

HR 4146

Medicare Dental Benefit Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jun 15, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/4146>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Jun 15, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 16, 2023
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 17, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 2012	Identical bill	Jun 15, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jun 15, 2023)

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This bill provides for Medicare coverage of dental and oral health services, including routine diagnostic and preventive services, basic and major dental services, and emergency care; dental prostheses are also covered. Currently, such services are excluded from Medicare coverage.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 16, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 15, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 15, 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.