

**American Nephrology Nurses Association  
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Bill Title and Description	Bill Number/Sponsor	Cosponsors	Status
<p><b>Recognizing the roles and the contributions of America's certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNAs) and their role in providing quality health care for the public.</b></p>	<p><b>NO SENATE BILL</b></p>		
	<p><b>H.Res. 80</b> Jan Schakowsky (D-IL-9)</p>	<p><b>0</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>2/1/21</b></p> <p>Referred to the Subcommittee on Health <b>2/2/2021</b></p>
<p><b>TREAT Act</b></p> <p>This bill temporarily allows, subject to scope of practice and other requirements, a health care professional to provide in-person and telehealth services in any U.S. jurisdiction based on that individual's authorization to practice in any one state or territory. Specifically, health care professionals may provide these services in jurisdictions other than where they are licensed, certified, or authorized to practice for up to 180 days after the end of the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) emergency. In addition, the bill provides certain authorities to health care professional regulatory bodies, such as medical boards, to investigate and take disciplinary actions against a professional who provides telehealth services to a patient in that organization's jurisdiction pursuant to this bill.</p> <p>The bill also permits the Department of Health and Human Services to similarly expand the authority of health care professionals to provide these services in the event of future major disasters or emergencies.</p>	<p><b>S. 168</b> Sen. Murphy (D-CT)</p>	<p><b>6: 3 R, 1 I, 2 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>2/2/21</b></p>
	<p><b>H.R. 708</b> Rep. Latta (R-OH-5)</p>	<p><b>38: 11 R, 27 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>2/2/21</b></p>
<p><b>The Research Investment to Spark the Economy (RISE) Act of 2021</b></p> <p>To authorize appropriations to offset costs resulting from reductions in research productivity in connection with the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), and for other purposes.</p>	<p><b>S. 289</b> Sen. Markey (D-MA)</p>	<p><b>14: 3 R, 1 I, 10 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>2/8/21</b></p>
	<p><b>H.R. 869</b> Rep. DeGette (D-CO-1)</p>	<p><b>178: 24 R, 154 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Committee on Agriculture, Committee on Armed Services, Committee on Education and Labor, Committee on Energy</p>

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			and Commerce, Committee on Natural Resources, Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure <b>2/5/21</b>
<b>Expressing the support of the House of Representatives for the naming of new or undedicated facilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs after women veterans and minority veterans in order to reflect the diversity of all who have served in the Armed Forces of the United States.</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b> <b>H.Res. 50</b> Rep. Brownley (D-CA-26)	<b>32: 1 R, 31 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs <b>1/19/21</b>
<b>Byron Nash Renal Medullary Carcinoma Awareness Act of 2021</b>  This bill allows states to receive federal payment under Medicaid for 50% of their costs for providing education on the risk of renal medullary carcinoma to individuals with sickle cell disease. (Renal medullary carcinoma is a rare kidney disease usually found in individuals with the sickle cell trait.)	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b> <b>H.R. 124</b> Rep. Green (D-TX-9)	<b>7: 4 R, 3 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>1/4/21</b>
<b>*Workplace Violence Prevention for Health Care and Social Service Workers Act</b>  To direct the Secretary of Labor to issue an occupational safety and health standard that requires covered employers within the health care and social service industries to develop and implement a comprehensive workplace violence prevention plan, and for other purposes.	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b> <b>H.R. 1195</b> Rep. Courtney (D-CT-2)	<b>145: 6 R, 139 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, Committee on Energy and Commerce, Committee on Ways and Means <b>2/22/2021</b>  Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>4/19/21</b>
<b>*FAAN Act</b>  To amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize grants to support schools of nursing in program enhancement and infrastructure modernization, increasing the number of nursing faculty and students, and for other purposes.	<b>S. 246</b> Sen. Merkley (D-OR) <b>H.R. 851</b> Rep. Underwood (D-IL-14)	<b>1 D</b>  <b>39: 0 R, 39 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>2/4/21</b>  Introduced and referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>2/4/21</b>

