

HR 3932

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18]

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

Cosponsors (65 total)

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Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Aug 24, 2021
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Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Oct 19, 2021
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Oct 19, 2021
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Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Oct 26, 2021
Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]	R · FL		Oct 26, 2021
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Nov 3, 2021
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Nov 3, 2021
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Long, Billy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]	R · NE		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Feb 8, 2022
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Feb 8, 2022
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2022
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Feb 8, 2022
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 18, 2022
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Feb 18, 2022
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Feb 18, 2022
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Feb 18, 2022
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Feb 25, 2022
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Feb 25, 2022
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Feb 28, 2022
Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Feb 28, 2022
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Mar 1, 2022
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Mar 1, 2022
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Mar 16, 2022
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Mar 16, 2022
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Mar 24, 2022
Rep. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK-2]	R · OK		Mar 24, 2022
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		May 12, 2022

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Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		May 24, 2022
Rep. Carey, Mike [R-OH-15]	R · OH		May 31, 2022
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		May 31, 2022
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jun 8, 2022
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Jun 8, 2022
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Jun 13, 2022
Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Jun 13, 2022
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 13, 2022
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jun 13, 2022
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jun 21, 2022
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jun 21, 2022
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Jun 23, 2022
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Jun 23, 2022
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jul 1, 2022
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Jul 1, 2022
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. Mann, Tracey [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. LaTurner, Jake [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jul 19, 2022
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jul 19, 2022
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Jul 29, 2022
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jul 29, 2022
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Aug 23, 2022
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Aug 23, 2022
Rep. Bourdeaux, Carolyn [D-GA-7]	D · GA		Sep 13, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 16, 2021
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 17, 2021
Homeland Security Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 17, 2021
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 16, 2021
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 2, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 16, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 6000	Related bill	Jan 4, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research.
117 S 2076	Identical bill	Jun 16, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

The Pioneering Antimicrobial Subscriptions To End Up surging Resistance Act of 2021 or the PASTEUR Act of 2021

This bill authorizes the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to enter into subscription contracts for critical-need antimicrobial drugs, provides \$11 billion in appropriations for activities under the bill, and contains other related provisions.

A manufacturer of a Food and Drug Administration-approved antimicrobial drug may apply to HHS to have the drug designated as a critical-need antimicrobial, and HHS may enter into a subscription contract for such a critical-need antimicrobial. The bill imposes certain requirements related to such contracts, including a mechanism to lower payments under the contract in certain instances to limit the manufacturer's revenue from the drug.

Furthermore, HHS and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) shall award grants to support efforts to encourage the appropriate use of antimicrobial drugs and efforts to combat antimicrobial resistance. The CDC shall also track and assess data relating to antibacterial resistance and human antibiotic use and make such data publicly available.

HHS shall also establish a Committee on Critical Need Antimicrobials. The committee shall develop a list of prioritized infections for which new antimicrobial drug development is needed, among other duties.

Within six years of the bill's enactment, the Government Accountability Office shall report to Congress a study on the bill's effectiveness in developing priority antimicrobial drugs.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 2, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 17, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Oversight, Management, and Accountability.
- **Jun 17, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 16, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 16, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Veterans' Affairs, Armed Services, the Judiciary, and Homeland Security, 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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