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Advancing Emergency Preparedness Through One Health Act of 2019

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]

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Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Jun 19, 2019
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Oct 15, 2019
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Nov 6, 2019
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Mar 5, 2020
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Jun 25, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 19, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 3771	Identical bill	<b>Aug 9, 2019:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.

## **Advancing Emergency Preparedness Through One Health Act of 2019**

This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services and the Department of Agriculture, in coordination with other specified agencies and departments, to develop, publish, and submit to Congress a national One Health Framework for coordinated federal activities under the One Health Program, which encourages collaborative efforts to help better prevent, prepare for, and respond to zoonotic disease outbreaks.

The framework must (1) describe existing efforts and contain recommendations for building upon and complementing the activities of federal entities; and (2) establish specified goals, including advancing the scientific understanding of the connections among human, animal, and environmental health.

### **Actions Timeline**

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