

HR 6287

Homeless Children and Youth Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Taylor, Van [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Jan 3, 2022
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Feb 8, 2022
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Feb 22, 2022
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Bush, Cori [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Mar 16, 2022
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Oct 31, 2022
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Nov 14, 2022
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Nov 14, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 14, 2021
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 14, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1469	Related bill	Apr 29, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S2360-2361)

Summary (as of Dec 14, 2021)

Homeless Children and Youth Act of 2021

This bill modifies definitions relating to homeless individuals and homeless children or youth as used by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to verify eligibility for HUD homeless assistance programs, including the Continuum of Care program. Specifically, the bill aligns these terms with the definitions of *homeless* used to verify eligibility for other federal assistance programs. The definitions are also amended to increase access to federal homeless programs by homeless children, youth, and families.

Additionally, the community-wide homeless management information system shall be made available to the public on HUD's website.

Actions Timeline

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