

## HR 3517

Increasing Access to Osteoporosis Testing for Medicare Beneficiaries Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (May 26, 2021)

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### Sponsor

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

**Cosponsors** (74 total)

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Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Aug 12, 2022
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Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Oct 28, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 26, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 25, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of May 25, 2021)

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### **Increasing Access to Osteoporosis Testing for Medicare Beneficiaries Act of 2021**

This bill specifies that certain Medicare payment rules applicable to imaging services shall apply to dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry services used in bone mass scans beginning in 2022.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services must establish national minimum payment amounts for such services.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 26, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 25, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 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.

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