

HR 5998

To require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to issue guidance on authorities available to States under the State Medicaid programs under title XIX of the Social Security Act to extend waivers granted during the COVID-19 emergency period beyond such period.

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Nov 17, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5998>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Nov 17, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 18, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 17, 2021)

This bill requires the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to issue guidance on whether and how state Medicaid programs may extend certain flexibilities after the end of the public health emergency relating to COVID-19.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 18, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 17, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 17, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.