

116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2138

To amend title 38, United States Code, to expand the eligibility of low-income veterans to receive dental care.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 8, 2019

Mr. TIPTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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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 “Dental Care for Low-  
5       Income Veterans Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. EXPANSION OF DENTAL CARE TO LOW-INCOME VET-**  
7       **ERANS.**

8       Section 1712(a)(1) of title 38, United States Code,  
9       is amended—

10               (1) in subparagraph (G), by striking “or”;

1           (2) by redesignating subparagraph (H) as sub-  
2     paragraph (I); and

3           (3) by inserting after subparagraph (G) the fol-  
4     lowing new subparagraph (H):

5           “(H) beginning on the date that is two years  
6     after the date of the enactment of this subpara-  
7     graph, from which a veteran whose attributable in-  
8     come is not greater than the amount set forth in  
9     section 1722(b) of this title is suffering; or”.

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