

HR 8335

Equality for Families with Disabilities Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Families

Introduced: Jul 12, 2022

Current Status: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H6612)

Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H6612) (Jul 14, 2022)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/8335>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]

Party: Democratic • **State:** RI • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2] | R · NE | | Jul 12, 2022 |
| Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37] | D · CA | | Jul 12, 2022 |
| Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1] | R · PA | | Jul 12, 2022 |
| Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14] | D · MI | | Jul 12, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred to | Jul 12, 2022 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Families

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 12, 2022)

Equality for Families with Disabilities Act

This bill requires state child welfare systems, as a condition of participation in certain federal grant programs, to provide supportive family services and procedural safeguards for individuals with disabilities who are parents, legal guardians, relatives, other caregivers, foster or adoptive parents, or seeking to become foster or adoptive parents.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 14, 2022:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H6612)
- **Jul 12, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 12, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
- **Jul 12, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support.