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<b>Jack Reynolds Memory Medigap Expansion Act</b>  To amend title XVIII to provide for certain Medigap coverage for Medicare beneficiaries with end-stage renal disease, and for other purposes	NO SENATE BILL		
	<b>H.R. 1676</b> Rep. Axne (D-IA-3)	<b>42: 5 R, 37 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>3/9/21</b>
<b>Recognizing the roles and the contributions of America's certified registered nurse anesthetists and their critical role in providing quality health care for the public, especially during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.</b>  This resolution recognizes the service of Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists (CRNAs), including during the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic, and encourages participation in National CRNA Week.	NO SENATE BILL		
	<b>H.Res. 65</b> Rep. Joyce (R-OH-14)	<b>2: 0 R, 2 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>1/28/21</b>
<b>Promoting Access to Diabetic Shoes Act</b>  A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to permit nurse practitioners and physician assistants to satisfy the documentation requirement under the Medicare program for coverage of certain shoes for individuals with diabetes.	<b>S. 800</b> Sen. Brown (D-OH)	<b>8: 6 R, 1 I, 1 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>3/17/21</b>
	NO HOUSE BILL		
<b>Healthcare Workforce Resilience Act</b>  To enhance our Nation's nurse and physician workforce during the COVID-19 crisis by recapturing unused immigrant visas.	<b>S. 1024</b> Sen. Durbin (D-IL)	<b>25: 13 R, 1 I, 11 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary <b>3/25/21</b>
	<b>H.R. 2255</b> Rep. Schneider (D-IL-10)	<b>68: 10 R, 58 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary <b>3/26/21</b>
<b>American Innovation Act</b>  A bill to prioritize funding for an expanded and sustained national investment in basic science research.	<b>S. 961</b> Sen. Durbin (D-IL)	<b>5: 0 R, 5 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>3/24/21</b>
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<b>American Cures Act</b>  A bill to prioritize funding for an expanded and sustained national investment in biomedical research.	<b>S. 962</b> Sen. Durbin (D-IL)	<b>6: 0 R, 8 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Appropriations <b>3/24/21</b>
	<b>NO HOUSE BILL</b>		
<b>*Black Maternal Health Momnibus Act of 2021</b>  To end preventable maternal mortality and severe maternal morbidity in the United States and close disparities in maternal health outcomes, and for other purposes.	<b>S. 346</b> Sen. Booker (D-NJ)	<b>29: 0 R, 1 I, 28 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>2/22/21</b>
	<b>H.R. 959</b> Rep. Underwood (D-IL-14)	<b>183: 0 R, 183 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, Committee on Financial Services, Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Committee on Education and Labor, Committee on the Judiciary, Committee on Natural Resources, Committee on Agriculture, and Committee on Veterans' Affairs <b>2/8/21</b>
<b>*U.S. Cadet Nurse Corps Service Recognition Act</b>  To amend title 38, United States Code, to recognize and honor the service of individuals who served in the United States Cadet Nurse Corps during World War II, and for other purposes.	<b>S. 1220</b> Sen. Warren (D-MA)	<b>24: 7 R, 1 I, 16 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs <b>4/19/21</b> Committee hearings held <b>6/23/21</b> Committee ordered to be reported without amendment favorably <b>7/28/21</b>
	<b>H.R. 2568</b> Rep. Bustos (D-IL-17)	<b>36: 8 R, 28 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Veterans' affairs and Committee on Armed Services <b>4/15/21</b> Subcommittee Hearings Held <b>10/20/2021</b>
<b>Telehealth Modernization Act</b>	<b>S. 368</b> Sen. Scott (R-SC)	<b>18: 11 R, 1 I, 6 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>2/23/21</b>

