

## HR 7454

### Hispanic Educational Resources and Empowerment Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Apr 7, 2022

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Apr 7, 2022)

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Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Apr 21, 2022
Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		May 6, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 7, 2022

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4068	Identical bill	Apr 7, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S2096-2097)

## Summary (as of Apr 7, 2022)

### Hispanic Educational Resources and Empowerment Act of 2022

This bill directs the Department of Education to (1) award grants to Hispanic-serving institutions of higher education (IHEs) to improve and expand innovative collaboration agreements between local educational agencies and IHEs to better serve Hispanic and Latino students, (2) provide technical assistance to such IHEs, and (3) contract with a third party to conduct an independent evaluation of grant activities.

Such grants must be used for specific activities, such as improving school-based and institutional practices to prepare students for postsecondary education and addressing nonacademic needs of students that are barriers to college enrollment.

## Actions Timeline

- **Apr 7, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 7, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.