

HR 579

Recruiting Families Using Data Act of 2025

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 5, 2025
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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 S 162	Identical bill	Jan 21, 2025: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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This bill requires state plans for child welfare services to provide for the development and implementation of a family partnership plan to improve foster care placement stability, increase rates of kinship placements, and align the composition of foster and adoptive families with the needs of children in or entering foster care.

The Children's Bureau of the Administration for Children and Families also must include in its annual report information from states about the number, demographics, and characteristics of foster and adoptive families as well as a summary of the challenges related to recruiting and being foster or adoptive parents.

