

HR 4203

IMPROVE Addiction Care Act

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (5 total)

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Rep. Herrera Beutler, Jaime [R-WA-3]	R · WA		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jun 28, 2021
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 29, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1575	Related bill	May 12, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Improving Medicaid Programs' Response to Overdose Victims and Enhancing Addiction Care Act or the IMPROVE Addiction Care Act

This bill establishes additional requirements for state Medicaid drug-use review programs with respect to individuals who experience opioid-related overdoses.

Specifically, programs must include protocols that (1) connect individuals who have experienced an opioid-related overdose within the last five years to appropriate treatment; (2) notify providers who prescribe opioids about subsequent fatal overdoses; (3) ensure providers are notified about an individual's history of opioid-use disorder, overdoses, or poisonings; and (4) educate providers about proper prescribing practices for these individuals.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 29, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 28, 2021:** Introduced in House
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