

S 1450

Supporting Adoptive Families Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Families

Introduced: May 14, 2019

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (May 14, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO] | R · MO | | May 14, 2019 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Finance Committee | Senate | Referred To | May 14, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Families

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 116 HR 3909 | Related bill | Jul 23, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support. |

Summary (as of May 14, 2019)

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This bill requires the Center for Mental Health Services to award grants to states, tribal organizations, and nonprofit organizations to provide mental health services for adopted children. The bill also specifies that pre- and post-adoptive services include education, training, counseling, mentoring, and other direct services.

The Department of Health and Human Services also must issue rules providing for the collection and analysis of data about adoption disruption and dissolution.

Actions Timeline

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