

## HR 1131

Collaborative Academic Research Efforts for Tourette Syndrome Act of 2019

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 8, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (Feb 8, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/1131>

### Sponsor

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Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2019
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 22, 2019
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Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Mar 7, 2019
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Mar 9, 2020
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Apr 17, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 8, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4583	Related bill	Sep 15, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## **Collaborative Academic Research Efforts for Tourette Syndrome Act of 2019**

This bill requires the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to expand, intensify, and coordinate NIH research on Tourette syndrome.

The NIH must (1) develop a system to collect data on Tourette syndrome, including epidemiological information and data on the availability of medical and social services for individuals with Tourette syndrome and their families; (2) support Collaborative Research Centers for Tourette Syndrome to conduct basic and clinical research; (3) award grants for research on Tourette syndrome symptoms and treatment options for particular patient subpopulations; and (4) designate funding to carry out Tourette syndrome programs and activities.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 8, 2019:** Introduced in House
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