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# Legislation Sponsored

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118 HR 4837 introduced 2023-07-24

To amend the Public Health Service Act to help build a stronger health care workforce.

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118 HR 4264 introduced 2023-06-21

To direct the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment to submit to Congress a report on incinerators and waste-to-energy waste disposal alternatives to burn pits.

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118 HR 4080 introduced 2023-06-13

To amend the SUPPORT for Patients and Communities Act to extend a task force to develop best practices for trauma-informed identification, referral, and support.

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118 HR 4046 introduced 2023-06-12

To amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to strengthen the provisions relating to child labor, and for other purposes.

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118 HR 2519 introduced 2023-04-06

To support the education of Indian children.

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118 HR 2518 introduced 2023-04-06

To direct the Secretary of Defense to provide budget information for incinerators and waste-to-energy waste disposal alternatives to burn pits.

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# Sponsored 2023

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118 HR 2527 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an employer credit for increasing wages.

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118 HR 2525 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend title 38, United States Code, to expand eligibility for, and extend authorization of, certain programs for homeless veterans.

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118 HR 2528 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 and title 5, United States Code, to permit leave to care for an adult child, grandchild, or grandparent who has a serious health condition, and for other purposes.

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118 HR 2523 introduced 2023-04-06

To prohibit the use of funds provided for the official travel expenses of Members of Congress and other officers and employees of the legislative branch for airline accommodations which are not coach-class accommodations, and for other purposes.

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118 HR 2526 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify that caregivers for veterans with serious illnesses are eligible for assistance and support services provided by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.

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# Sponsored 2023

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## 118 HR 2524 introduced 2023-04-06

To prevent the enrichment of certain Government officers and employees or their families through Federal funds or contracting, and for other purposes.

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## 118 HR 2520 introduced 2023-04-06

To require the Secretary of Labor to carry out a pilot program to award competitive grants to eligible entities to train individuals for careers in the renewable energy and energy efficiency industries, and for other purposes.

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## 118 HR 2522 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit a candidate for election for Federal office from using amounts contributed to the candidate's campaign to make payments to vendors owned or controlled by the candidate or by an immediate family member of the candidate.

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## 118 HR 2529 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend title 5, United States Code, to require the President, Vice President, and Cabinet-level officers to release their tax returns, and for other purposes.

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## 118 HR 2521 introduced 2023-04-06

To amend the Safe Drinking Water Act with respect to assistance for disadvantaged communities, and for other purposes.

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# Sponsored 2023

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118 HR 2472 introduced 2023-04-03

To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to take actions necessary to ensure that certain individuals may update the burn pit registry with a registered individual's cause of death, and for other purposes.

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118 HR 2474 introduced 2023-04-03

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an update to a single conversion factor under the Medicare physician fee schedule that is based on the Medicare economic index.

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118 HR 2470 introduced 2023-04-03

To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize additional grant activities for Hispanic-serving institutions.

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118 HR 2473 introduced 2023-04-03

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to distribute additional information to Medicare beneficiaries to prevent health care fraud, and for other purposes.

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118 HR 2471 introduced 2023-04-03

To prohibit the unauthorized possession of a firearm at a Federal election site.

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118 HR 2469 introduced 2023-04-03

To direct the Secretary of Defense to establish an outreach program to inform members of the Armed Forces, assigned to work near burn pits, of the risks of toxic exposure, and for other purposes.

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# Sponsored 2023

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118 HR 2446 introduced 2023-03-30

To establish the Cesar E. Chavez and the Farmworker Movement National Historical Park in the States of California and Arizona, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 9074 introduced 2022-09-29

To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 333 North Sunrise Way in Palm Springs, California, as the "Chairman Richard Milanovich Post Office".

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117 HRES 1403 introduced 2022-09-29

Electing a certain Member to a certain standing committee of the House of Representatives.

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117 HR 8890 introduced 2022-09-19

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish exceptions for certain physician wellness programs, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 8790 introduced 2022-09-09

To amend the Public Health Service Act to help build a stronger health care workforce.

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117 HR 8673 introduced 2022-08-05

To support the education of Indian children.

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# Sponsored 2022

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117 HR 8675 introduced 2022-08-05

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an employer credit for increasing wages.

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117 HR 8676 introduced 2022-08-05

To require the Secretary of the Interior to take certain measures with respect to protecting the Salton Sea, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 8674 introduced 2022-08-05

To require the Secretary of Labor to carry out a pilot program to award competitive grants to eligible entities to train individuals for careers in the renewable energy and energy efficiency industries, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 8479 introduced 2022-07-21

To amend the California Desert Protection Act of 1994 with respect to the definition of the term "conservation land", and for other purposes.

