

## HR 6872

SOS Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** May 14, 2020

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (May 14, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6872>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]

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

### Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		May 14, 2020
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		May 14, 2020
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		May 14, 2020
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		May 14, 2020
Rep. Cook, Paul [R-CA-8]	R · CA		May 15, 2020
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 14, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 6800	Related bill	<b>Jul 23, 2020:</b> Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-517.
116 S 3644	Related bill	<b>May 7, 2020:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
116 HR 6698	Related bill	<b>May 5, 2020:</b> Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

## **Sending Outside Support Act of 2020 or the SOS Act of 2020**

This bill requires the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to distribute funds to allow states to establish strike teams that may be deployed to skilled nursing facilities and nursing facilities with cases of COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) to help with clinical care, infection control, or staffing.

## **Actions Timeline**

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