

## S 2425

### Suicide Prevention Lifeline Improvement Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jul 21, 2021

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 128.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 128. (Sep 21, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/2425>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Jul 21, 2021
Sen. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM]	D · NM		Aug 3, 2021
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Aug 3, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 21, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 2981	Related bill	<b>May 13, 2021:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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This bill reauthorizes through FY2027 and expands the requirements for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline Program.

Specifically, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) must undertake efforts to raise awareness about the program and improve data collection and analysis of demographic information related to the program. In addition, SAMHSA must develop a plan to ensure the provision of high-quality service.

The bill also directs the Government Accountability Office to study the program.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 21, 2021:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Murray with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **Sep 21, 2021:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 128.
- **Aug 3, 2021:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Jul 21, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 21, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S5020-5021)