

## HR 2295

HELP Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Apr 1, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 2, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/2295>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** DE • **Chamber:** Senate

## Cosponsors (29 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Apr 1, 2021
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Apr 1, 2021
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Apr 1, 2021
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Apr 1, 2021
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Apr 8, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Apr 19, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Apr 28, 2021
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		May 11, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		May 11, 2021
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		May 11, 2021
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		May 11, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 17, 2021
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		May 20, 2021
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Jul 27, 2021
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Aug 20, 2021
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Aug 20, 2021
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Oct 19, 2021
Rep. Bourdeaux, Carolyn [D-GA-7]	D · GA		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Dec 23, 2021
Rep. Stansbury, Melanie Ann [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Mar 9, 2022
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Apr 27, 2022
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Apr 27, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 2, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **HIV Epidemic Loan-Repayment Program Act of 2021 or the HELP Act of 2021**

This bill directs the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) to carry out a loan repayment program for certain health care providers who agree to provide HIV treatment or HIV dental care in (1) a designated health professional shortage area, (2) a clinical site that is funded under the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program, or (3) an area that meets requirements specified by HRSA. For each qualifying year of service, HRSA pays one-fifth of the principal and interest on any eligible loan, with total loan repayment after five years; repayment is capped at \$250,000 per borrower.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 2, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 1, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 1, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.