

HR 973

Violence Against Women Health Act of 2019

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Sponsor

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Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Mar 6, 2019
Rep. Hurd, Will [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Mar 6, 2019
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Mar 6, 2019
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Mar 6, 2019
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Mar 7, 2019
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Mar 7, 2019
Rep. Slotkin, Elissa [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Mar 7, 2019
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 11, 2019
Rep. Cisneros, Gilbert Ray, Jr. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Mar 11, 2019
Rep. Haaland, Debra A. [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Mar 26, 2019
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Apr 8, 2019
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Apr 18, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 5, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill reauthorizes through FY2023 the Department of Health and Human Services program that awards grants to support the health care system's response to domestic violence.

The bill also modifies the program, including by requiring that grant funds be used to (1) support training to address domestic violence in families enrolled in early childhood programs, (2) develop training and resources for behavioral health professionals, (3) support health education training related to labor and sex trafficking, and (4) support the coordination of domestic and sexual violence coalitions. Certain training must prioritize programs administered by the Health Resources & Services Administration's Office of Women's Health.

The bill also permits grant funds to be used to establish state pilot programs that address substance use disorder in the context of domestic violence.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 5, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 5, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.