

HR 3727

Teacher Health and Wellness Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 25, 2023
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 26, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Teacher Health and Wellness Act

This bill directs the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to conduct a five-year study that evaluates various interventions for reducing stress and supporting the well-being of elementary and secondary school teachers.

In particular, the NIH must implement and analyze the effects of workplace wellness programs, stress management programs, and other types of interventions on teacher stress, retention, and well-being. The NIH must also report to Congress about the results of its study, including any recommendations for reducing stress-related health care costs for teachers.

Actions Timeline

- **May 26, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 25, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **May 25, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.