

## HR 4669

Capping Costs for Consumers Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jul 22, 2021

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 23, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/4669>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Jul 22, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Jul 22, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 23, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 22, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Capping Costs for Consumers Act of 2021**

This bill expands and provides funding for assistance to certain individuals who enroll in plans through health insurance exchanges.

Specifically, it increases the premium assistance tax credit by revising, from the second-lowest cost silver plan to the second-lowest cost gold plan, the benchmark plan on which the credit amount is based. The bill also requires individuals to enroll in a gold plan to be eligible for cost-sharing reductions and it extends the reductions to individuals with a higher maximum household income.

These changes apply to plan and tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2023.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 23, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 22, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 22, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.
- **Jul 22, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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