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117 HR 8430 introduced 2022-07-19

To direct the Secretary of Defense to establish an outreach program to inform members of the Armed Forces, assigned to work near burn pits, of the risks of toxic exposure, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 8151 introduced 2022-06-21

To amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to awards to support community health workers and community health.

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# Sponsored 2022

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117 HR 8046 introduced 2022-06-13

To establish the Cesar E. Chavez and the Farmworker Movement National Historical Park in the States of California and Arizona, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 7988 introduced 2022-06-08

To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 79125 Corporate Centre Drive in La Quinta, California, as the "Corporal Hunter Lopez Memorial Post Office Building".

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117 HR 7943 introduced 2022-06-03

To permit Members of the House of Representatives to use the Members` Representational Allowance to continue to provide services for casework projects on behalf of former constituents who no longer reside in the Member`s congressional district as the result of congressional redistricting.

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117 HR 7925 introduced 2022-05-31

To designate the outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Palm Desert, California, as the "Sy Kaplan Veterans Center".

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117 HR 7807 introduced 2022-05-17

To amend title 38, United States Code, to expand eligibility for, and extend authorization of, certain programs for homeless veterans.

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# Sponsored 2022

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117 HRES 1103 introduced 2022-05-11

Electing Members to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives.

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117 HR 7257 introduced 2022-03-28

To require U.S. Customs and Border Protection to perform an initial health screening on detainees, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 6596 introduced 2022-02-03

To amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify that caregivers for veterans with serious illnesses are eligible for assistance and support services provided by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.

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117 HR 5827 introduced 2021-11-02

Protecting Outdoor Concerts Act of 2021

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117 HR 5534 introduced 2021-10-08

Military Service Academy Hispanic Representation Act

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117 HR 5535 introduced 2021-10-08

Hispanic Military Officers Act

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117 HR 5239 introduced 2021-09-10

Good Samaritan Health Professionals Act of 2021

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# Sponsored 2021

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117 HR 5238 introduced 2021-09-10

Grandparent-Grandchild Medical Leave Act

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117 HR 5030 introduced 2021-08-13

Diversifying Investigations Via Equitable Research Studies for Everyone Trials Act

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117 HR 4722 introduced 2021-07-27

Vote Without Fear Act

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117 HR 4580 introduced 2021-07-20

American Seasonal and Perishable Crop Support Act

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117 HR 4401 introduced 2021-07-09

Protecting Seniors from Health Care Fraud Act of 2021

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117 HR 4399 introduced 2021-07-09

Accessing Higher Education Opportunities Act

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117 HR 4398 introduced 2021-07-09

Reducing Exposure to Burn Pits Act

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117 HR 4397 introduced 2021-07-09

Department of Defense Burn Pits Health Provider Training Act

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# Sponsored 2021

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117 HR 4400 introduced 2021-07-09

Burn Pit Registry Expansion Act

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117 HR 4283 introduced 2021-06-30

Native Health and Wellness Act of 2021

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117 HR 4284 introduced 2021-06-30

Clean Drinking Water Equity Act

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117 HR 4014 introduced 2021-06-17

Physician Shortage GME Cap Flex Act of 2021

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117 HR 3877 introduced 2021-06-14

Salton Sea Projects Improvements Act

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117 HR 3286 introduced 2021-05-17

Emergency Order Assurance, Safety, and Inspection of water Systems Act

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117 HRES 341 introduced 2021-04-21

Urging the promotion of equity in the distribution and allocation of COVID-19 vaccines among Hispanic, Black, Asian-American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander, and Native American communities.

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# Sponsored 2021

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117 HR 2434 introduced 2021-04-08

Environmental Justice Act of 2021

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117 HR 2433 introduced 2021-04-08

Burn Pit Registry Enhancement Act

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117 HR 2432 introduced 2021-04-08

Jennifer Kepner Healthcare for Open air burn Pit Exposure Act

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117 HR 2431 introduced 2021-04-08

Voices for Environmental Justice Act

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117 HR 2372 introduced 2021-04-05

Presumptive Benefits for War Fighters Exposed to Burn Pits and Other Toxins Act of 2021

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117 HR 2371 introduced 2021-04-05

Veterans Right to Breathe Act

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117 HR 2163 introduced 2021-03-23

Safe Step Act

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117 HR 1888 introduced 2021-03-12

Improving Access to Indian Health Services Act

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# Sponsored 2021

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117 HR 1889 introduced 2021-03-12