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<p>This bill modifies requirements relating to coverage of telehealth services under Medicare. Specifically, the bill extends certain flexibilities that were initially authorized during the public health emergency relating to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019). Among other things, the bill allows (1) rural health clinics and federally qualified health centers to serve as the distant site (i.e., the location of the health care practitioner); (2) the home of a beneficiary to serve as the originating site (i.e., the location of the beneficiary) for all services (rather than for only certain services); and (3) all types of practitioners to furnish telehealth services, as determined by the Centers for Medicare &amp; Medicaid Services.</p>	<p><b>H.R. 1332</b> Rep. Carter (R-GA-1)</p>	<p><b>125: 62 R, 63 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Subcommittee on Health <b>2/26/21</b></p>
<p><b>CONNECT For Health Act</b></p> <p>A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand access to telehealth services, and for other purposes.</p>	<p><b>S. 1512</b> Sen. Schatz (D-HI)</p>	<p><b>61: 31 R, 2 I, 28 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>4/29/21</b></p>
<p><b>Renal Anemia Innovation Support and Expansion (RAISE) Act</b></p> <p>To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to remove from the list of drugs excluded from coverage under the Medicare prescription drug program prescription oral vitamins and mineral products indicated for the treatment of iron deficiency anemia in individuals with chronic kidney disease.</p>	<p><b>NO SENATE BILL</b></p>	<p><b>NO HOUSE BILL</b></p>	<p><b>NO HOUSE BILL</b></p>
<p><b>Star Rating for Biosimilars Act</b></p> <p>To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to add a new set of measures to the 5-star rating system under the Medicare Advantage program in order to encourage increased access to biosimilar biological products.</p>	<p><b>H.R. 2934</b> Rep. O'Halleran (D-AZ-1)</p>	<p><b>6: 5 R, 1 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>4/30/21</b></p>
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<b>TRAIN Act</b>  A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide a waiver of the cap on annual payments for nursing and allied health education payments.	S. 1568 Sen. Brown (D-OH)	18: 9 R, 9 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>5/11/21</b>
	<b>NO HOUSE BILL</b>		
<b>Nurse Staffing Standards for Hospital Patient Safety and Quality Care Act</b>  A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish direct care registered nurse-to-patient staffing ratio requirements in hospitals, and for other purposes.	S. 1567 Sen. Brown (D-OH)	5: 0 R, 5 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>5/11/21</b>
	H.R. 3165 Rep. Schakowsky (D-IL-9)	85: 0 R, 85 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>5/12/21</b>
<b>Nurses for Under-Resourced Schools Everywhere (NURSE) Act</b>  To make demonstration grants to eligible local educational agencies or consortia of eligible local educational agencies for the purpose of increasing the numbers of school nurses in public elementary schools and secondary schools.	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
	H.R. 3166 Rep. Titus (D-NV-1)	5: 0 R, 5 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, and Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>5/12/21</b>
<b>Recognize National Nurses Week Act</b>  Supporting the goals and ideals of National Nurses Week, to be observed from May 6 through May 12, 2021.	S.Res. 208 Sen. Merkley (D-OR)	22: 7 R, 15 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>5/12/21</b>
	H.Res. 390 Rep. Johnson (D-TX-30)	22: 4 R, 18 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>5/12/21</b>
<b>Public Health Workforce Loan Repayment Act</b>  To amend the Public Health Service Act to establish the Public Health Workforce Loan Repayment Program.	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
	H.R. 3297	27: 7 R, 20 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and

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	Rep. Crow (D-CO-6)		Commerce, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>5/18/21</b>  Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held. <b>11/4/21</b>  Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote <b>11/4/21</b>
<p><b>*Primary and Behavioral Health Care Access Act of 2021</b></p> <p>To amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require group health plans and health insurance issuers offering group or individual health insurance coverage to provide for 3 primary care visits and 3 behavioral health care visits without application of any cost-sharing requirement.</p>	<p><b>NO SENATE BILL</b></p> <p><b>H.R. 3550</b> Rep. Underwood (D-IL-14)</p>	<p><b>7: 0 R, 7 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, Committee on Education and Labor, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>5/25/21</b></p>
<p><b>Organ Donation Clarification Act of 2021</b></p> <p>To amend the National Organ Transplant Act to clarify the definition of valuable consideration, to clarify that pilot programs that honor and promote organ donation do not violate that Act, and for other purposes.</p>	<p><b>NO SENATE BILL</b></p> <p><b>H.R. 3569</b> Rep. Cartwright (D-PA-8)</p>	<p><b>12: 7 R, 5 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>5/28/21</b></p>
<p><b>Medical Nutrition Therapy Act of 2021</b></p> <p>To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand the availability of medical nutrition therapy services under the Medicare program.</p>	<p><b>S. 1536</b> Sen. Collins (R-ME)</p> <p><b>NO HOUSE BILL</b></p>	<p><b>7: 1 R, 1 I, 5 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>5/10/21</b></p>
<p><b>*Chronic Kidney Disease Improvement in Research and Treatment Act</b></p>	<p><b>S. 1971</b> Sen. Cardin (D-MD)</p>	<p><b>1: 1 R, 0 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>6/8/21</b></p>

