

## HR 8621

Child Tax Credit for Pregnant Moms Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Oct 16, 2020

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Oct 16, 2020)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MO • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Oct 16, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 16, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1150	Related bill	<b>Apr 11, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
116 HR 2266	Related bill	<b>Apr 10, 2019:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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This bill expands the child tax credit to allow a credit for an unborn child. The bill defines an "unborn child" as a member of the species homo sapiens, at any stage of development, who is carried in the womb.

The credit may be claimed for the year immediately preceding the year of the child's birth, if the child is born alive on or before the due date for tax returns for the year.

In certain cases in which a child is not taken into account for the credit for the year immediately preceding the year of the child's birth, the bill doubles the amount of the credit allowed for the year of the birth.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 16, 2020:** Introduced in House
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