

# Senate HELP Committee

HELP features four freshmen senators and a new ranking member this year, and Chairman Harkin says this will be his last term in the Senate. The ratio of the majority Democrats to Republicans remains the same as in the last Congress, 12-10. The chart reflects changes to the committee in the new Congress, with members listed by seniority.

## Chart key:

Members with names in **bold type** are new to full committee  
† denotes members new to Primary Health and Aging Subcommittee  
\* denotes members continuing on Primary Health and Aging Subcommittee



**Democrats**



**Republicans**

Tom Harkin, Iowa (chairman)

Lamar Alexander, Tenn.  
(ranking member)

\*Barbara Mikulski, Md.

†Mike Enzi, Wyo.

Patty Murray, Wash.

\*Richard Burr, N.C. (Primary  
Health Subcommittee Chairman)

\*Bernie Sanders, Vt. (Primary  
Health Subcommittee chairman)

Johnny Isakson, Ga.

Bob Casey, Pa.

Rand Paul, Ky.

\*Kay Hagan, N.C.

Orrin Hatch, Utah

Al Franken, Minn.

†Pat Roberts, Kan.

Michael Bennet, Colo.

†Lisa Murkowski, Alaska

\*Sheldon Whitehouse, R.I.

†Mark Kirk, Ill.

†**Tammy Baldwin, Wis.**

**Tim Scott, S.C.**

†**Christopher Murphy, Conn.**

†**Elizabeth Warren, Mass.**