

SELECTED RESOURCES

Introduction to Congress and the Legislative Process

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All materials can be found in full at the links provided.

Key Resources *(listed chronologically, beginning with the most recent)*

“Introduction to the Legislative Process in the U.S. Congress.” Heitshusen, V. Congressional Research Service. November 24, 2020. Available at <http://allh.us/tMGv>.

“The Congressional Research Service and the American Legislative Process.” Brudnick, I. Congressional Research Service. April 12, 2011. Available at <http://allh.us/9FYJ>.

“The Legislative Process: Committee Consideration.” Congress.gov. Available at <http://allh.us/pWq3>.

“The Legislative Process: House Floor.” Congress.gov. Available at <http://allh.us/DGxK>.

“The Legislative Process: Overview.” Congress.gov. Available at <http://allh.us/Rhnm>.

“The Legislative Process: Senate Floor.” Congress.gov. Available at <http://allh.us/kDQq>.

Additional Resources *(listed chronologically, beginning with the most recent)*

“The Power of the Purse: The 411 on Earmarks.” Wuerfmannsdobler, F., Fernekes, C., Kelley, M. Bipartisan Policy Center. February 25, 2021. Available at <http://allh.us/rtRv>.

“Basics of Budget Reconciliation and the Connection to Health Policy.” Alliance for Health Policy. February 11, 2021. Available at <http://allh.us/UAxK>.

“Navigating a 50-50 Senate: A Conversation with Former Senate Leaders Tom Daschle and Trent Lott.” Bipartisan Policy Center. January 11, 2021. Available at <http://allh.us/WNM6>.

“Q&A: Everything You Should Know About Government Shutdowns.” Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget. September 17, 2020. Available at <http://allh.us/JceP>.

“Appropriations 101.” Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget. July 8, 2020. Available at <http://allh.us/NRAD>.

“Health Care in the Courts: A Conversation with Experts.” Alliance for Health Policy. December 12, 2019. Available at <http://allh.us/exUY>.

“Understanding OMB’s Role in Presidential Policymaking.” Bose, M. Brookings Institute. 2019. Available at <http://allh.us/bv9f>.

“A Short Primer on the Congressional Budget Office.” Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget. February 14, 2018. Available at <http://allh.us/gQvm>.

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“How a Bill Becomes Law: The Constitutional Way.” Rappaport, M. The Heritage Foundation. January 31, 2011. Available at <http://allh.us/rjqD>.