

HR 8716

Blood Pressure MATTERS Act

Congress: 119 (2025–2027, Current)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: May 7, 2026

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

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and Workforce, 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. (May 7, 2026)

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Sponsor

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

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 7, 2026
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 7, 2026
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 7, 2026

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary

No summary is currently available for this bill.

Actions Timeline

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