

HR 1867

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to remove in-person requirements under Medicare for mental health services furnished through telehealth and telecommunications technology.

Congress: 119 (2025–2027, Current)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 5, 2025

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Mar 5, 2025)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Mar 5, 2025
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Mar 5, 2025
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Mar 5, 2025
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Mar 5, 2025

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 5, 2025
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 5, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 5, 2025)

This bill permanently removes in-person evaluation requirements for mental health telehealth services under Medicare.

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