

## S 897

### Improving Child Care for Working Families Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Mar 23, 2021

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

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 23, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/897>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]

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

## Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Mar 23, 2021
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Mar 23, 2021
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Mar 23, 2021

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 23, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 2714	Related bill	Apr 20, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
117 HR 2121	Identical bill	Mar 23, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

## Summary (as of Mar 23, 2021)

### Improving Child Care for Working Families Act of 2021

This bill increases the limitation on the exclusion from employee gross income for employer-paid dependent care assistance from \$5,000 to \$10,500.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 23, 2021:** introduced in Senate
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