

## HR 5745

### COVID-19 Access to Testing and Support for Immune Response Research Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Oct 27, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 28, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5745>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Dunn, Neal P. [R-FL-2]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** House

## Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Jan 19, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 28, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 27, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Oct 27, 2021)

### COVID-19 Access to Testing and Support for Immune Response Research Act of 2021

This bill requires the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to provide for coverage during the COVID-19 public health emergency of T-cell diagnostic laboratory tests for individuals with a current or prior COVID-19 infection. In addition, the Department of Health and Human Services must develop a national strategy to research the immune response to COVID-19 and may award research grants.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 28, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 27, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 27, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
- **Oct 27, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.