

HR 2877

Behavioral Intervention Guidelines Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (May 17, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]

Party: Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Apr 28, 2021
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Apr 28, 2021
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Apr 28, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 29, 2021
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 17, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1383	Identical bill	Apr 27, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to develop best practices for establishing behavioral intervention teams in educational settings. These teams, comprised of experts, are responsible for identifying individuals who exhibit concerning behaviors and addressing associated behavioral health issues to prevent harm to the individual or others. HHS must also provide technical assistance on implementing these teams to elementary and secondary schools and institutions of higher education.

Actions Timeline

- **May 17, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- **May 13, 2021:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H2295-2296)
- **May 13, 2021:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 323 - 93, 2 Present (Roll no. 142). (text: 05/11/2021 CR H2167)
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- **May 13, 2021:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 11, 2021:** Mr. Pallone moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **May 11, 2021:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H2167-2168)
- **May 11, 2021:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2877.
- **May 11, 2021:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Apr 29, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 28, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 28, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.