

HR 1332

Telehealth Modernization Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]

Party: Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (133 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]	R · VA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Pence, Greg [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Baird, James R. [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Mar 17, 2021
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Mar 17, 2021
Rep. Guest, Michael [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Mar 17, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Mar 17, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Mar 17, 2021
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Apr 15, 2021
Rep. Kim, Young [R-CA-39]	R · CA		Apr 15, 2021
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Apr 15, 2021
Rep. Palazzo, Steven M. [R-MS-4]	R · MS		Apr 15, 2021
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Fitzgerald, Scott [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Mace, Nancy [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Mann, Tracey [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Spartz, Victoria [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4]	R · CO		May 19, 2021
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		May 19, 2021
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		May 19, 2021
Rep. Green, Mark E. [R-TN-7]	R · TN		May 19, 2021
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		May 19, 2021
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		May 19, 2021
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		May 19, 2021
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		May 19, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		May 19, 2021
Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]	R · FL		May 19, 2021
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		May 19, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 19, 2021
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		May 19, 2021

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Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		May 19, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		May 19, 2021
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Feenstra, Randy [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Harshbarger, Diana [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. LaTurner, Jake [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Timmons, William R. IV [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Jun 1, 2021
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Jacobs, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Keller, Fred [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Moore, Blake D. [R-UT-1]	R · UT		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3]	R · MO		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Sep 17, 2021
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Sep 17, 2021
Rep. Garbarino, Andrew R. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Sep 17, 2021
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Sep 17, 2021
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Sep 17, 2021
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. McClain, Lisa C. [R-MI-10]	R · MI		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Sep 29, 2021

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Rep. Steel, Michelle [R-CA-48]	R · CA		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Rogers, Harold [R-KY-5]	R · KY		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Kahele, Kaiali'i [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Stansbury, Melanie Ann [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Oct 26, 2021
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-1]	R · IA		Oct 26, 2021
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-42]	R · CA		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Jacobs, Sara [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Van Duyne, Beth [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Nov 16, 2021
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jan 13, 2022
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Jan 13, 2022
Rep. Herrell, Yvette [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Jan 13, 2022
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jan 13, 2022
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Franklin, C. Scott [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Mar 24, 2022
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Mar 30, 2022
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Mar 30, 2022
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		Mar 31, 2022
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Apr 5, 2022
Rep. Obernolte, Jay [R-CA-8]	R · CA		May 3, 2022
Rep. Bentz, Cliff [R-OR-2]	R · OR		May 6, 2022
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		May 17, 2022

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Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Jun 22, 2022
Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4]	D · VA		Jul 21, 2022
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Aug 5, 2022
Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2022
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Sep 29, 2022
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Dec 12, 2022
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Dec 20, 2022
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Dec 21, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 26, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 25, 2021
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 368	Related bill	Feb 23, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Feb 25, 2021)

Telehealth Modernization Act

This bill modifies requirements relating to coverage of telehealth services under Medicare.

Specifically, the bill extends certain flexibilities that were initially authorized during the public health emergency relating to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019). Among other things, the bill allows (1) rural health clinics and federally qualified health centers to serve as the distant site (i.e., the location of the health care practitioner); (2) the home of a beneficiary to serve as the originating site (i.e., the location of the beneficiary) for all services (rather than for only certain services); and (3) all types of practitioners to furnish telehealth services, as determined by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 26, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 25, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 25, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.
- **Feb 25, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 25, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.