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Expand the Behavioral Health Workforce Now Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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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. (Oct 26, 2023)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: MI • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 26, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 7619	Identical bill	Mar 15, 2024: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Oct 26, 2023)

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This bill requires the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to issue guidance for states on ways to increase education, training, recruitment, and retention of mental health and substance use disorder providers under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), particularly in rural and underserved areas.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 26, 2023: Introduced in Senate
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