

## HR 6134

### VET MED Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Mar 9, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Mar 9, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6134>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

| Cosponsor                     | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|-------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]    | R · FL        |      | Mar 9, 2020  |
| Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]   | D · OH        |      | May 12, 2020 |
| Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3] | D · CA        |      | Nov 18, 2020 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                         | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Education and Workforce Committee | House   | Referred To | Mar 9, 2020 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Mar 9, 2020)

#### Veterinary Education and Training Minimizes Educational Debt Act or the VET MED Act

This bill allows veterinary students who are enrolled in postgraduate training programs or serving in internships or residencies to defer payment on their Federal Direct Loans for up to five years. Loan interest shall not accrue during such deferment.

### Actions Timeline

- **Mar 9, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 9, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor

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