

HR 4701

Protecting Patients from Medicaid Fraud Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 28, 2021)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** House

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Westerman, Bruce [R-AR-4]	R · AR		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Meijer, Peter [R-MI-3]	R · MI		Nov 5, 2021
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 28, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2021)

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This bill requires state Medicaid programs to consult with the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) about provider screening and oversight requirements if they have not already opted to do so. Additionally, states that are not in compliance with these screening and oversight requirements must submit progress reports to the CMS annually.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 28, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 27, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 27, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.