

S 3020

Commitment to Veteran Support and Outreach Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (Dec 11, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]

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

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Dec 11, 2019
Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]	R · AK		Dec 11, 2019
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Dec 11, 2019
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Dec 19, 2019
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Jan 15, 2020
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 10, 2020
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 12, 2020
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 13, 2020
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 24, 2020
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 25, 2020
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 27, 2020
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Mar 2, 2020
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Mar 3, 2020
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Mar 3, 2020
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 25, 2020
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 25, 2020
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Nov 12, 2020
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Dec 14, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 11, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 11, 2019)

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This bill authorizes the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to enter into a contract with a state in order to carry out, coordinate, improve, or otherwise enhance health and wellness programs, comprehensive veteran suicide prevention programs, and outreach by the VA and the state.

The VA is authorized to award a grant to a state to (1) carry out, coordinate, improve or otherwise enhance health and wellness programs, comprehensive veteran suicide prevention programs, outreach activities, or activities to assist with benefits claims for veterans; or (2) hire additional county veterans service officers.

Actions Timeline

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