

## HR 8881

### Mental Health Transparency Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Sep 19, 2022

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Sep 20, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/8881>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Sep 19, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 19, 2022
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 20, 2022
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 19, 2022

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Sep 19, 2022)

### Mental Health Transparency Act

This bill requires private health insurance plans to publish information about the number and percentage of behavioral health care and substance use disorder treatment providers located in the service area of the plan that are in-network. Additionally, the Department of Health and Human Services must establish designations to reflect the breadth of in-network coverage for each type of provider in a service area.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 20, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and Labor, 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.