Environmental Justice for Coronavirus Affected Communities Act

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117 HR 1708 introduced 2021-03-09

Tribal Health Care Protection Fund Act

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117 HR 1590 introduced 2021-03-03

Tribal Internet Expansion Act of 2021

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117 HR 1373 introduced 2021-02-25

Urban Indian Health Parity Act

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117 HR 1205 introduced 2021-02-22

Improving Mental Health Access from the Emergency Department Act of 2021

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117 HR 949 introduced 2021-02-08

Expanding Teaching Health Centers Act of 2021

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117 HR 898 introduced 2021-02-05

Care for COVID19 Act of 2021

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117 HR 897 introduced 2021-02-05

Agua Caliente Land Exchange Fee to Trust Confirmation Act

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# Sponsored 2021

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117 HR 667 introduced 2021-02-01

Desert Sage Youth Wellness Center Access Improvement Act

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117 HR 483 introduced 2021-01-25

Heroes Lesley Zerebny and Gilbert Vega First Responders Survivors Support Act of 2021

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117 HR 229 introduced 2021-01-06

Campaign Spending Integrity Act

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117 HR 230 introduced 2021-01-06

Coach-Only Airfare for Capitol Hill Act of 2021

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117 HR 232 introduced 2021-01-06

Public Service Transparency Act

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117 HR 231 introduced 2021-01-06

Public Service Spending Integrity Act

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116 HR 8775 introduced 2020-11-18

To require the Secretary of the Interior to take certain measures with respect to protecting the Salton Sea, and for other purposes.

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116 HR 8261 introduced 2020-09-15

To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a presumption of service connection for certain diseases associated with exposure to toxins, including emissions from open burn pits, and for other purposes.

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# Sponsored 2020

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116 HR 7849 introduced 2020-07-29

To require the Secretary of Labor to carry out a pilot program to award competitive grants to eligible entities to train individuals for careers in the renewable energy and energy efficiency industries, and for other purposes.

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116 HR 7729 introduced 2020-07-22

To release the City of Banning, California, from all restrictions, conditions, and limitations on the use, encumbrance, conveyance, and closure of the Banning Municipal Airport.

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116 HR 7596 introduced 2020-07-13

To direct the Secretary of Defense to provide medical providers of the Department of Defense mandatory training with respect to the potential health effects of burn pits.

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116 HR 7600 introduced 2020-07-13

To expand the scope of the Department of Veterans Affairs open burn pit registry.

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116 HR 7597 introduced 2020-07-13

To direct the Secretary of Defense to submit to Congress a report on the research and studies being conducted or funded by the Department of Defense to assess the health effects of burn pits.

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# Sponsored 2020

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116 HR 7598 introduced 2020-07-13

To direct the Secretary of Defense to include information on exposure to open burn pits in postdeployment health reassessments of members of the Armed Forces.

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116 HR 7599 introduced 2020-07-13

To direct the Secretary of Defense to provide budget information for incinerators and waste-to-energy waste disposal alternatives to burn pits.

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116 HR 7470 introduced 2020-07-01

Building a Health Care Workforce for the Future Act

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116 HR 6836 introduced 2020-05-12

Tribal Health Care Protection Fund Act

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116 HR 6785 introduced 2020-05-08

FEMA Tribal Coordinator Act

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116 HR 6692 introduced 2020-05-01

To require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to continue to carry out certain programs relating to environmental justice, and for other purposes.

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116 HR 6486 introduced 2020-04-10

Care for COVID-19 Act 2.0

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# Sponsored 2020

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116 HR 6311 introduced 2020-03-19

Care for COVID-19 Act

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116 HR 6283 introduced 2020-03-13

Good Samaritan Health Professionals Act of 2020

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116 HR 6282 introduced 2020-03-13

Commission on Americas Medical Security Act

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116 HR 6261 introduced 2020-03-12

To provide for coverage of testing for COVID-19 at no cost sharing for Indians receiving health services through the Indian Health Service, and for other purposes.

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116 HR 6090 introduced 2020-03-04

Physician Shortage GME Cap Flex Act of 2020

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116 HR 5261 introduced 2019-11-22

Rewarding American Investments to Support Employees Act of 2019

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116 HR 5022 introduced 2019-11-08

Nicotine Or Vaping Access Protection and Enforcement Act of 2019

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# Sponsored 2019

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116 HR 4930 introduced 2019-10-30

Wounded Veterans Recreation Act

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116 HR 4573 introduced 2019-09-27

Accessing Higher Education Opportunities Act

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116 HR 4574 introduced 2019-09-27

Veterans Right to Breathe Act

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116 HR 4534 introduced 2019-09-26

Native Health and Wellness Act of 2019

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116 HR 4495 introduced 2019-09-25

To authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Director of the Indian Health Service, to acquire private land to facilitate access to the Desert Sage Youth Wellness Center in Hemet, California, and for other purposes.

