

HR 4537

Improving Transparency in TANF through Data Act

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 4509	Related bill	Jul 19, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
117 S 2381	Related bill	Jul 19, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jul 19, 2021)

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This bill revises state reporting requirements under the Temporary Assistance for Needy Family (TANF) program. It eliminates the option for states to use certain sampling methods in their reporting and requires states to report additional information related to the work eligibility status and participation in work activities for individuals participating in TANF programs.

The Department of Health and Human Services must also determine reporting requirements related to employment and earnings outcomes in consultation with the Department of Labor.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 19, 2021:** Introduced in House
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