

## 116TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2094

To amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the maximum age for children eligible for medical care under the CHAMPVA program, and for other purposes.

#### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 4, 2019

Ms. Brownley of California introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

### A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "CHAMPVA Children's
- 5 Care Protection Act of 2019".

#### 1 SEC. 2. INCREASE OF MAXIMUM AGE FOR CHILDREN ELIGI-

- 2 BLE FOR MEDICAL CARE UNDER CHAMPVA
- 3 PROGRAM.
- 4 (a) Increase.—Subsection (c) of section 1781 of
- 5 title 38, United States Code, is amended to read as fol-
- 6 lows:
- 7 "(c)(1) Notwithstanding clauses (i) and (iii) of sec-
- 8 tion 101(4)(A) of this title and except as provided in para-
- 9 graph (2), for purposes of this section, a child is eligible
- 10 for benefits under subsection (a) until the child's 26th
- 11 birthday, regardless of the child's marital status.
- 12 "(2) This subsection shall not be construed to limit
- 13 eligibility for benefits under subsection (a) of a child de-
- 14 scribed in section 101(4)(A)(ii) of this title.".
- 15 (b) Effective Date.—Such subsection, as so
- 16 amended, shall apply with respect to medical care provided
- 17 on or after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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