

Key Committees in Congress

Committees in Congress play a pivotal role in advancing legislation. Almost every piece of legislation Congress works on goes through one or more committees. Understanding which committees cover which issues is vital for any advocate. Below are the committees that have jurisdiction over the issues we work on.

RESULTS issue	House Committee	Senate Committee
Housing policy	<u>Financial Services</u>	Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC), Child Tax Credit (CTC) Renters' credit	Ways and Means	<u>Finance</u>
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and child nutrition programs	Agriculture (SNAP) Education and Labor (Child Nutrition)	Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry (SNAP and Child Nutrition)
Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB, and Malaria Bilateral Tuberculosis Global Education Global Nutrition, Maternal & Child Health	Appropriations Subcommittee: State and Foreign Operations (SFOPS) For authorizing legislation, resolutions, hearings: Foreign Affairs Committee; Agriculture Committee (nutrition)	Appropriations Subcommittee: State and Foreign Operations (SFOPS) For authorizing legislation, resolutions, hearings: Foreign Relations Committee; Agriculture Committee (nutrition)
Important Members	House	Senate
Leadership	Dem : Rep. James Clyburn, Rep. Pete Aguilar, Rep. Katherine Clark, and Rep. Hakeem Jeffries	Dem : Sen. Chuck Schumer and Sen. Dick Durbin
	GOP : Rep. Mike Johnson, Rep. Steve Scalise, Rep. Tom Emmer, Rep. Elise Stefanik, and Rep. Gary Palmer	GOP : Sen. Mitch McConnell and Sen. John Thune, Sen. John Cornyn, Sen. John Barasso

Key Moderate Democrats	Rep. Mary Peltola, Rep. Jim	Sen. Kyrsten Sinema,
	Costa, Rep. Mike Thompson,	Sen. Mark Kelly, Sen.
	Rep. Sanford Bishop, Rep.	John Hickenlooper, Sen.
	Jared Golden, Rep. Josh	Angus King, Sen. Tom
	Gottheimer, Rep. Wiley Nickel,	Carper, Sen. Jon Tester,
	Rep. Henry Cuéllar, Rep.	Sen. Maggie Hassan,
	Vicente Gonzalez, and Rep.	Sen. Jeanne Shaheen,
	Marie Gluesencamp-Perez	Sen. Mark Warner, Sen.
		Joe Manchin, and Sen.
		Catherine Cortez-Masto
Key Moderate GOP	Rep. Brian Fitzpatrick,	Sen. Lisa Murkowski,
	Rep. Tom Emmer, Rep.	Sen. Joni Ernst, Sen.
	Jefferson Van Drew,	Todd Young, Sen. Jerry
	and Rep. Don Bacon	Moran, and Sen. Susan
		Collins