

HR 8107

VA Emergency Department Safety Planning Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Committee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Committee Hearings Held. (Sep 10, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Aug 25, 2020
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (full committee)	Sep 10, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 785	Related bill	Oct 17, 2020: Became Public Law No: 116-171.

Summary (as of Aug 25, 2020)

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This bill requires the Department of Veterans Affairs to report on its efforts to implement a suicide prevention program for veterans presenting to an emergency department or urgent care center of the Veterans Health Administration who are assessed to be at risk for suicide and are safe to be discharged home.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 10, 2020: Committee Hearings Held.
- Aug 25, 2020: Introduced in House
- Aug 25, 2020: Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.