

HR 7538

National Public Health Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 5, 2024

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 8, 2024)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/7538>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-10]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 5, 2024)

National Public Health Act

This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to take a series of actions relating to the impact of certain products on public health. Specifically, HHS must (1) contract with the National Academy of Medicine, or a similar entity, to develop a list of public health crises; (2) develop a list of products that have a specified fiscal impact on the national public health system; and (3) require manufacturers of such products to develop and implement a plan to mitigate the effects of the products on public health.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 8, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 5, 2024:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 5, 2024:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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