

HR 2718

Elder Justice Reauthorization and Modernization Act of 2023

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Chamber: House

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (22 total)

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Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Apr 25, 2023
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Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Apr 25, 2023
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Apr 27, 2023
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		May 10, 2023
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		May 22, 2023
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jun 5, 2023
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Jun 12, 2023
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jun 12, 2023
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Jun 20, 2023
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-12]	D · CA		Jun 23, 2023
Rep. Magaziner, Seth [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jul 10, 2023
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jul 17, 2023
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		Jul 19, 2023
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Sep 12, 2023
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Nov 1, 2023
Rep. Velázquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jun 7, 2024
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jun 13, 2024
Rep. Moskowitz, Jared [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jul 8, 2024
Rep. Scholten, Hillary J. [D-MI-3]	D · MI		Aug 13, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 19, 2023
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 19, 2023
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 19, 2023
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 17, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 2692	Related bill	Dec 17, 2024: Referred to the Subcommittee on Work and Welfare.
118 HR 7929	Related bill	Dec 17, 2024: Referred to the Subcommittee on Work and Welfare.
118 S 3437	Related bill	Dec 7, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
118 S 1198	Related bill	Apr 19, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Apr 19, 2023)

Elder Justice Reauthorization and Modernization Act of 2023

This bill reauthorizes, provides funding through FY2027 for, and otherwise makes changes to programs that address abuse, neglect, and exploitation of older adults and adults with disabilities.

Specifically, the bill provides funding for states and localities to enhance adult protective services and long-term care ombudsman programs.

Additionally, the bill modifies an existing long-term care workforce grant program, including by requiring that grant recipients use funds to provide employees with wage subsidies, educational assistance, and access to affordable child care and transportation. Furthermore, the bill establishes new grant programs for states to (1) link health care and social services for older adults and adults with disabilities, including through medical-legal partnerships and legal services hotlines; and (2) prevent and address social isolation among older adults and adults with disabilities.

The bill also provides funding for reporting by the Department of Health and Human Services on the effectiveness of various programs and activities in addressing abuse, neglect, and exploitation of older adults and adults with disabilities.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Work and Welfare.
- **Apr 19, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 19, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Education and the Workforce, and 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.