

HR 1694

Emergency Care Improvement Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 22, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Dec 17, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19]

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

Cosponsors (22 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Cloud, Michael [R-TX-27]	R · TX		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Apr 13, 2023
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Apr 20, 2023
Rep. Nehls, Troy E. [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Apr 20, 2023
Rep. Pfluger, August [R-TX-11]	R · TX		May 31, 2023
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Jun 5, 2023
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Jun 12, 2023
Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Jun 22, 2023
Rep. Van Duyne, Beth [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Aug 15, 2023
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Nov 28, 2023
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Nov 29, 2023
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-25]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2024
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Mar 7, 2024
Rep. McCormick, Richard [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Mar 7, 2024
Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Mar 15, 2024
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Mar 21, 2024
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Mar 21, 2024
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Apr 5, 2024
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Apr 23, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2023
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 17, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 22, 2023)

Emergency Care Improvement Act

This bill permanently allows for coverage under Medicare and Medicaid of services that are provided by freestanding emergency centers. The bill takes effect May 11, 2023.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 31, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 22, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 22, 2023:** 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.