

HR 5469

FOSTER Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Sep 30, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 1, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]

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

Cosponsors (20 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Dec 23, 2021
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Dec 23, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		May 3, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 1, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4486	Related bill	Jun 23, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Sep 30, 2021)

Furthering Opioid Services, Training, and Education Resources Act or the FOSTER Act

This bill reauthorizes through FY2026 and expands the scope of grants available for states and Indian tribes to address the opioid crisis. Specifically, the bill allows the use of grant funds for workforce recruitment and training, health care services, and foster and adoptive parent recruitment and training to support opioid abuse prevention and treatment services for children and caregivers, kinship care families, and kinship caregivers.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 1, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Sep 30, 2021: Introduced in House
- Sep 30, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.