

symptoms, and improving data, after receiving testimony from Lisa C. McGuire, Lead, Alzheimer's Disease and Healthy Aging Program, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Department of Health and Human Services; Teresa

Osborne, Pennsylvania Department of Aging Secretary, Harrisburg; Gareth R. Howell, The Jackson Laboratory, Bar Harbor, Maine; Marcia Gay Harden, Los Angeles, California; and Cheryl Woods-Flowers, Mount Pleasant, South Carolina.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 6132–6155; and 4 resolutions, H. Res. 947–950 were introduced. **Pages H5283–85**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H5286–87**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 200, to amend the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act to provide flexibility for fishery managers and stability for fishermen, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–758);

H.R. 5676, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to authorize the suspension of payments by Medicare prescription drug plans and MA–PD plans pending investigations of credible allegations of fraud by pharmacies, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–759, Part 1);

H.R. 5723, to require the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission to report on opioid payment, adverse incentives, and data under the Medicare program, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–760, Part 1);

H.R. 5773, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require Medicare prescription drug plans to establish drug management programs for at-risk beneficiaries, require electronic prior authorization for covered part D drugs, and to provide for other program integrity measures under parts C and D of the Medicare program, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–761, Part 1);

H.R. 5774, to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to develop guidance on pain management and opioid use disorder prevention for hospitals receiving payment under part A of the Medicare program, provide for opioid quality measures development, and provide for a technical expert panel on reducing surgical setting opioid use and data collection on perioperative opioid use, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–762, Part 1);

H.R. 5775, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require Medicare Advantage plans and

part D prescription drug plans to include information on the risks associated with opioids, coverage of certain nonopioid treatments used to treat pain, and on the safe disposal of prescription drugs, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–763, Part 1);

H.R. 5776, to amend title XVIII to provide for Medicare coverage of certain services furnished by opioid treatment programs, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 115–764, Part 1);

H.R. 6147, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 115–765); and

H. Res. 949, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6) to provide for opioid use disorder prevention, recovery, and treatment, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5797) to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to allow States to provide under Medicaid services for certain individuals with opioid use disorders in institutions for mental diseases; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6082) to amend the Public Health Service Act to protect the confidentiality of substance use disorder patient records (H. Rept. 115–766). **Page H5283**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Hill to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H5227**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:28 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H5230**

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Dr. Ron Bracy, Geneva Classical Christian School, Fair Oaks Ranch, TX. **Page H5230**

Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a yea-and-nay vote of 195 yeas to 152 nays with one answering "present", Roll No. 271. **Pages H5230, H5272–73**

Recess: The House recessed at 2:11 p.m. and reconvened at 2:34 p.m. **Page H5231**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Children's Health Insurance Program Mental Health Parity Act: H.R. 3192, amended, to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to ensure access to mental health services for children under the Children's Health Insurance Program; **Pages H5231–33**

Medicaid Reentry Act: H.R. 4005, amended, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to allow for medical assistance under Medicaid for inmates during the 30-day period preceding release from a public institution; **Pages H5233–34**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: "To promote State innovations to ease transitions to the community for individuals who are inmates of a public institution and eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid program." **Page H5234**

Securing Opioids and Unused Narcotics with Deliberate Disposal and Packaging Act of 2018: H.R. 5687, amended, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require improved packaging and disposal methods with respect to certain drugs, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-a-and-nay vote of 342 yeas to 13 nays, Roll No. 269; **Pages H5234–37, H5271–72**

Responsible Education Achieves Care and Healthy Outcomes for Users' Treatment Act of 2018: H.R. 5796, amended, to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide grants for eligible entities to provide technical assistance to outlier prescribers of opioids; **Pages H5237–39**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: "To require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide grants for eligible entities to provide technical assistance to outlier prescribers of opioids, and for other purposes." **Page H5239**

Advancing High Quality Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders in Medicare Act: H.R. 5605, amended, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an opioid use disorder treatment demonstration program; **Pages H5239–43**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: "To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an opioid use disorder treatment demonstration program, and for other purposes." **Page H5243**

Long-Term Opioid Efficacy Act of 2018: H.R. 5811, amended, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to postapproval study requirements for certain controlled substances; **Pages H5243–44**

Amending title XIX of the Social Security Act to delay the reduction in Federal medical assistance percentage for Medicaid personal care services furnished without an electronic visit verification system: H.R. 6042, amended, to amend title XIX of

the Social Security Act to delay the reduction in Federal medical assistance percentage for Medicaid personal care services furnished without an electronic visit verification system; **Pages H5244–45**

Medicaid Providers Are Required To Note Experiences in Record Systems to Help In-need Patients Act: H.R. 5801, amended, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for requirements under the Medicaid program relating to the use of qualified prescription drug monitoring programs and prescribing certain controlled substances; **Pages H5245–47**

