

## HR 2747

### Help Grandfamilies Prevent Child Abuse Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Families

**Introduced:** Apr 21, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Apr 21, 2021)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Apr 21, 2021
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 21, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Families

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1540	Identical bill	<b>May 10, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

### Summary (as of Apr 21, 2021)

### Help Grandfamilies Prevent Child Abuse Act

This bill expands the activities and functions of child welfare programs that support kinship caregiving (i.e., grandparents or other extended family members that provide child caregiving). The bill also expands grants programs for preventing child abuse to prioritize and support the needs of such kinship families.

### Actions Timeline

- **Apr 21, 2021:** Introduced in House
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