

HR 6783

Autism Family Caregivers Act of 2022

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 21, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4198	Related bill	May 12, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 18, 2022)

Autism Family Caregivers Act of 2022

This bill establishes a pilot program to provide training for caregivers on improving health and other outcomes for children with autism spectrum disorder and other developmental disabilities or delays.

To carry out the program, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) must award grants to, among other eligible entities, health systems and nonprofits to provide the training. HRSA must also establish a national center to provide technical assistance to grant recipients and to evaluate the program.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 21, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 18, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 18, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.