

S 2880

Protecting Social Workers and Health Professionals from Workplace Violence Act of 2019

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Nov 18, 2019)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 18, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 5138	Identical bill	Nov 19, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Nov 18, 2019)

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This bill directs the Department of Health and Human Services to award grants to states, Indian tribes, and tribal organizations for providing safety measures to social workers, health workers, and human services professionals performing services placing such individuals in high-risk and potentially dangerous situations.

Actions Timeline

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