

HR 4585

Campaign to Prevent Suicide Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Oct 1, 2019

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Sep 22, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gianforte, Greg [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Oct 1, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 2, 2019
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 14	Related bill	Nov 2, 2020: Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.

Summary (as of Sep 21, 2020)

Campaign to Prevent Suicide Act

This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services, in coordination with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, to develop, implement, and evaluate a national media campaign focused on suicide prevention. In addition, the national suicide prevention hotline must be a three-digit, toll-free number.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 22, 2020:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Mrs. Dingell moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4631-4633)
- **Sep 21, 2020:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4585.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4632)
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 18, 2020:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 116-516.
- **Sep 18, 2020:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 416.
- **Jul 15, 2020:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 15, 2020:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 30, 2020:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Oct 2, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 1, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 1, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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