

HR 8862

PRO-LIFE Act of 2022

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Chamber: House

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (28 total)

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Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2022
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Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Sep 15, 2022
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Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Kirkpatrick, Ann [D-AZ-2]	D · AZ		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Sep 15, 2022
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Sep 15, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 28, 2022
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 15, 2022
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 16, 2022
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 15, 2022
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 1, 2022
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 15, 2022
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 16, 2022
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 15, 2022
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 15, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 951	Related bill	Dec 1, 2021: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 796	Related bill	Nov 30, 2021: Became Public Law No: 117-69.
117 HR 4837	Related bill	Jul 30, 2021: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E865-866)
117 HR 925	Related bill	Jul 15, 2021: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
117 HR 3407	Related bill	May 21, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 958	Related bill	May 13, 2021: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 948	Related bill	Apr 23, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
117 HR 959	Related bill	Apr 23, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
117 HR 2786	Related bill	Apr 22, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
117 S 1314	Related bill	Apr 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text: CR S2170-2171)
117 S 1024	Related bill	Mar 25, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
117 S 893	Related bill	Mar 23, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 851	Related bill	Mar 18, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 1911	Related bill	Mar 17, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 1791	Related bill	Mar 16, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 943	Related bill	Mar 9, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations.
117 S 484	Related bill	Feb 25, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 1212	Related bill	Feb 24, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 S 411	Related bill	Feb 24, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text: CR S859-863)
117 S 423	Related bill	Feb 24, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 334	Related bill	Feb 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
117 S 341	Related bill	Feb 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
117 S 345	Related bill	Feb 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 346	Related bill	Feb 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 347	Related document	Feb 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 909	Related bill	Feb 9, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 937	Related bill	Feb 9, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 945	Related bill	Feb 9, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 950	Related bill	Feb 9, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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117 HR 957	Related bill	Feb 9, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 928	Related bill	Feb 8, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
117 S 287	Related bill	Feb 8, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 804	Related bill	Feb 4, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support.
117 S 248	Related bill	Feb 4, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
117 HR 66	Related bill	Feb 2, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Sep 15, 2022)

Providing Real Opportunities and Lifelong Investments For Everyone Act of 2022 or the PRO-LIFE Act of 2022

This bill establishes new, and modifies existing, programs related to maternal and child health, tax credits and other benefits for parents and caregivers, and support for childcare infrastructure.

The bill requires multi-agency efforts to improve maternal health and reduce maternal mortality, particularly among racial and ethnic minority groups, veterans, and other vulnerable populations, by addressing both health-related factors and the social determinants of health (i.e., nonmedical factors that influence health outcomes, such as housing, food security, transportation, and environmental conditions). Additionally, the bill permanently extends the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and related measures.

Further, the bill (1) sets up a family medical leave insurance benefit that entitles employees to a monthly benefit payment for a period of qualified caregiving; and (2) imposes a tax on employers, employees, and self-employed individuals to fund the benefits. The bill also increases the amount of the child tax credit and makes the credit fully refundable and payable in advance on a monthly basis.

In addition, the Department of Labor must carry out a program to certify and recognize employers that implement family-friendly workplace programs (e.g., providing paid family and sick leave or subsidizing childcare).

The bill also requires support for childcare infrastructure, for example by establishing grants for childcare facilities and scholarship and loan repayment programs for childcare educators.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Oct 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations.
- **Sep 16, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Sep 16, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 15, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 15, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Transportation and Infrastructure, Education and Labor, the Judiciary, Natural Resources, Agriculture, Veterans' Affairs, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.