

HR 4014

Physician Shortage GME Cap Flex Act of 2021

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jun 17, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jun 18, 2021)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/4014>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Wenstrup, Brad R. [R-OH-2]	R · OH		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Oct 15, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 18, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 17, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2094	Identical bill	Jun 17, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jun 17, 2021)

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This bill excludes certain hospitals that establish shortage specialty programs from the cap on full-time equivalent residents that is otherwise applicable, and provides for a new building period, for purposes of graduate medical education payments under Medicare.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 18, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 17, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 17, 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 17, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.