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To improve the understanding of, and promote access to treatment for, chronic kidney disease, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4065 Rep. Sewell (D-AL-7)	9: 2 R, 7 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>6/22/21</b>
<b>PPE in America Act</b>  This bill makes temporary changes to the management of the inventory of diagnostic testing supplies and personal protective equipment in the Strategic National Stockpile.	S. 308 Sen. Durbin (D-IL)	1: 1 R, 0 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>2/12/21</b>
	H.R. 1436 Rep. Schneider (D-IL-10)	7: 2 R, 5 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>2/26/21</b>
<b>CARE for All Kidneys Act of 2021</b>  To improve kidney disease research, prevention, surveillance, and treatment in minority populations and rural and underserved communities, and for other purposes.	NO SENATE BILL		
	H.R. 3893 Rep. Blunt Rochester (D-DE-AT LARGE)	7: 2 R, 5 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>6/15/21</b>
<b>Protecting Rural Telehealth Access Act</b>  A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to protect access to telehealth services under the Medicare program.	S. 1988 Sen. Manchin	11: 7 R, 4 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>6/9/21</b>
	NO HOUSE BILL		
<b>Improving Medicare Beneficiary Access to Innovative Diabetes Technologies Act of 2021</b>  A bill to establish within the Office of the Secretary of Health and Human Services a special task force on ensuring Medicare beneficiary access to innovative diabetes technologies and services.	S. 2146 Sen. Collins (R-ME)	1: 0 R, 1 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>6/21/21</b>
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<p><b>Ensuring Patient Access to Critical Breakthrough Products Act of 2021</b></p> <p>To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure prompt coverage of breakthrough devices under the Medicare program, and for other purposes.</p>	<p><b>H.R. 4043</b> Rep. DelBene (D-WA-1)</p>	<p><b>32: 15 R, 17 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>6/22/21</b></p>
<p><b>Promoting Responsible and Effective Virtual Experiences through Novel Technology to Deliver Improved Access and Better Engagement with Tested and Evidence-based Strategies Act</b></p> <p>A bill to permit Centers for Disease Control and Prevention-recognized virtual diabetes prevention program suppliers to be included in the Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program Expanded Model conducted by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation under section 1115A of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1944 a).</p>	<p><b>S. 2173</b> Sen. Scott (R-SC)</p> <p>NO HOUSE BILL</p>	<p><b>8: 5 R, 3 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>6/22/21</b></p>
<p><b>Medical Nutrition Therapy Act of 2021</b></p> <p>This bill expands Medicare coverage of medical nutrition therapy services.</p> <p>Currently, Medicare covers such services for individuals with diabetes or kidney disease under certain circumstances; such services must also be provided by a registered dietitian or nutrition professional pursuant to a physician referral. The bill extends coverage to individuals with other diseases and conditions, including obesity, eating disorders, cancer, and HIV/AIDS; such services may also be</p>	<p><b>S. 1536</b> Sen. Collins (R-ME)</p> <p><b>H.R. 3108</b> Rep. Kelly (D-IL-2)</p>	<p><b>7: 1 R, 1 I, 5 D</b></p> <p><b>30: 3 R, 27 D</b></p>	<p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>5/10/21</b></p> <p>Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>5/11/21</b></p>

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<b>Disaster Preparedness for Power Outages Act of 2021</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to award grants to nursing homes, assisted living facilities, and other long-term care facilities to improve their preparedness for power outages.	<b>H.R. 4294</b> Rep. Wilson (D-FL-24)	<b>0</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>6/30/21</b>
<b>TRAIN Act</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide a waiver of the cap on annual payments for nursing and allied health education payments.	<b>H.R. 4407</b> Rep. Blunt Rochester (D-DE-ALL)	<b>34: 17 R, 17 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>7/13/21</b>
<b>Value in Health Care Act of 2021</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to revise certain regulations in relation to the Medicare shared savings program and other advanced alternative payment arrangements to encourage participation in such program, and for other purposes.	<b>H.R. 4587</b> Rep. Welch (D-VT-ALL)	<b>17: 6 R, 11 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>7/20/21</b>
<b>Public Health Emergency Response and Accountability Act</b>	<b>S. 2467</b> Sen. Cassidy (R-LA)	<b>2: 0 R, 2 D</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions <b>7/26/21</b>
A bill to provide for a Public Health Emergency Fund, and for other purposes.	<b>NO HOUSE BILL</b>		
<b>Patient Access to ESRD New Innovative Devices Act</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve access to innovative new medical devices furnished to individuals with end stage renal disease under part B of the Medicare program by	<b>H.R. 4809</b> Rep. Davis (D-IL-17)	<b>0</b>	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and Committee on Ways and Means <b>7/29/21</b>

