

S 2476

Mental Health for Latinos Act of 2023

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 25, 2023
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Sep 5, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 25, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 4884	Related bill	Jul 28, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jul 25, 2023)

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This bill requires the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to develop and implement an outreach and education strategy regarding behavioral health issues among the Hispanic and Latino populations. The strategy must be designed to promote behavioral and mental health and reduce stigma associated with mental health conditions and substance abuse among such populations.

Actions Timeline

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