



Mr. Frank Pallone

Party: Democratic • Chamber: House

State: NJ • District: 6

Service: 1987–2025 (including current term)

Most recent Congress: 119

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Biography

A Representative from New Jersey. Born in Long Branch, Monmouth County, N. J., October 30, 1951. Graduated from Long Branch High School, Long Branch, N. J., 1969. B. A., Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., 1973. M. A., Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, Medford, Mass., 1974. J. D., Rutgers University School of Law, Camden, N. J., 1978. Lawyer, private practice. Member of the Long Branch, N. J., city council, 1982-1988. Member of the New Jersey state senate, 1983-1988. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundredth Congress, by special election, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of United States Representative James John Howard, but was not sworn in because Congress had adjourned. Elected simultaneously to the One Hundred First Congress and reelected to the eighteen succeeding Congresses (November 8, 1988-present). Unsuccessful candidate for nomination to the United States Senate in 2013. Chair, Committee on Energy and Commerce (One Hundred Sixteenth and One Hundred Seventeenth Congresses).

Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

• Energy and Commerce Committee - Standing

Legislative Activity (1987–2025)

Bills sponsored: 388 Bills cosponsored: 4309

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HR 6292	Don't Sell Kids' Data Act of 2025	Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Voice Vote. Updated Dec 11, 2025
119 HR 249	To redesignate certain facilities at Paterson Great Falls National Historical Park in honor of Congressman Bill Pascrell, Jr.	Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held. Updated Dec 9, 2025
119 HR 1431	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2407 State Route 71, Suite 1, in Spring Lake, New Jersey, as the "James J. Howard Post Office".	Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 38 - 2. Updated Dec 2, 2025
119 HR 6166	Lowering Drug Costs for American Families Act	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Mean Updated Nov 20, 2025
119 HR 5484	National Flood Insurance Program Reauthorization and Reform Act of 2025	Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management. Updated Sep 19, 2025

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EACH Act of 2025	Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Dec 19, 2025		
To require the Secretary of Defense to certify that the Government of Azerbaijan has taken certain meaningful steps with respect to Armenia and the Nagorno-Karabakh region, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. Updated Dec 18, 2025		
To designate Newark Penn Station in Newark, New Jersey as the "Donald M. Payne, Jr. Transit Center at Newark Penn Station".	Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. Updated Dec 17, 2025		
ESTUARIES Act	Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. Updated Dec 16, 2025		
To amend the National Apprenticeship Act in order to increase and expand the national apprenticeship system to include the immediate recruitment, employment, and on-the-job earn as you learn training of young African Americans, and to promote the development of equitable hiring standards necessary to safeguard the diversity of apprentices, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Education and Workforce. Updated Dec 15, 2025		
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