

HR 6203

United States Cadet Nurse Corps Service Recognition Act of 2025

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs. (Dec 9, 2025)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Lawler, Michael [R-NY-17]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Nov 20, 2025
Rep. Deluzio, Christopher R. [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Nov 20, 2025
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Nov 20, 2025
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Dec 10, 2025
Rep. Harshbarger, Diana [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Dec 10, 2025
Rep. McDonald Rivet, Kristen [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Dec 17, 2025
Rep. Vindman, Eugene Simon [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Dec 17, 2025
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Feb 10, 2026

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 20, 2025
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 20, 2025
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 9, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 S 3329	Related bill	Dec 3, 2025: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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This bill recognizes service as a member of the U.S. Cadet Nurse Corps between July 1, 1943, and December 31, 1948, as active duty service. The active duty designation entitles qualifying individuals to certain benefits afforded to veterans, such as burial benefits (not including interment or inurnment at Arlington National Cemetery) and honorary veteran status.

Under the bill, the Department of Defense (DOD) must issue individuals who served in the corps during the specified period a discharge from their service under honorable conditions if such a discharge is warranted based on the duration and nature of the service.

Such individuals are not entitled to Department of Veterans Affairs benefits aside from those related to burials and memorials.

The bill also authorizes DOD to produce a service medal or other commendation, memorial plaque, or grave marker to honor the individuals.

Actions Timeline

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