

## HR 936

### COVID-19 Delivery Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Feb 8, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 9, 2021)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Feb 8, 2021
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2021
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 8, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 9, 2021
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 9, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 330	Related bill	Feb 5, 2021: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H458)

## **Delivering COVID-19 Vaccinations to All Regions and Vulnerable Communities Act of 2021 or the COVID-19 Delivery Act**

This bill directs the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to support COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) vaccination programs.

To assist state or local governments with vaccination efforts, FEMA must coordinate certain activities. Specifically, FEMA must

- manage vaccine deliveries,
- set up vaccination centers,
- design communication systems and software applications, and
- develop a public education program on vaccine safety and availability.

Additionally, HHS must carry out a program to increase vaccination rates to achieve herd immunity. As part of this program, HHS must temporarily collect data on COVID-19 vaccine administrations. Data collected under this program is subject to relevant privacy protections that apply to other health data. HHS must report on its activities on a daily or weekly basis.

The CDC must also report on the effectiveness of state and local COVID-19 vaccination programs.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 9, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Feb 9, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 8, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 8, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.