

HRES 531

Expressing support for the designation of September 2017 as "National Kinship Care Month".

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Families

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Sep 21, 2017)

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

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Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2017
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Sep 21, 2017
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Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Sep 21, 2017
Rep. Richmond, Cedric L. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Sep 21, 2017

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Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2017
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 21, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Families

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HRES 1093	Identical bill	Sep 27, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
115 SRES 637	Related bill	Sep 27, 2018: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR 9/18/2018 S6234-6235)
115 SRES 264	Related bill	Sep 19, 2017: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5866)

Summary (as of Sep 21, 2017)

Expresses support for the designation of National Kinship Care Month. Honors the commitment and dedication of kinship caregivers and advocates. Encourages Congress to implement policies to improve the lives of vulnerable children and families.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 21, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 21, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.