

HR 1711

Rural America Health Corps Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 31, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]

Party: Republican • State: TN • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Harshbarger, Diana [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Tokuda, Jill N. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		May 31, 2023
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 940	Related bill	Mar 22, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Mar 22, 2023)

Rural America Health Corps Act

This bill establishes a student loan repayment demonstration program for eligible providers who agree to work for five years in a rural area with a shortage of primary, dental, or mental health care providers. For each year of this service, the Department of Health and Human Services must pay one-fifth of the principal and interest on a provider's qualifying loans. Total payments to a provider may not exceed \$200,000.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 22, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 22, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.