

Witness List
Subcommittee on Health
Committee on Veterans' Affairs
U.S. House of Representatives

Health Subcommittee Legislative Hearing

H.R. 217 CHIP IN for Veterans Act; H.R. 1107 Protecting Veteran Access to Telemedicine Services Act of 2025; H.R. 1336 The Veterans National Traumatic Brain Injury Treatment Act; H.R. 1823 To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs and the Comptroller General of the United States to report on certain funding shortfalls in the Department of Veterans Affairs; Discussion Draft Standardizing Treatment and Referral Times Act; Discussion Draft No Wrong Door for Veterans Act; Discussion Draft Providing Veterans Essential Medications Act; Discussion Draft Veterans Supporting Prosthetics Opportunities and Recreational Therapy Act; H.R. 658 To amend title 38, United States Code, to establish qualifications for the appointment of a person as a marriage and family therapist, qualified to provide clinical supervision, in the Veterans Health Administration; H.R. 1644 Copay Fairness for Veterans Act; H.R. 1860 Women Veterans Cancer Care Coordination Act; and Discussion Draft Saving Our Veterans Lives Act.

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Speaking From the Dais

The Honorable Jack Bergman
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The Honorable Greg Murphy
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The Honorable Steve Womack
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The Honorable Don Bacon
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The Honorable Sylvia Garcia
U.S. House of Representatives
Texas 29th Congressional District

The Honorable Lauren Underwood
U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable Chris Deluzio
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