

HR 4388

Human Trafficking and Exploitation Prevention Training Act of 2019

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (24 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Sep 18, 2019
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Sep 18, 2019
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Sep 18, 2019
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Sep 24, 2019
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Sep 26, 2019
Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Sep 26, 2019
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Oct 11, 2019
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Oct 11, 2019
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Oct 21, 2019
Rep. Spano, Ross [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Oct 21, 2019
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Dec 5, 2019
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jan 17, 2020
Rep. Mucarsel-Powell, Debbie [D-FL-26]	D · FL		Jan 17, 2020
Rep. Shalala, Donna E. [D-FL-27]	D · FL		Jan 17, 2020
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jan 28, 2020
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2020
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		Jan 28, 2020
Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Feb 26, 2020
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Feb 26, 2020
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Mar 2, 2020
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jun 8, 2020
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Aug 25, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3333	Related bill	Feb 25, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
116 S 3307	Related bill	Feb 13, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Sep 18, 2019)

Human Trafficking and Exploitation Prevention Training Act of 2019

This bill requires the Office on Trafficking in Persons (OTIP) within the Administration for Children and Families to award grants to nonprofits, state agencies, elementary and secondary schools for demonstration projects to train students, teachers, and school personnel how to better understand, recognize, prevent, and respond to human trafficking and the exploitation of children and youth.

Such projects also must collect data about the number of human trafficking survivors served and develop procedures to coordinate with law enforcement and appropriate social service organizations. The OTIP must consult with the appropriate agencies to determine and prioritize funding for geographic areas with the highest prevalence of human trafficking and largest underserved youth populations.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 19, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 18, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 18, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.