

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 3906

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 24, 1994

Mr. KREIDLER (for himself and Mr. CANADY) introduced the following bill;  
which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PERMITTING FEDERAL PAYMENT UNDER MED-**  
2 **ICAID FOR SERVICES FURNISHED TO CHIL-**  
3 **DREN OR PREGNANT WOMEN BY INDIVID-**  
4 **UALS CERTIFIED BY BOARD RECOGNIZED BY**  
5 **AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1903(i)(12) of the Social  
7 Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396b(i)(12)), as redesignated by  
8 section 13631(c)(3) of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation  
9 Act of 1993, is amended—

10 (1) by amending clause (i) of subparagraph (A)  
11 to read as follows:

12 “(i) is certified in family practice or  
13 pediatrics by the medical specialty board  
14 recognized by the American Board of Med-  
15 ical Specialties for family practice or pedi-  
16 atrics or is certified in general practice or  
17 pediatrics by the medical specialty board  
18 recognized by the American Osteopathic  
19 Association,”; and

20 (2) by amending clause (i) of subparagraph (B)  
21 to read as follows:

22 “(i) is certified in family practice or  
23 obstetrics by the medical specialty board  
24 recognized by the American Board of Med-  
25 ical Specialties for family practice or ob-  
26 stetrics or is certified in general practice or

1                   obstetrics by the Medical Specialty Board  
2                   recognized by the American Osteopathic  
3                   Association,”.

4       (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
5 subsection (a) shall take effect as if included in the enact-  
6 ment of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990.

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