

HR 1718

GI Education Benefits Fairness Act

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 13, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 791	Related bill	Mar 13, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text: CR S1850)

Summary (as of Mar 13, 2019)

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This bill expands eligibility for receipt of GI education benefits as a dependent under the Post-9/11 Educational Assistance Program. Specifically, the bill includes certain unmarried persons as dependents who can receive a transferred entitlement to educational assistance.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 13, 2019:** Introduced in House
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