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116 HR 4451 introduced 2019-09-20

Support Our Services to Veterans Caregivers Act

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116 HR 4452 introduced 2019-09-20

Grandparent-Grandchild Medical Leave Act

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# Sponsored 2019

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116 HR 4449 introduced 2019-09-20

Tribal Internet Expansion Act of 2019

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116 HR 4450 introduced 2019-09-20

Increasing American Jobs and Exports Act

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116 HR 4453 introduced 2019-09-20

Protecting Seniors from Health Care Fraud Act of 2019

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116 HR 4137 introduced 2019-07-30

Jennifer Kepner Healthcare for Open air burn Pit Exposure Act

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116 HR 4059 introduced 2019-07-25

To take certain lands in California into trust for the benefit of the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, and for other purposes.

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116 HR 4060 introduced 2019-07-25

Festival Aerial Security Enhancement Act of 2019

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116 HR 3923 introduced 2019-07-23

Environmental Justice Act of 2019

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116 HR 3688 introduced 2019-07-10

Public Service Transparency Act

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# Sponsored 2019

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116 HR 3686 introduced 2019-07-10

Campaign Spending Integrity Act

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116 HR 3687 introduced 2019-07-10

Coach-Only Airfare for Capitol Hill Act of 2019

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116 HR 3502 introduced 2019-06-26

Protecting People From Surprise Medical Bills Act

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116 HR 3288 introduced 2019-06-13

Get Reinvesting in Opportunities for Workers American Jobs Act of 2019

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116 HR 3239 introduced 2019-06-12

Humanitarian Standards for Individuals in Customs and Border Protection Custody Act

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116 HR 2815 introduced 2019-05-16

Training the Next Generation of Primary Care Doctors Act of 2019

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116 HR 2519 introduced 2019-05-03

Improving Mental Health Access from the Emergency Department Act of 2020

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# Sponsored 2019

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116 HR 2477 introduced 2019-05-02

Beneficiary Enrollment Notification and Eligibility Simplification Act of 2019

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116 HR 2279 introduced 2019-04-10

Safe Step Act

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116 HR 2282 introduced 2019-04-10

Medicare Care Coordination Improvement Act of 2019

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116 HR 2281 introduced 2019-04-10

Easy MAT for Opioid Addiction Act

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116 HR 2280 introduced 2019-04-10

Stop Iran From Smuggling Weapons to Terrorists Act

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116 HR 1839 introduced 2019-03-21

Medicaid Services Investment and Accountability Act of 2019

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116 HR 1626 introduced 2019-03-07

Public Service Spending Integrity Act

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116 HR 1381 introduced 2019-02-26

Burn Pit Registry Enhancement Act

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# Sponsored 2019

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116 HR 1210 introduced 2019-02-13

Heroes Lesley Zerebny and Gilbert Vega First Responders  
Survivors Support Act of 2019

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116 HCONRES 17 introduced 2019-02-11

Expressing the sense of Congress regarding the provision of a  
basic standard of humanitarian care to all individuals in  
U.S. Customs and Border Protection custody.

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115 HR 7288 introduced 2018-12-12

Veterans` Right to Breathe Act

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115 HR 7287 introduced 2018-12-12

Jennifer Kepner Healthcare for Open air burn Pit Exposure Act

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115 HR 6959 introduced 2018-09-27

Burn Pit Registry Enhancement Act

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115 HR 6648 introduced 2018-07-31

Rewarding American Investments to Support Employees Act of  
2018

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115 HR 6479 introduced 2018-07-24

Stop Junk Health Plans Act of 2018

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# Sponsored 2018

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115 HR 6375 introduced 2018-07-13

Get Reinvesting in Opportunities for Workers American Jobs Act of 2018

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115 HR 6293 introduced 2018-06-28

Right to Petition Congress Act

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115 HRES 906 introduced 2018-05-21

Congratulating the American College of Emergency Physicians on its 50th anniversary.

