

## HR 795

### Protecting First Responders from Secondary Exposure Act of 2023

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Feb 2, 2023

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Feb 2, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/795>

## Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Sep 12, 2023
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Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Dec 14, 2023
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Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Mar 7, 2024
Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	D · OR		Mar 26, 2024
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Dec 27, 2024

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 2, 2023

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 261	Identical bill	Feb 2, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## Protecting First Responders from Secondary Exposure Act of 2023

This bill expands the allowable uses of grant funds under the Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Program administered by the Department of Justice.

Specifically, the bill allows grants to be used for purchasing containment devices for first responders and training first responders on the use of containment devices to prevent secondary exposure to fentanyl and other potentially lethal substances.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 2, 2023:** Introduced in House
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