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### HR 3912

Universal Prekindergarten Act Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform. (May 21, 2002)

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# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	May 21, 2002

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

# **Policy Area:**

Education

### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

#### **Summary** (as of Mar 7, 2002)

Universal Prekindergarten Act - Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide grants to a designated State agency for development of universal prekindergaten programs for all children three, four, and five years old in the State.

Requires the State to: (1) match Federal funds by at least 20 percent; and (2) submit a State plan to establish, coordinate, and implement a statewide universal prekindergarten program.

Authorizes State agencies to set aside up to five percent of a grant for ongoing professional development activities for teachers and staff of prekindergarten programs that wish to participate.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- May 21, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
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