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Hospice News: Extended Sequestration Suspension Saves Hospices \$300 Million

Hospices' efforts to fend off the reimposition of the 2 percent sequestration cut have succeeded.

On April 14, President **Biden** signed into law H.R. 1868, which extends a suspension of Medicare sequestration until Dec. 31. The House passed it after reconciling differences with the Senate version on April 13.



"This action is a significant gain for home health agencies and hospices as it avoids a payment reduction with a value of an estimated \$270 million to home health agencies and \$300 million to hospices," National Association for Home Care & Hospice President **Bill Dombi** said in the trade group's member newsletter.