

HR 782

Ensuring Women’s Right to Reproductive Freedom Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Feb 2, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 10, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Fletcher, Lizzie [D-TX-7]

Party: Democratic • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (186 total)

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Rep. Balint, Becca [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Feb 2, 2023
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Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Feb 2, 2023
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Rep. Bowman, Jamaal [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Budzinski, Nikki [D-IL-13]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Bush, Cori [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Carter, Troy [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Casar, Greg [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Crockett, Jasmine [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Deluzio, Christopher R. [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	D · MI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-37]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2023

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Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
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Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
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Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Ivey, Glenn [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Jacobs, Sara [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
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Rep. Kamlager-Dove, Sydney [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Landsman, Greg [D-OH-1]	D · OH		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-12]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Magaziner, Seth [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Feb 2, 2023

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Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. McGarvey, Morgan [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Moskowitz, Jared [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Mullin, Kevin [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Perez, Marie Gluesenkamp [D-WA-3]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-50]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Pettersen, Brittany [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-25]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Ryan, Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	D · OR		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Scholten, Hillary J. [D-MI-3]	D · MI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023

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Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Sorensen, Eric [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Stansbury, Melanie Ann [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Tokuda, Jill N. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Torres, Ritchie [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-25]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Wexton, Jennifer [D-VA-10]	D · VA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2023
Rep. Pelosi, Nancy [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Feb 7, 2023
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Feb 8, 2023
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Feb 8, 2023
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Feb 9, 2023
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Feb 9, 2023
Rep. Hoyle, Val T. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Caraveo, Yadira [D-CO-8]	D · CO		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Goldman, Daniel S. [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Mar 22, 2023
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Apr 10, 2023
Rep. Nickel, Wiley [D-NC-13]	D · NC		Apr 10, 2023

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Rep. Lee, Summer L. [D-PA-12]	D · PA		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		May 16, 2023
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		May 31, 2023
Rep. Slotkin, Elissa [D-MI-7]	D · MI		Jun 5, 2023
Rep. McClellan, Jennifer L. [D-VA-4]	D · VA		Jun 21, 2023
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Jul 11, 2023
Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Dec 11, 2023
Rep. Amo, Gabe [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jan 31, 2024
Rep. Thanedar, Shri [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Mar 12, 2024
Rep. Ramirez, Delia C. [D-IL-3]	D · IL		May 28, 2024
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Jun 5, 2024
Rep. Peltola, Mary Sattler [D-AK-At Large]	D · AK		Jun 26, 2024
Rep. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Aug 13, 2024
Rep. Brown, Shontel M. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Sep 9, 2024
Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5]	D · MD		Sep 20, 2024
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Sep 23, 2024
Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Oct 1, 2024
Rep. Kennedy, Timothy M. [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Oct 22, 2024
Rep. Carson, André [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Nov 12, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Unknown	Feb 10, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Ensuring Women's Right to Reproductive Freedom Act

This bill prohibits anyone acting under state law from interfering with a person's ability to access out-of-state abortion services. (*Abortion services* include the use of any drugs that are approved to terminate pregnancies and any health care services related to an abortion, whether or not the services are provided at the same time or on the same day as the abortion.)

Specifically, the bill prohibits any person acting under state law from preventing, restricting, impeding, or retaliating against

- health care providers who provide legal abortion services to out-of-state residents,
- any person or entity who helps health care providers to provide such services,
- any person who travels to another state to obtain such services,
- any person or entity who helps another person travel to another state to obtain such services, or
- the movement in interstate commerce of drugs that are approved to terminate pregnancies.

The Department of Justice may enforce this bill through civil actions; the bill also establishes a private right of action for violations.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 10, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 8, 2023:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H746)
- **Feb 2, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 2, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.