

HR 3055

Improving Mental Health in Schools Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (May 2, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-9]

Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 2, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 2, 2023)

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This bill includes certain mental health professionals as specialized instructional support personnel for purposes of elementary and secondary education.

Specifically, the bill revises the definition of *specialized instructional support personnel* in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to include qualified mental health professionals involved in providing mental health services for students. These professionals include, among others, marriage and family therapists, licensed clinical social workers, and clinical psychologists.

## Actions Timeline

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