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SUPPORT for Patients and Communities Reauthorization Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Jul 20, 2023

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Jul 20, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 20, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 7899	Related bill	Apr 9, 2024: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.
118 S 3370	Related bill	Nov 30, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
118 S 3070	Related bill	Oct 18, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
118 HR 5598	Related bill	Sep 22, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
118 HR 3946	Related bill	Jun 16, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
118 HR 4063	Related bill	Jun 16, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
118 S 1800	Related bill	Jun 1, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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This bill reauthorizes through FY2028 programs and activities relating to mental health and substance use disorder services.

Reauthorized programs and activities include

- programs that enable access to drugs or devices that temporarily reverse opioid overdoses,
- activities to support the capacity of laboratories to detect synthetic opioids (e.g., fentanyl),
- residential treatment programs for pregnant and postpartum individuals, and
- training and workforce development for providers of mental health and substance use disorder services.

The bill also modifies certain requirements relating to the regulation of controlled substances and the provision of mental health and substance use disorder services, including by requiring (1) the issuance of federal guidance to support at-home safe disposal systems for drugs, (2) studies to evaluate the efficacy of opioid treatment through buprenorphine and methadone, and (3) evaluations of the use of certain block grants by states to treat individuals with serious mental illnesses.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 20, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
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