

HR 787

Expanding Student Access to Mental Health Services Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Feb 4, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]

Party: Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cline, Ben [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Feb 4, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Mar 2, 2021
Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		May 14, 2021
Rep. Gimenez, Carlos A. [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Dec 2, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 4, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1390	Related bill	Apr 27, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 4, 2021)

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This bill authorizes state and local educational agencies to use Student Support and Academic Enrichment grants to improve mental health services available to students. Specifically, it allows funds to be used for identifying and disseminating best practices for mental health first aid, emergency planning, coordination of services, and telehealth services.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 4, 2021:** Introduced in House
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