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The election year 2020 is coming up, and it can be hard to distinguish candidates. Here below are some examples of legislation that have been introduced by the currently announced candidates for the Presidency in the Democratic Party who are holding or have recently held office. To find more information, go to the top right of congress.gov. Under “Bill Searches List”, select the Chamber where the person you are searching for works, choose their name in the A to Z index. You can see all the numbers of bills sponsored and co-sponsored by that person. Click on the name, click on the Congress you want to see (on the left). The bills sponsored and co-sponsored will come up. The following are bills sponsored by Democratic candidates for President of the United States. It is not a complete list of those persons running; merely the members of Congress.

Some Bills Sponsored by Democratic Candidates in the Last Two Years

Kamala Harris (Senate D-CA)

S. 488 (116th Congress) Justice for Victims of Lynching Act of 2019

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/488/text>

To amend title 18, United States Code, to specify lynching as a deprivation of civil rights, and for other purposes

S. 3796 (115th Congress) Mental Health Professionals Workforce Shortage Loan Repayment Act

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3796/text>

To amend the Public Health Services Act to authorize a loan repayment program for mental health professionals to relieve workforce shortages and for other purposes. There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section \$25,000,000 each of fiscal years 2019 to 2028.

Cory Booker (Senate D-NJ)

S. 473 (116th Congress) A bill to prohibit Federal agencies and Federal contractors from requesting that an applicant for employment disclose criminal history record information before the applicant has received a conditional offer

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/387/text>

As of 02/20/2019 text has not been received for S.473. Bills are generally sent to the Library of Congress from GPO, the Government Publishing Office, a day or two after they are introduced on the floor of the House or Senate. Delays can occur when there are a large number of bills to prepare or when a very large bill has to be printed.

S. 3773 (115th Congress) Primate Protection and Research Modernization Act of 2018

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3773/text>

Non-human primates are highly intelligent and social animals and research using them is frequently not effective in leading to treatments for humans. They should be used in research...if no other alternative method exists.

Elizabeth Warren (Senate D-MA)	
<p>S. 534 (116th Congress) A bill to prohibit certain funds from being transferred or reprogrammed to plan, develop or construct a physical barrier along the southwest border https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/534/text</p>	<p>As of 02/20/2019 text has not been received for S.534. Bills are generally sent to the Library of Congress from GPO, the Government Publishing Office, a day or two after they are introduced on the floor of the House or Senate. Delays can occur when there are a large number of bills to prepare or when a very large bill has to be printed.</p>
<p>S. 3775 (115th Congress) Affordable Drug Manufacturing Act of 2018 https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3775/text</p>	<p>IN GENERAL.—There is established within the Department of Health and Human Services an office to be known as the Office of Drug Manufacturing whose purpose is to increase competition, lower prices, and address shortages in the market for prescription drug, including insulin; to reduce the cost of prescription drugs to Federal and State health programs, taxpayers and consumers, and to increase patient access to affordable drugs. The Office will be headed by a Director who is appointed by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate.</p>
Amy Klobuchar (Senate D-MN)	
<p>S. 520 (116th Congress) A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to establish an energy efficiency materials pilot program https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/520/text</p>	<p>As of 02/20/2019 text has not been received for S.520. Bills are generally sent to the Library of Congress from GPO, the Government Publishing Office, a day or two after they are introduced on the floor of the House or Senate. Delays can occur when there are a large number of bills to prepare or when a very large bill has to be printed.</p>
<p>S. 3749 (115th Congress) Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 Reform Act <i>(Passed into law on December 21, 2018)</i> https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3749/text</p>	<p>This bill amends the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 (CAA) to revise administrative and judicial dispute resolution procedures for certain claims by employees alleging that employing offices have violated their CAA rights and protections, including protections against sexual harassment.</p>
Bernie Sanders (Senate I-VT)	
<p>S. 478 (116th Congress) A bill to enhance Social Security benefits and ensure the long-term solvency of the Social Security Program https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/478/text</p>	<p>As of 02/20/2019 text has not been received for S.478. Bills are generally sent to the Library of Congress from GPO, the Government Publishing Office, a day or two after they are introduced on the floor of the House or Senate. Delays can occur when there are a large number of bills to prepare or when a very large bill has to be printed.</p>

<p>S. 3410 (115th Congress) Stop Bad Employers by Zeroing Out Subsidies Act https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3410/text</p>	<p>This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to impose a tax on large employers whose employees receive certain federal benefits during the year. A “large employer” is an employer who employed an average of at least 500 employees on business days during the preceding year. The bill also prohibits large employers from asking questions or seeking information about whether a job applicant receives federal benefits. The tax is equal to the benefits that the employees receive under:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, formerly known as the food stamp program) • the school lunch and school breakfast programs administered under the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 • section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 • Medicaid
<p>Kristen Gillibrand (House of Representatives D-NY)</p>	
<p>S. 463 (116th Congress) A bill to provide paid family and medical leave benefits to certain individuals, and for other purposes https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/463/text</p>	<p>As of 02/20/2019 text has not been received for S.463. Bills are generally sent to the Library of Congress from GPO, the Government Publishing Office, a day or two after they are introduced on the floor of the House or Senate. Delays can occur when there are a large number of bills to prepare or when a very large bill has to be printed.</p>
<p>S. 3672 (115th Congress) Honoring all Veterans Act https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3672/text</p>	<p>To amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a mission statement of the Department of Veterans Affairs. The mission statement of the Department shall be as follows: ‘To fulfill President Lincoln’s promise to care for those ‘who shall have borne the battle’ and for their families, caregivers, and survivors.’</p>
<p>Tulsi Gabbard (House of Representative D-HI)</p>	
<p>H.R. 1249 (116th Congress) To prohibit the Secretary of Defense from obligating or expending funds for missiles banned by the INF Treaty. (Intermediate Nuclear Force) https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/1249/text</p>	<p>As of 02/20/2019 text has not been received for H.R. 1249. Bills are generally sent to the Library of Congress from GPO, the Government Publishing Office, a day or two after they are introduced on the floor of the House or Senate. Delays can occur when there are a large number of bills to prepare or when a very large bill has to be printed.</p>
<p>H.R. 6495 (115th Congress) Marijuana Data Collection Act https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6495/text</p>	<p>Despite problems with marijuana, more states and more people think it should be legalized. For example, a robust and properly regulated marijuana industry wherein States are allowed to operate marijuana programs free from Federal interference stands to benefit States’ public health, education, economic, and law enforcement and judicial sectors.</p>

John Delaney (Former House of Representatives D-MD)

H.R. 7103 (115th Congress) Suicide Prevention Analytics Act

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/7103/text>

To authorize a pilot program under which the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, expands and intensifies surveillance of self-harm and suicidal ideation behavior in partnership with State and local public health departments, and for other purposes.

H.R. 6590 (115th Congress) CAMRA Act

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6590/text>

To amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize a program on children and the media within the National Institutes of Health to study the health and developmental effects of technology on infants, children, and adolescents.