

## S 781

Elaine M. Checketts Military Families Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Mar 16, 2021

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (Mar 16, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/781>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]

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

### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Mar 16, 2021
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Apr 12, 2021
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		May 13, 2021
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Sep 6, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 16, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 2320	Related bill	<b>Apr 1, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.

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This bill directs the Department of Defense to amend regulations to provide that approved parental leave shall not terminate upon the death of the child for whom the leave is taken.

### **Actions Timeline**

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