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Provider Training in Palliative Care Act

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill allows National Health Service Corps (NHSC) participants to apply for a deferral of their service obligation period in order to receive training in palliative care. The Department of Health and Human Services may grant a deferral for up to one year.

The NHSC provides scholarships and student loan repayment awards to primary care, dental, and mental health providers who agree to complete a service obligation period by working in areas designated as having a shortage of those types of providers.

Actions Timeline

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