

## HR 3650

### Improving Access to Medicare Coverage Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jun 1, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 1, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/3650>

## Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]

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

**Cosponsors** (53 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Estes, Ron [R-KS-4]	R · KS		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18]	D · PA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Keller, Fred [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Mann, Tracey [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Nehls, Troy E. [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jun 30, 2021
Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Jun 30, 2021
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jun 30, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jun 30, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Jul 22, 2021
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Jul 22, 2021
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Jul 28, 2021
Rep. Spatz, Victoria [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jul 29, 2021
Rep. Long, Billy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]	R · NE		Jul 30, 2021

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Aug 17, 2021
Rep. Gonzalez, Anthony [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Feb 7, 2022
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Feb 25, 2022
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Feb 25, 2022
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Mar 1, 2022
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Apr 6, 2022
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Apr 7, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 1, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 1, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2048	Identical bill	Jun 15, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Jun 1, 2021)

### Improving Access to Medicare Coverage Act of 2021

This bill deems an individual receiving outpatient observation services in a hospital as an inpatient for purposes of satisfying the three-day inpatient hospital-stay requirement with respect to Medicare coverage of skilled nursing facility services.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jun 1, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 1, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **Jun 1, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.