

HR 3884

Veterans Collaboration Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Veterans Collaboration Act

This bill directs the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to carry out a two-year pilot program in states with the highest veteran populations to promote collaboration between the VA and nonprofit organizations and institutions of higher learning.

The VA shall emphasize collaboration with: (1) veterans service organizations that provide personnel with appropriate credentials to assist veterans in filing disability compensation claims and appeals with the VA, and (2) educational institutions that provide veterans with pro bono legal assistance.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 6, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 3, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 3, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.