

## S 740

### WORK NOW Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Mar 11, 2021

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Mar 11, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/740>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (13 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Mar 11, 2021
Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]	D · CA		May 11, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 1987	Identical bill	Mar 17, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.

## **Work Opportunities and Resources to Keep Nonprofit Organizations Well Act or the WORK NOW Act**

This bill requires the Department of the Treasury to establish a grant program to provide emergency relief to certain nonprofit organizations, prioritizing organizations that provide services related to the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic. Organizations receiving funding must use not less than 60% of these funds to hire former and new employees.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 11, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
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