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H. R. 3842

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve access to diabetes outpatient self-management training services, to require the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation to test the provision of virtual diabetes outpatient self-management training services, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 6, 2023

Ms. SCHRIER (for herself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. BUCSHON, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. RUIZ, and Mr. SCHWEIKERT) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 “Expanding Access to
5 Diabetes Self-Management Training Act of 2023”.

6 **SEC. 2. IMPROVING ACCESS TO DIABETES OUTPATIENT**
7 **SELF-MANAGEMENT TRAINING SERVICES.**

8 Section 1861(qq) of the Social Security Act (42
9 U.S.C. 1395x(qq)) is amended—

10 (1) in paragraph (1)—

11 (A) by striking “the Secretary determines
12 appropriate” and inserting “specified in para-
13 graph (3)”;

14 (B) by inserting “, physician assistant, or
15 nurse practitioner” after “only if the physi-
16 cian”; and

17 (C) by inserting “(or other physician, phy-
18 sician assistant, or nurse practitioner furnishing
19 items or services to such individual, in coordina-
20 tion with the physician, physician assistant, or
21 nurse practitioner managing such individual’s
22 diabetic condition)” after “managing the indi-
23 vidual’s diabetic condition”;

24 (2) in paragraph (2)(B), by striking “para-
25 graph” and inserting “subparagraph”; and

1 (3) by adding at the end the following new
2 paragraph:

3 “(3) For purposes of paragraph (1), the times speci-
4 fied in this paragraph are the following:

5 “(A) An initial 10 hours of educational and
6 training services to remain available until used.

7 “(B) No more than 2 hours of individual or
8 group educational and training services each year,
9 including the year in which the initial 10 hours de-
10 scribed in subparagraph (A) are completed.”.