Access to health care is a serious issue in South Carolina. All 46 South Carolina counties include areas designated as “medically underserved.”

Currently most South Carolina residents on Medicare do not have access to important services provided by pharmacists, including:
- Chronic Disease Management (e.g. Diabetes, Heart Disease)
- Drug Therapy Management
- Preventive Screenings & Related Counseling and Education
  - Glucose Testing
  - Blood Pressure
  - Cholesterol

If H.R.592/S.109 becomes law, pharmacists - a qualified and underutilized health care provider - can help address the needs of South Carolina’s medically underserved.

Over 5,200 Pharmacists Licensed in South Carolina

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Source: National Association of Boards of Pharmacy & State Boards of Pharmacy data