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HR 610

Close the Medigap Act of 2025 Congress: 119 (2025–2027, Current)

Chamber: House
Policy Area: Health
Introduced: Jan 22, 2025

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

Commerce

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. (Jan 22, 2025) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-bill/610

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-37]

Party: Democratic • State: TX • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (41 total)

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Cosponsor	Party / State Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC]	D · DC	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D. [D-GA-2]	D · GA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Carson, André [D-IN-7]	D · IN	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Casar, Greg [D-TX-35]	$D \cdot TX$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D·IL	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-28]	D · CA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	D · MI	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	$D \cdot NY$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Fletcher, Lizzie [D-TX-7]	$D \cdot TX$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-8]	D · CA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. García, Jesús G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	$D \cdot IL$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	$D \cdot TX$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank" [D-GA-4]	$D \cdot GA$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Lee, Summer L. [D-PA-12]	D · PA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	$D \cdot NY$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Ramirez, Delia C. [D-IL-3]	$D \cdot IL$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D·IL	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-32]	D · CA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-39]	D · CA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	$D \cdot NY$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	$D \cdot TX$	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA	Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Crockett, Jasmine [D-TX-30]	$D \cdot TX$	Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Hoyle, Val T. [D-OR-4]	$D \cdot OR$	Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	$D \cdot NV$	Jan 23, 2025
Rep. McClain Delaney, April [D-MD-6]	$D \cdot MD$	Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	$D\cdotMD$	Feb 10, 2025
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D·AL	Feb 10, 2025
Rep. Jacobs, Sara [D-CA-51]	D · CA	Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-12]	$D \cdot NY$	Mar 6, 2025
Rep. Johnson, Julie [D-TX-32]	$D \cdot TX$	Mar 25, 2025
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA	Apr 10, 2025

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 22, 2025
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 22, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 22, 2025)

Close the Medigap Act of 2025

This bill (1) expands guaranteed issue rights with respect to Medigap policies (Medicare supplemental health insurance policies), (2) eliminates certain limitations on Medigap policies for newly eligible Medicare beneficiaries, and (3) modifies other provisions related to Medigap policies. (Guaranteed issue rights require that a policy be offered to any eligible applicant without regard to health status.)

Actions Timeline

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