

## HR 6686

### Bringing Additional Nurses to the Fight Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** May 1, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (May 1, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6686>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Mucarsel-Powell, Debbie [D-FL-26]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		May 15, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of May 1, 2020)

#### Bringing Additional Nurses to the Fight Act

This bill includes the development of accelerated postgraduate nursing programs for individuals who have earned some academic credit in a nursing-related field as a priority area for certain grants made to institutions of higher education or other eligible entities for nurse education, practice, quality, and retention.

### Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **May 1, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.