

H.R. 7500, Fiscal Year 2022 Veterans Affairs Major Medical Facility Authorization Act

As introduced in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2022

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2022	2022-2027	2022-2032
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	0	0
Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply?	No	Mandate Effects	
Increases on-budget deficits in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2032?	No	Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No

H.R. 7500 would authorize the appropriation of \$3.4 billion for fiscal year 2022 to construct or renovate 12 major medical facilities for the Department of Veterans Affairs. Because funding for those facilities was appropriated in the Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2022 (Division J of P.L. 117-103), CBO estimates that H.R. 7500 would not authorize additional appropriations compared with current law.

On February 9, 2022, CBO transmitted [a cost estimate for S. 2624](#), the Fiscal Year 2022 Veterans Affairs Major Medical Facility Authorization Act, as ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs on December 15, 2021. The two bills are identical. Because appropriations for those facilities had not been enacted at that time, CBO estimated that S. 2624 would increase authorizations of appropriations by \$3.4 billion.

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