

HR 6993

Retirement Freedom Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jan 12, 2024

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Feb 5, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 17, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 12, 2024)

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This bill allows an individual to opt out of Medicare hospital services benefits without also having to opt out of Old Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance benefits and without having to repay Medicare hospital services benefits already received. The bill also allows an individual to opt back in with no penalty.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 12, 2024:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 12, 2024:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.