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115 HR 5770 introduced 2018-05-10

Easy Medication Access and Treatment for Opioid Addiction Act

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115 HR 5605 introduced 2018-04-24

Advancing High Quality Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders in Medicare Act

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115 HR 5232 introduced 2018-03-08

Coach-Only Airfare for Capitol Hill Act of 2018

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115 HR 5060 introduced 2018-02-15

Heroes Lesley Zerebny and Gilbert Vega First Responders Survivors Support Act of 2018

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# Sponsored 2018

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115 HR 5007 introduced 2018-02-13

Tribal Broadband Deployment Act of 2018

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115 HR 4114 introduced 2017-10-24

To require Federal agencies to address environmental justice, to require consideration of cumulative impacts in certain permitting decisions, and for other purposes.

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115 HR 3706 introduced 2017-09-07

Native Health and Wellness Act of 2017

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115 HR 3620 introduced 2017-07-28

Affordable Coverage for More Americans Act of 2017

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115 HR 3619 introduced 2017-07-28

Increasing American Jobs and Exports Act

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115 HR 3258 introduced 2017-07-14

Marketplace Certainty Act

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115 HR 2727 introduced 2017-05-25

Native Educator Support and Training Act

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115 HR 2726 introduced 2017-05-25

Renewable Energy Jobs Act

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# Sponsored 2017

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115 HR 2728 introduced 2017-05-25

Cleaning Product Labeling Act of 2017

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115 HR 2574 introduced 2017-05-19

Building a Health Care Workforce for the Future Act

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115 HR 2575 introduced 2017-05-19

Beneficiary Enrollment Notification and Eligibility  
Simplification Act of 2017

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115 HR 2573 introduced 2017-05-19

Accessing Higher Education Opportunities Act

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115 HR 1844 introduced 2017-03-30

Veterans Access to Community Care Act of 2017

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115 HR 1622 introduced 2017-03-17

Wounded Veterans Recreation Act

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115 HR 1621 introduced 2017-03-17

Protecting Seniors from Health Care Fraud Act of 2017

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115 HR 1619 introduced 2017-03-17

Stop Iran From Smuggling Weapons to Terrorists Act

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# Sponsored 2017

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115 HR 1620 introduced 2017-03-17

Grandparent-Grandchild Medical Leave Act

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115 HRES 208 introduced 2017-03-17

Supporting the goals and ideals of "National Latino AIDS Awareness Day" on October 15, 2017, and for other purposes.

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115 HR 1618 introduced 2017-03-17

Support our Services to Veterans Caregivers Act

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115 HR 1581 introduced 2017-03-16

Tribal Digital Access Act of 2017

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115 HR 1183 introduced 2017-02-16

Wildfire Prevention Act of 2017

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115 HR 838 introduced 2017-02-02

Campaign Spending Integrity Act

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115 HR 839 introduced 2017-02-02

Public Service Spending Integrity Act

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115 HR 840 introduced 2017-02-02

Public Service Transparency Act

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# Glossary

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## **House Bill (HR) and Senate Bill (S)**

A bill is a legislative proposal before Congress. Bills from each house are assigned a number in the order in which they are introduced, starting at the beginning of each Congress (first and second sessions). Public bills pertain to matters that affect the general public or classes of citizens, while private bills pertain to individual matters that affect individuals and organizations, such as claims against the Government.

## **House Joint Resolution (HJRES) and Senate Joint Resolution (SJRES)**

A joint resolution is a legislative proposal that requires the approval of both houses and the signature of the President, just as a bill does. Resolutions from each house are assigned a number in the order in which they are introduced, starting at the beginning of each Congress (first and second sessions). There is no real difference between a bill and a joint resolution. Joint resolutions generally are used for limited matters, such as a single appropriation for a specific purpose. They are also used to propose amendments to the Constitution. A joint resolution has the force of law, if approved. Joint resolutions become a part of the Constitution when three-quarters of the states have ratified them; they do not require the President's signature.

## **House Concurrent Resolution (HCONRES) and Senate Concurrent Resolution (SCONRES)**

A concurrent resolution is a legislative proposal that requires the approval of both houses but does not require the signature of the President and does not have the force of law. Concurrent resolutions generally are used to make or amend rules that apply to both houses. They are also used to express the sentiments of both of the houses. For example, a concurrent resolution is used to set the time of Congress' adjournment. It may also be used by Congress to convey congratulations to another country on the anniversary of its independence.

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## **House Simple Resolution (HRES) and Senate Simple Resolution (SRES)**

A simple resolution is a legislative proposal that addresses matters entirely within the prerogative of one house or the other. It requires neither the approval of the other house nor the signature of the President, and it does not have the force of law. Most simple resolutions concern the rules of one house. They are also used to express the sentiments of a single house. For example, a simple resolution may offer condolences to the family of a deceased member of Congress, or it may give "advice" on foreign policy or other executive business.

This information at the U.S. GPO website.