

HR 7976

Suspend the Timeline not Parental Rights in a Public Health Crisis Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Families

Introduced: Aug 7, 2020

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Aug 7, 2020)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/7976>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------|-------------|
| Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3] | D · PA | | Dec 4, 2020 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | Aug 7, 2020 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Families

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 7, 2020)

Suspend the Timeline not Parental Rights in a Public Health Crisis Act

This bill temporarily suspends the requirement for a state to petition for the termination of parental rights for certain children in state foster care during a public health emergency and requires a state to make a reasonable effort to tailor services to the individual needs of a child or family in response to such an emergency.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 7, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 7, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.