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<b>Bringing Enhanced Treatments and Therapies to ESRD Recipients Kidney Care Act</b>	S. 2649 Sen. Young (R-IN)	5: 3 R, 2 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Finance <b>8/5/21</b>
A bill to establish a demonstration program to provide integrated care for Medicare beneficiaries with end-stage renal disease, and for other purposes.	<b>NO HOUSE BILL</b>		
<b>Patient Access to ESRD New Innovative Devices Act</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve access to innovative new medical devices furnished to individuals with end stage renal disease under part B of the Medicare program by establishing a new device add-on payment adjustment under such part.	H.R. 5331 Rep. Davis (D-IL-7)	3: 2 R, 1 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce and Committee on Ways and Means <b>9/22/21</b>
<b>Protecting Rural Telehealth Access Act</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to protect access to telehealth services under the Medicare program.	H.R. 5425 Rep. O'Halleran (D-AZ-1)	4: 3 R, 1 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce and Committee on Ways and Means <b>9/29/21</b>
<b>Improving Access to Home Dialysis Act of 2021</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		
To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicare coverage of staff-assisted home dialysis for certain hemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis patients and to ensure all patients are educated on modality options and receive the resources, information, and support to succeed on the modality of their choice, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5426 Rep. Rush (D-IL-1)	18: 5 R, 13 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce and Committee on Ways and Means <b>9/29/21</b>
<b>VA Nurse and Physician Assistant RAISE Act</b>	<b>NO SENATE BILL</b>		

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To amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the rate of pay for certain nurses and other medical positions of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5575 Rep. Underwood (D-IL-14)	5: 1 R, 4 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs <b>10/12/21</b>  Committee Consideration and Markup Session Held and Ordered to be Reported by Yeas and Nays (18 -10) <b>2/2/22</b>
<b>To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve the way beneficiaries are assigned under the Medicare shared savings program by also basing such assignment on primary care services furnished by nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and clinical nurse specialists.</b>	H.R. 6308 Rep. Kilmer (D-WA-6)	8: 3 R, 5 D	Introduced and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and Committee on Energy and Commerce <b>12/16/21</b>
<b>*Expressing support for healthcare personnel and condemning assaults on health care personnel as the U.S. health care system faces unprecedented staffing shortages and increased workplace-related stressors.</b>	H.Res.909 Rep. Troy Carter (D-LA-2)	House: 5 1 R, 4 D	<b>House:</b> Introduced and referred to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Judiciary, and Education and Labor <b>02/04/2022</b>
A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the rate of pay for certain nurses and other medical positions of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.	S.3820 Sen. Richard Blumenthal (D-CT)	Senate: 1 <b>0 R, 1 D</b>	<b>Senate:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. <b>3/10/2022</b>
<b>PREVENT Pandemics Act</b>	S. 3799  Sen. Murray	Senate: 1 R, 0 D	Senate: <b>Introduced in Senate</b> 3/10/22  <b>Senate:</b> Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably. <b>3/15/2022</b>
<b>Healthcare Workforce Resilience Act</b>	HR 2255	House: 68 58 D, 10 R	Introduced in House <b>3/26/22</b>

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This bill makes previously unused immigrant visas available to nurses and physicians who petition for such a visa before the date that is 90 days after the end of the declared national emergency relating to the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) outbreak.	Rep. Schneider (D-IL)		
<b>New Era of Preventing End-Stage Kidney Disease Act</b>	HR 7506 Rep. Butterfield (D-NC-1)	House: 1 0 D, 1 R	<b>House: introduced in House and referred to Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means</b>
<b>Supporting the goals and ideals of National Nurses Week, to be observed from May 6 through May 12, 2022</b>	H.Res 1100 Rep. Johnson (D-TX-30) S.Res. 626 Sen. Merkley (D-OR)	House: 47 42 D, 5 R Senate: 29 17 D, 12 R	<b>House: introduced and referred to Committee on Energy and Commerce 5/10/2022</b>  <b>Senate: Introduced in Senate 5/10/2022</b>
<b>*Workplace Violence Prevention for Health Care and Social Service Workers Act</b>	S.4182 Senator Baldwin (D-WI)	Senate: 26 25 D, 1 I, 0 R	<b>Senate: introduced in the Senate 5/11/22</b>
<b>To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand the ability of renal dialysis facilities to serve as originating sites for telehealth services under the Medicare program</b>	H.R. 7878 Rep. Wenstrup (R-OH-2)	House 3 2 D, 1 R	<b>Introduced in House and referred to Committee on Energy and Commerce 5/24/22</b>

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A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand the ability of renal dialysis facilities to serve as originating sites for telehealth services under the Medicare program	S. 4307  Sen. Warner (D-VA)	Senate: 1 R, 0 D	Introduced in Senate 5/25/22