

## HR 5414

### Improving Mental Health Access from the Emergency Department Act of 2023

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**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. (Sep 15, 2023)

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 15, 2023

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 1346	Related bill	Apr 27, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## **Improving Mental Health Access from the Emergency Department Act of 2023**

This bill authorizes a grant program for emergency departments to increase access to follow-up psychiatric services for individuals who present for care of acute mental-health episodes. The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration may award these grants.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 15, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 12, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 12, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.