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Pharmacy and Medically Underserved Areas Enhancement Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]
Party: Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Apr 26, 2021
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Apr 26, 2021
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		May 26, 2021
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 27, 2021
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 9, 2021
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Jun 10, 2021
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Jun 15, 2021
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 15, 2021
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Jul 13, 2021
Sen. Warnock, Raphael G. [D-GA]	D · GA		Jul 21, 2021
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Sep 14, 2021
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Sep 20, 2021
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Sep 27, 2021
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Oct 5, 2021
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Oct 7, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 26, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 2759	Identical bill	**Apr 23, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Apr 26, 2021)

Pharmacy and Medically Underserved Areas Enhancement Act

This bill provides for Medicare coverage and payment with respect to certain pharmacist services that (1) are furnished by a pharmacist in a health-professional shortage area, and (2) would otherwise be covered under Medicare if furnished by a physician.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 26, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
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