

116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 1697

To amend the SUPPORT for Patients and Communities Act to provide for immediate eligibility for former foster youth under Medicaid.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 3, 2019

Mr. CASEY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Immediate Coverage  
5 for Former Foster Youth Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROVIDING FOR IMMEDIATE MEDICAID ELIGI-**  
7 **BILITY FOR FORMER FOSTER YOUTH.**

8 Section 1002(a)(2) of the SUPPORT for Patients  
9 and Communities Act (Public Law 115–271) is amended  
10 by striking “January 1, 2023” and inserting “the date

1 of enactment of the Immediate Coverage for Former Fos-  
2 ter Youth Act”.

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