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### HR 2876

Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2005

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## **Committee Activity**

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Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 10, 2005
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Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 1, 2005
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 29, 2005
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 1, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2005

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 3402	Related bill	Jan 5, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-162.
109 S 1197	Related bill	Oct 6, 2005: Held at the desk.
109 HR 3171	Related bill	Sep 28, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H8427)

Violence Against Women Act of 2005 - Amends the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) of 1994, VAWA of 2000 (VAWA-2000), the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (OCCSSA), the Public Health Service Act (PHSA), the Social Security Act (SSA), the Higher Education Amendments of 1998, the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000, the Safe Homes for Women Act of 1994, the United States Housing Act of 1937, the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act, the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act, the Battered Immigrant Women Protection Act of 2000, and the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) to reauthorize, revise, and establish various programs for prevention and treatment of violence against women, including domestic violence, child abuse, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking (violence).

Provides for specified VAWA judicial and law enforcement programs, including STOP grants, a stalker database, cyberstalking prevention, and dating violence prohibitions.

Establishes VAWA grant programs: (1) by the Department of Justice (Justice) for assisting children and youth exposed to violence, and for engaging men, women, and youth in preventing violence; and (2) by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) for services, education, protection, and justice for young victims of violence, and for research on effective interventions in the healthcare setting.

Revises OCCSSA requirements for Justice grants for violence against women programs, and establishes programs for sexual assault services and for assistance for victims of abuse.

Requires grants for public information campaigns relating to violence prevention. Requires a National Domestic Violence Hotline study.

Revises and reauthorizes: (1) grants under the Higher Education Amendments of 1998 to reduce violence against women on campus; (2) safe havens for children under the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000.

Reauthorizes PHSA rape prevention and education programs, including the National Sexual Violence Resource Center. Establishes PHSA grants by HHS for: (1) training and education of health professionals in domestic and sexual violence; (2) fostering public health responses to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking; and (3) identification and treatment services at community health centers.

Revises SSA requirements for Federal health programs' response to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

Establishes VAWA grant programs to address the housing needs of victims of violence.

Amends the United States Housing Act of 1937 to require: (1) public and Indian housing authority plans to report on programs offered to victims of violence; and (2) certification and confidentiality with respect to victims of violence in the low-income housing assistance voucher and public housing programs.

Requires emergency leave, under VAWA, for employees experiencing domestic or sexual violence.

Sets forth provisions relating to the safety of Indian women.

Supporting Teens through Education and Protection Act of 2005 - STEP Act - Authorizes the Attorney General through the Director of the Office on Violence Against Women (Justice) to make grants to combat domestic violence, dating

violence, sexual assault, and stalking in middle and high schools.

Immigrant Victims of Violence Protection Act of 2005 - Revises the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) and the Battered Immigrant Women Protection Act of 2000 (under VAWA-2000) with respect to victims of violence, including victims of crimes of human trafficking, VAWA petitioners, and children.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Aug 10, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
- Aug 10, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
- Aug 10, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Select Education.
- Jul 29, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity.
- Jul 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
- Jul 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- Jun 27, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Human Resources.
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