

## HR 7459

Coronavirus Service Corps Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

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

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]

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Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 1, 2020
Del. San Nicolas, Michael F. Q. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jul 1, 2020
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 1, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Coronavirus Service Corps Act**

This bill establishes a Coronavirus Service Corps that must employ unemployed or underemployed citizens to carry out work such as

- health care, including contact tracing, administering COVID-19 tests, and peer mental health counseling;
- assisting essential services and the reopening of businesses;
- social services, including hunger relief, homeless services, and senior care.

The hourly wage for corps employees must be the greater of (1) 150% of the minimum hourly wage in the applicable locality, or (2) \$15 an hour.

## **Actions Timeline**

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