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Saving Access to Laboratory Services Act

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 28, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]

Party: Democratic • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Mar 28, 2023
Sen. Budd, Ted [R-NC]	R · NC		Jun 22, 2023
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 22, 2023
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		May 15, 2024
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Jul 30, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 28, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 2377	Related bill	Dec 17, 2024: Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.
118 HR 1835	Related bill	Apr 7, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Mar 28, 2023)

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This bill modifies provisions relating to Medicare payment rates for clinical diagnostic laboratory services, including by requiring payment rates for certain widely available clinical diagnostic laboratory tests to be based on a statistical sampling of private sector rates.

Actions Timeline

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