

HR 6017

Parental Rights Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Nov 19, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]

Party: Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (30 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Aderholt, Robert B. [R-AL-4]	R · AL		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Cammack, Kat [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Cawthorn, Madison [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Cline, Ben [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Fallon, Pat [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Good, Bob [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Guest, Michael [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Miller, Mary E. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Palazzo, Steven M. [R-MS-4]	R · MS		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Timmons, William R. IV [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Nov 18, 2021
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Nov 30, 2021
Rep. Garbarino, Andrew R. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Nov 30, 2021
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Dec 2, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Mike [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Dec 9, 2021
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Feb 11, 2022
Rep. Bentz, Cliff [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Mar 15, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 18, 2021
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 19, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 3184	Identical bill	Nov 4, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Nov 18, 2021)

Parental Rights Protection Act

This bill restricts government entities from requiring that individuals age 18 or younger receive certain COVID-19 vaccines that were authorized through emergency use and related procedures.

Specifically, a federal, state, tribal, territorial, or local government entity (including a local educational agency) that receives funding from either the Department of Education or the Department of Health and Human Services may not require such COVID-19 vaccinations for individuals age 18 or younger. In particular, a local educational agency that mandates COVID-19 vaccinations for students loses its eligibility for federal education funding.

The bill also requires the prior, informed, written consent of a parent or guardian before administration of such COVID-19 vaccines to an individual age 18 or younger.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 19, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 18, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 18, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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.