

## S 281

### Gun Violence Prevention Research Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 8, 2021

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Feb 8, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/281>

## Sponsor

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**Name:** Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]

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

## Cosponsors (36 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	D · VA		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Feb 8, 2021
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 8, 2021

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 8, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 825	Identical bill	<b>Feb 5, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

### Summary (as of Feb 8, 2021)

#### Gun Violence Prevention Research Act of 2021

This bill authorizes the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to conduct or support research on firearms safety or gun violence prevention.

### Actions Timeline

- **Feb 8, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 8, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.