

119TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 2847

To clarify coverage of occupational therapy under the Medicare program.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 17 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 16), 2025

Ms. HASSAN (for herself and Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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Medicare program.

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 “Occupational Therapy  
5       Mental Health Parity Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. CLARIFYING COVERAGE OF OCCUPATIONAL THER-**  
7       **APY UNDER MEDICARE.**

8       Not later than 1 year after the date of enactment  
9       of this Act, the Secretary of Health and Human Services  
10      shall provide education and outreach to stakeholders about  
11      the Medicare Benefit Policy Manual with respect to occu-

1 pational therapy services furnished to individuals under  
2 the Medicare program for the treatment of a substance  
3 use or mental health disorder diagnosis using applicable  
4 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS)  
5 codes.

