2021)

Ending Pricey Insulin Act or the EPI Act

This bill establishes a maximum out-of-pocket cost of \$50 for a 30-day supply of insulin.

Specifically, no private or public health insurance plan may charge an enrollee more than \$50 for a 30-day supply of insulin, regardless of the amount of insulin prescribed for that period. This includes any deductible, co-payment, coinsurance, or other cost-sharing requirement.

This \$50 limit also applies to the cash price for insulin prescriptions for uninsured individuals.

The requirements of this bill apply beginning on January 1, 2022, irrespective of the date this bill is enacted.

Actions Timeline

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