

HR 1078

Veteran Education Empowerment Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Feb 17, 2023
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-14]	D · CA		May 9, 2023
Rep. Nunn, Zachary [R-IA-3]	R · IA		Jul 25, 2023
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jul 26, 2023
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Aug 8, 2023
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2024
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Mar 11, 2024
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jun 3, 2024
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	D · MI		Sep 16, 2024
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Oct 8, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 17, 2023

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 498	Identical bill	Apr 26, 2023: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 118-160.

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This bill reauthorizes through FY2031 and otherwise revises a Department of Education (ED) grant program for student veteran centers.

Specifically, ED must make grants to institutions of higher education (IHEs) or consortia of IHEs to establish, maintain, improve, or operate a student veteran center. A student veteran center is a dedicated space on a campus that provides students who are veterans or members of the Armed Forces with (1) a lounge or meeting space for themselves, their spouses or partners, their children, and veterans in the community; and (2) a centralized office for student veteran services that serves as a single point of contact to coordinate comprehensive support services for student veterans.

Actions Timeline

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