

HR 5247

Reducing Obesity in Youth Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Sep 15, 2021)

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Sponsor

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jan 12, 2022
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Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Feb 1, 2022
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 15, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2741	Identical bill	Dec 15, 2021: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Hearings held.

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This bill requires the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, in coordination with the Administration for Children and Families, to award grants to nonprofits, institutions of higher education, or consortia of these entities to promote healthy eating and physical activity and address food insecurity among children in early care and education settings.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 15, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 14, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 14, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.