

## HR 592

Department of Veterans Affairs Electronic Health Record Modernization Improvement Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	Jul 19, 2023

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **Department of Veterans Affairs Electronic Health Record Modernization Improvement Act**

This bill prohibits the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) from commencing a program activity (i.e., an activity under the Electronic Health Record Modernization Program) at a facility of the Veterans Health Administration (VHA) until the VA certifies to Congress that the electronic health record system has met specified improvement objectives at each facility where the system is being utilized as of the date of the enactment of this bill.

The VA is prohibited from newly implementing the electronic health record system at a VHA facility until the director of the facility, chief of staff of the facility, and the director of the appropriate Veterans Integrated Services Network certify to Congress that (1) the proposed build and configuration of the system are accurate and complete; (2) the staff and infrastructure of the facility are adequately prepared to receive the system; and (3) the implementation will not significantly affect patient safety, patient wait-times for medical care, or health care quality.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 19, 2023:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 19, 2023:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Feb 16, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations.
- **Jan 27, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 27, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.