

## S 4026

### Discounted Drugs for Clinical Trials Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Apr 7, 2022

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Apr 7, 2022)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 7, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 7, 2022

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 7472	Related bill	<b>Apr 8, 2022:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 S 4053	Related bill	<b>Apr 7, 2022:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

### Summary (as of Apr 7, 2022)

### Discounted Drugs for Clinical Trials Act

This bill allows researchers to obtain certain high-cost drugs and biologics at discounted prices from manufacturers. Researchers must apply to the Food and Drug Administration for approval; manufacturers must sell the approved quantity of drugs to researchers at the discounted price and are subject to civil actions from researchers for noncompliance.

### Actions Timeline

- **Apr 7, 2022:** Introduced in Senate
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