

HR 7681

Primary and Virtual Care Affordability Act

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill extends until January 1, 2027, the exemption for telehealth services from certain high deductible health plan rules. It also provides a high deductible health plan safe harbor for the absence of a deductible for certain primary care services provided in any plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2023.

The Government Accountability Office must complete a study, and report on, the effects of the safe harbor for certain primary care services.

## **Actions Timeline**

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