

## HR 1780

Helping Working Families Afford Child Care Act

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Apr 14, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Apr 14, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/1780>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** AL • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 14, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 3233	Related bill	<b>Jul 14, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 3208	Related bill	<b>Jul 13, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 820	Related bill	<b>Mar 19, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 661	Identical bill	<b>Mar 4, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

### Summary (as of Apr 14, 2015)

#### Helping Working Families Afford Child Care Act

Amends the Internal Revenue Code, with respect to the tax credit for employment-related expenses incurred for the care of a taxpayer's dependent, to: (1) increase to \$110,000, the adjusted gross income threshold level above which such credit is incrementally reduced; (2) increase the dollar limit on the allowable amount of such credit; (3) allow an inflation adjustment to the threshold amount and the maximum credit amounts, beginning after 2016; and (4) make such credit refundable.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 14, 2015:** Introduced in House
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