

## HR 2826

### Stop Mental Health Stigma in Our Communities Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** May 17, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (May 20, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/2826>

## Sponsor

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

## Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		May 17, 2019
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 20, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 6637	Related bill	Jul 9, 2020: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.

## Summary (as of May 17, 2019)

### Stop Mental Health Stigma in Our Communities Act

This bill requires the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to develop and implement an outreach and education strategy regarding behavioral health issues among the Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander populations. The strategy must be designed to promote behavioral and mental health and reduce stigma associated with mental health conditions and substance abuse among such populations.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 20, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 17, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **May 17, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.