Opioid Addiction Action Plan Act: H.R. 5590, amended, to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide for an action plan on recommendations for changes under Medicare and Medicaid to prevent opioids addictions and enhance access to medication-assisted treatment; **Pages H5247–49**

Amending title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the review and adjustment of payments under the Medicare outpatient prospective payment system to avoid financial incentives to use opioids instead of non-opioid alternative treatments: H.R. 6110, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the review and adjustment of payments under the Medicare outpatient prospective payment system to avoid financial incentives to use opioids instead of non-opioid alternative treatments; **Pages H5249–54**

Combating Opioid Abuse for Care in Hospitals Act of 2018: H.R. 5774, amended, to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to develop guidance on pain management and opioid use disorder prevention for hospitals receiving payment under part A of the Medicare program, provide for opioid quality measures development, and provide for a technical expert panel on reducing surgical setting opioid use and data collection on perioperative opioid use; **Pages H5254–56**

Providing Reliable Options for Patients and Educational Resources Act of 2018: H.R. 5775, amended, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require Medicare Advantage plans and part D prescription drug plans to include information on the risks associated with opioids, coverage of certain nonopioid treatments used to treat pain, and on the safe disposal of prescription drugs; **Pages H5256–58**

Preventing Addiction for Susceptible Seniors Act of 2018: H.R. 5773, amended, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require Medicare prescription drug plans to establish drug management programs for at-risk beneficiaries, require electronic prior authorization for covered part D drugs, and to

provide for other program integrity measures under parts C and D of the Medicare program;

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Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require electronic prior authorization for covered part D drugs and to provide for other program integrity measures under parts C and D of the Medicare program.”.

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Stop Excessive Narcotics in our Retirement Communities Protection Act: H.R. 5676, amended, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to authorize the suspension of payments by Medicare prescription drug plans and MA–PD plans pending investigations of credible allegations of fraud by pharmacies, by a 2/3 yeas-and-nays vote of 356 yeas to 3 nays, Roll No. 270;

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Expanding Oversight of Opioid Prescribing and Payment Act of 2018: H.R. 5723, amended, to require the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission to report on opioid payment, adverse incentives, and data under the Medicare program;

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Supporting Research and Development for First Responders Act: H.R. 4991, amended, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish the National Urban Security Technology Laboratory;

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Joint Task Force to Combat Opioid Trafficking Act of 2018: H.R. 5762, amended, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to authorize a Joint Task Force to enhance integration of the Department of Homeland Security’s border security operations to detect, interdict, disrupt, and prevent narcotics, such as fentanyl and other synthetic opioids, from entering the United States; and

Pages H5267–69

Shielding Public Spaces from Vehicular Terrorism Act: H.R. 4627, amended, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to authorize expenditures to combat emerging terrorist threats, including vehicular attacks.

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Recess: The House recessed at 4:48 p.m. and reconvened at 4:50 p.m.

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Recess: The House recessed at 5:25 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m.

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Motion to Fix Next Convening Time: Agreed by voice vote to the Calvert motion that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow, June 20th for Morning Hour debate.

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Senate Referral: S. 2652 was referred to the Committee on Financial Services.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today and appear on page H5231.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yeas-and-nays votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5271–72, H5272, and H5273. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 8:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OVERSIGHT OF THE FBI AND DOJ ACTIONS IN ADVANCE OF THE 2016 ELECTION

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Full Committee; and full Committee of the House Committee on the Judiciary held a joint hearing entitled “Oversight of the FBI and DOJ Actions in Advance of the 2016 Election”. Testimony was heard from Michael Horowitz, Inspector General, Department of Justice.

INDIVIDUALS IN MEDICAID DESERVE CARE THAT IS APPROPRIATE AND RESPONSIBLE IN ITS DELIVERY ACT; OVERDOSE PREVENTION AND PATIENT SAFETY ACT; SUBSTANCE USE-DISORDER PREVENTION THAT PROMOTES OPIOID RECOVERY AND TREATMENT FOR PATIENTS AND COMMUNITIES ACT

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 5797, the “Individuals in Medicaid Deserve Care that is Appropriate and Responsible in its Delivery Act”; H.R. 6082, the “Overdose Prevention and Patient Safety Act”; and H.R. 6, the “Substance Use-Disorder Prevention that Promotes Opioid Recovery and Treatment for Patients and Communities Act”. The Committee granted, by record vote of 7–3, a rule providing for the consideration of H.R. 6 under a structured rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Energy and Commerce. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115–76, modified by Rules Committee Print 115–78 and the amendment printed in part A of the Rules Committee report, shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule makes in order only those further amendments printed in part B of the report. Each such amendment may be offered only in the order