

109TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1633

To amend the Public Health Service Act to extend Federal Tort Claims Act coverage to all federally qualified community health centers.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 14, 2005

Mr. NEY (for himself, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico, Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. RENZI) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Protecting Every  
5 Health Center Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE**  
2 **ACT.**

3 Section 224(g)(4) of the Public Health Service Act  
4 (42 U.S.C. 233(g)(4)) is amended by striking “receiving  
5 Federal funds under section 330” and inserting “as de-  
6 scribed in section 1905(l)(2)(B) of the Social Security  
7 Act”.

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