

HR 3126

Healthy MOM Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

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

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| Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1] | D · CT | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13] | D · CA | | May 11, 2021 |
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| Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12] | D · NY | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5] | D · NY | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6] | D · NY | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6] | D · MA | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10] | D · NJ | | May 11, 2021 |
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| Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9] | D · WA | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11] | D · MI | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10] | D · WA | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15] | D · CA | | May 11, 2021 |

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| Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8] | D · NJ | | May 14, 2021 |
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| Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44] | D · CA | | Jul 16, 2021 |
| Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9] | D · NY | | Jul 16, 2021 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Education and Workforce Committee | House | Referred To | May 11, 2021 |
| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | May 12, 2021 |
| Oversight and Government Reform Committee | House | Referred To | May 11, 2021 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | May 11, 2021 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 S 3239 | Related bill | Nov 18, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. |

Healthy Maternity and Obstetric Medicine Act or the Healthy MOM Act

This bill expands health insurance coverage availability for pregnant individuals. It requires health insurers, health insurance exchanges, and group health plans to offer a special enrollment period to pregnant individuals. The special enrollment period offered by an insurer or exchange must begin when the pregnancy is reported to the insurer or exchange. The special enrollment period offered by a group health plan must begin when the pregnancy is reported to the plan or is confirmed by a health care provider. The bill also makes pregnancy a qualifying life event for the purpose of enrolling in a federal employee health benefit plan.

Additionally, a group health plan or health insurer that covers dependents must provide coverage for maternity care to all covered individuals.

Any individual who is eligible for Medicaid and is, or becomes, pregnant maintains such eligibility for one year after the end of the pregnancy. The bill revises the range in which a state must establish a maximum level of family income for pregnant women and infants to be eligible for Medicaid. The upper limit of the range is eliminated and the lower limit is set to the level in place on January 1, 2014.

Actions Timeline

- **May 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 11, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and Labor, and Oversight and Reform, 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.