

## HR 6999

### Coronavirus Mental Health and Addiction Assistance Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** May 22, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, fo

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]

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

### Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		May 22, 2020
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		May 27, 2020
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		May 27, 2020
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		May 27, 2020
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		May 27, 2020
Del. San Nicolas, Michael F. Q. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Jun 11, 2020
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Jun 24, 2020
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Jun 24, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	May 22, 2020
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 22, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3825	Identical bill	<b>May 21, 2020:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## Summary (as of May 22, 2020)

### Coronavirus Mental Health and Addiction Assistance Act of 2020

This bill provides emergency funds for the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to award grants to establish a network of entities that provide mental health and substance use disorder programs during, or in connection with, the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic. Eligible entities include tribes, qualified nonprofit organizations, and partnerships of two or more eligible entities. Grant funds may be used for initiating or expanding telehealth services, support groups, and other activities to provide individuals with counseling and other resources to assist in the management of mental health or substance use disorders.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 22, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **May 22, 2020:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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.