

108TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1757

To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to increase the personal needs allowance applied to institutionalized individuals under the Medicaid Program.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 10, 2003

Ms. SCHAKOWSKY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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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. INCREASE IN MEDICAID PERSONAL NEEDS AL-**  
4 **LOWANCE FOR INSTITUTIONALIZED INDIVID-**  
5 **UALS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1902(q)(2) of the Social  
7 Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396a(q)(2)) is amended by strik-  
8 ing “\$30” and “\$60” and inserting “\$50” and “\$100”,  
9 respectively.

1           (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
2 subsection (a) shall apply to months beginning with Janu-  
3 ary 2004.

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