

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 5434

To amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to provide for 12-month continuous enrollment of individuals under the Medicaid program and Children’s Health Insurance Program.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 13, 2023

Mrs. DINGELL (for herself and Mr. PALLONE) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “Stabilize Medicaid and
5 CHIP Coverage Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROVIDING FOR 12-MONTH CONTINUOUS ENROLL-**
2 **MENT OF INDIVIDUALS UNDER THE MED-**
3 **ICAID PROGRAM AND CHILDREN’S HEALTH**
4 **INSURANCE PROGRAM.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1902(e)(12) of the Social
6 Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396a(e)(12)), as amended by
7 section 5112 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act,
8 2023, is further amended—

9 (1) in the header, by striking “FOR CHILDREN”;

10 (2) by striking “who is under the age of 19
11 and”;

12 (3) in subparagraph (A), by adding “or” at the
13 end;

14 (4) by striking subparagraph (B); and

15 (5) by redesignating subparagraph (C) as sub-
16 paragraph (B).

17 (b) CHIP.—2107(e)(1)(K) of the Social Security Act
18 (42 U.S.C. 1397gg(e)(1)(K)), as amended by section 5112
19 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023, is further
20 amended—

21 (1) by striking “for children”;

22 (2) by striking “targeted low-income child” and
23 inserting “individual”; and

24 (3) by striking “child becomes” and inserting
25 “individual becomes”.

1 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
2 this section shall take effect on the first day of the first
3 fiscal quarter that begins on or after the date that is 1
4 year after the date of enactment of the Consolidated Ap-
5 propriations Act, 2023.

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