

## S 3389

### Sickle Cell Disease Comprehensive Care Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Dec 14, 2021)

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## Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]

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

## Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Dec 14, 2021
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 29, 2022
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Mar 29, 2022
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Sep 21, 2022
Sen. Warnock, Raphael G. [D-GA]	D · GA		Nov 17, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 14, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 6216	Identical bill	Dec 10, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

## **Sickle Cell Disease Comprehensive Care Act**

This bill establishes and provides funds for a demonstration project for state Medicaid programs to improve outpatient care for individuals with sickle cell disease, with a focus on young adults and pregnant women.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services must award planning grants to at least 10 states and must select between 5 and 10 states to participate in the project. Participating states must provide specified services and support for individuals with sickle cell disease, including multidisciplinary care teams, appropriate treatments, mental health services, and specialist services.

The bill provides a 100% Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (i.e., federal matching rate) for services provided through the project.

### **Actions Timeline**

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