

HR 4420

Preparedness and Response Reauthorization Act

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Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Jul 13, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 3742	Related bill	Jun 2, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Preparedness and Response Reauthorization Act

This bill reauthorizes through FY2028 various programs and activities that support public health preparedness and response.

This includes

- the Public Health Emergency Preparedness Program, which provides funding for health departments to build their capacity to respond to public health threats;
- the Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity Program, which supports the ability of health departments to prevent and address infectious disease outbreaks; and
- the Epidemic Intelligence Service, an applied epidemiology training program of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Additionally, the Government Accountability Office must report on data collection and sharing by the federal government during public health emergencies that involve infectious disease outbreaks or biological threats (e.g., the COVID-19 pandemic).

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 19, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 19, 2023:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 27 - 22.
- **Jul 13, 2023:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by the Yeas and Nays: 16 - 12.
- **Jul 13, 2023:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Jul 7, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 30, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 30, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.