

117TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 3496

To amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to expand the funding authority for renovating, constructing, and expanding certain facilities.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 25, 2021

Mr. GALLEGO (for himself and Mr. BACON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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 “Urban Indian Health  
5       Providers Facilities Improvement Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXPANDING THE FUNDING AUTHORITY FOR REN-**  
2 **OVATING, CONSTRUCTING, AND EXPANDING**  
3 **CERTAIN FACILITIES.**

4 Section 509 of the Indian Health Care Improvement  
5 Act (25 U.S.C. 1659) is amended—

6 (1) by striking “minor” before “renovations”;

7 and

8 (2) by striking “, to assist” and all that follows  
9 through “standards”.

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