

## S 1497

### Fairness For Breastfeeding Mothers Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Jun 29, 2017

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S3861; text of measure as introduced: CR S3861-3862) (Jun 29, 2017)

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S3861; text of measure as introduced: CR S3861-3862) (Jun 29, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/1497>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jun 29, 2017
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Nov 14, 2017
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Dec 21, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 29, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1174	Related bill	<b>Mar 8, 2017:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

### Summary (as of Jun 29, 2017)

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This bill requires that certain public buildings that are open to the public and contain a public restroom provide a lactation room, other than a bathroom, that is hygienic and is available for use by members of the public to express milk. The lactation room must be shielded from view, be free from intrusion, and contain a chair, a working surface, and (if the building is supplied with electricity) an electrical outlet.

## Actions Timeline

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