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KEY:

Top Priority

Support

Neutral

Legislation	Sponsors	Summary	Status
CONNECT for Health Act (S.1261 , HR 4602)	Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI], Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]; Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4], Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-1]	This bill would make many of the Medicare telehealth flexibilities permanent.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance; Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Telehealth Expansion Act (H.R. 1650 , S.763)	Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT], Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV], Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19], Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently extend the exemption for telehealth services from certain high-deductible health plan rules.	Passed into law on July 4, 2025
Access to Prescription Digital Therapeutics Act (S.1702 , H.R. 3288)	Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV], Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH], Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1], Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4]	A bill to create a benefit category for prescription digital therapeutics in Medicare and Medicaid.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance
Telehealth Modernization Act (TBD)	Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1], Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	This bill would extend telehealth flexibilities for seniors on Medicare through fiscal year 2027.	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means and House Energy and Commerce Committee
Telemental Health Care Access Act (S.2011 , H.R. 3884)	Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA], Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN];	The bill removes the statutory requirement that Medicare beneficiaries be seen in person within six months of	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance; Referred to the Committee on Energy and

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		being treated for mental health services via telehealth.	Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Rural Patient Monitoring (RPM) Access Act (S. 1535 , H.R. 3108)	Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN], Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA], Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8], Rep. Davis, Donald G. [D-NC-1]	This legislation would set a floor for practice expense and malpractice geographic indices for RPM services at 1.00 allowing rural areas to be able to provide RPM services at the national average rate- essentially getting the same payment that clinicians in other areas receive.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance; Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Hospital Inpatient Services Modernization Act (H.R. 4313 , S. 2237)	Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16], Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3], Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC], Sen. Warnock, Raphael G. [D-GA]	This bill would extend the Acute Hospital Care at Home Program for 5 years through 2030.	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means; Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance
Protecting Veteran Access to Telemedicine Services Act of 2025 (H.R.1107)	Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3], Rep. Bishop, Sanford D. [D-GA-2]	This would permanently waive the in-person requirement for the remote prescribing of controlled substances for Veterans.	The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection in the House.
EASE Act (H.R.2533 , S. 1248)	Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19], Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	This bill would require the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation to test a model to improve access to specialty health services for certain Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries.	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means; Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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Health (Accelerating Consumer's Care by Expediting Self-Scheduling) ACCESS Act (S.1140)	Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA], Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]	This bill would adjust the Anti-Kickback Statute (AKS) to remove the regulatory ambiguity allowing digital health and appointment booking platforms to work together to better serve patients.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance; Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
Telehealth Response for E-prescribing Addiction Therapy Services Act (TREATS Act – H.R. 1627)	Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1], Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	This bill would permanently waive the in-person requirement for the prescribing of controlled substances III-IV, specifically for substance use disorders and opioid use disorders.	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary
The PREVENT DIABETES Act (H.R.1523)	Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1], Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	This bill provides for the inclusion of virtual diabetes prevention program suppliers in the Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program Expanded Model.	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Sustainable Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Services in the Home Act (S.248, H.R. 783)	Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN], Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]; Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13], Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-50]	This bill would permanently extend certain in-home cardiopulmonary rehabilitation flexibilities.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance; Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Hospice Recertification Flexibility Act (H.R.1720)	Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-1], Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	This bill would allow hospice providers to use telehealth to conduct the face-to-face visit required for terminally ill patients to continue receiving hospice services after 180 days of hospice care.	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to allow for the furnishing of audio-only telehealth services (H.R.1899)	Rep. Feenstra, Randy [R-IA-4], Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	The bill would make permanent audio-only coverage in Medicare.	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Permanent Telehealth from Home Act (H.R.1407)	Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16], Rep. Miller, Max L. [R-OH-7], Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4]	This bill would permanently eliminate the originating site and geographic limitations for telehealth, which will help patients continue to be able to receive care through telehealth services regardless of the location of the provider or the patient.	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand eligible practitioners to furnish telehealth services (H.R. 1614)	Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16], Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4]	This bill would permanently allow physician therapists, occupational therapists, speech language pathologists, and audiologists to provide telehealth services.	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means
Rural Telehealth and Education Enhancement Act of 2025 (H.R. 290)	Rep. Langworthy, Nicholas A. [R-NY-23], Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	This bill reauthorizes the Distance Learning and Telemedicine Program through FY2030. This Department of Agriculture program provides grants to help rural communities gain the technology and training necessary to engage in telemedicine and distance learning.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Markets, Digital Assets, and Rural Development