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H. R. 1047

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to include, as a home health service, nutritional counseling provided by or under the supervision of a registered dietitian.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 23, 1993

Mrs. BYRNE introduced the following bill; which was referred jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce

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 That (a) section 1861(m) of the Social Security Act is

4 amended—

5 (1) by striking out “and” at the end of para-

6 graph (6) thereof,

7 (2) by inserting “and” at the end of clause (B)

8 of paragraph (7) thereof; and

1 (3) by adding after clause (7) thereof (but be-
2 fore the phrase beginning with the words “excluding,
3 however,”) the following new paragraph:

4 “(8) nutritional counseling provided by or
5 under the supervision of a registered dietitian;”.

6 (b) The amendments made by subsection (a) shall be
7 applicable only in the case of services furnished after the
8 month which follows the month in which this Act is en-
9 acted.

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