

HR 4397

Department of Defense Burn Pits Health Provider Training Act

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Sponsor

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

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Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Jul 9, 2021
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jul 9, 2021
Rep. Slotkin, Elissa [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Jul 9, 2021
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 9, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2792	Related bill	Sep 22, 2021: An errata sheet on written report No. 117-39 was printed.

Summary (as of Jul 9, 2021)

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This bill requires the Department of Defense to train its medical providers on the potential health effects of burn pits, which are areas used for burning solid waste in open air without equipment.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 9, 2021: introduced in House
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