



## Lawrence Smith

**Party:** Democratic • **Chamber:** House

**State:** FL • **District:** 16

**Service:** 1983–1993

**Most recent Congress:** 102

### Biography

A Representative from Florida. Born in Brooklyn, Kings County, N. Y. , April 25, 1941. Attended public schools in East Meadow, N. Y. Attended the New York University, New York City, 1958-1961. LL. B. And J. D. , Brooklyn Law School, Brooklyn, N. Y. , 1964. Admitted to the New York bar, 1964 and commenced practice in New York City. Admitted to the Florida bar, 1972. Elected to the Florida house of representatives, 1978-1982. Chairman, planning and zoning board, Hollywood, Fla. , 1974-1978. Delegate to seven Democratic National Conventions from 1980 to 2004. Elected as a Democrat to the Ninety-eighth and to the four succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1983-January 3, 1993). Was not a candidate for renomination in 1992 to the One Hundred Third Congress.

### Legislative Activity (1983–1993)

**Bills sponsored:** 0

**Bills cosponsored:** 0