

December 16, 2021

Dear Senator,

The undersigned organizations come together in support of The Build Back Better Act (HR 5376) and to urge its swift passage.

The Build Back Better Act embodies the values of each of our organizations representing millions of people in this country.

The Build Back Better Act invests in people and trusts people to use those investments to improve the lives of their families, neighborhoods and communities.

The Build Back Better Act invests in education, health, housing, job creation and job supports, fair wages and equitable working conditions. The Build Back Better Act makes major investments in paid leave, home and community-based services and child care. It takes the necessary steps to ensure that our children and their children and grandchildren have clean water to drink, clean air to breathe and a planet that remains as safe as it is beautiful.

We have come a long way through a difficult journey, and not without costly and painful casualties, to say together that America can be what it is promised to be. It need only be as brave and as bold as the people.

People from all across the country have spoken in countless forums, in roundtables and meetings with elected representatives. Many of our organizations have presented testimony, critical research and data to document the concerns that have been raised and that this legislation seeks to address.

The Build Back Better Act represents decades of work, experience and input from people all across the country. Build Back Better has been calibrated to be the right measure for this time.

We are counting on you as you have always been able to count on us.

Sincerest regards,

*1,000 Days*

*9to5*

*ADAPT*

*ADAPT Montana*

*Alabama Institute for Social Justice*

*All Our Kin*

*American Association of People with Disabilities (AAPD)*

*American Enough*

*American Muslim Health Professionals*

*Association of People Supporting Employment First (APSE)*

*Association of University Centers on Disabilities*

*Autism Society of America*

*Autistic Self Advocacy Network*

*Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law*

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*Brain Injury Association of America*

*BreastfeedLA*

*California Pan-Ethnic Health Network*

*California Partnership to End Domestic Violence*

*California WIC Association*

*California Work & Family Coalition*  
*Campaign for a Family Friendly Economy*  
*Center for Law and Social Policy*  
*Center for Law and Social Policy (CLASP)*  
*Child Care Aware® of America*  
*Child Care Law Center*  
*Child Welfare League of America*  
*Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation*  
*Citizen Action of Wisconsin*  
*Coalition for Social Justice*  
*Coalition on Human Needs*  
*COLAGE*  
*CommunicationFIRST*  
*Community Change Action*  
*Community Organizing & Family Issues*  
*COVID Survivors for Change*  
*Disability Advocate*  
*Disability Network Southwest Michigan*  
*Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund*  
*Easterseals*  
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*Economic Opportunity Institute*  
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*Family Forward Oregon*  
*Family Values@Work*  
*First 5 California*  
*Friends Committee on Legislation of California*  
*Georgia ADAPT*  
*Hand in Hand: The Domestic Employers Network*  
*Illinois Alliance for Retired Americans*  
*ISALAH*  
*Jewish Center for Justice*  
*Jews for Racial & Economic Justice*  
*Justice for Migrant Women*  
*Justice in Aging*  
*LA Best Babies Network*  
*La Plaza de Encuentro Gathering Place (Encuentro)*  
*Legal Aid at Work*  
*LifeSTEPS*  
*Little Lobbyists*  
*Los Angeles Alliance for a New Economy*  
*Main Street Alliance*  
*Maine People's Alliance*  
*MassADAPT*  
*NARAL Pro-Choice America*  
*National Alliance for Caregiving*  
*National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)*  
*National Association of Social Workers*  
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*National Association of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Programs*  
*National Coalition on Black Civic Participation/ Black Womens Roundtable*  
*National Council of Jewish Women*  
*National Council of Jewish Women*

National Council on Aging  
 National Council on Independent Living  
 National Domestic Workers Alliance  
 National Employment Law Project  
 National Health Law Program  
 National Partnership for Women & Families  
 National Respite Coalition  
 National Women's Law Center  
 Nevada County Citizens for Choice  
 New Jersey Citizen Action  
 Northwest Health Law Advocates  
 OLÉ  
 Opportunity Youth United  
 Our Family Coalition  
 Pacific Community Ventures  
 Parent Voices CA  
 ParentsTogether Action  
 PHI  
 PL+US: Paid Leave for the U.S.  
 Planned Parenthood Federation of America  
 Postmates, Inc  
 Public Advocacy for Kids (PAK)  
 RESULTS  
 RESULTS DC/MD  
 San Diego Breastfeeding Coalition  
 San Diego County Breastfeeding Coalition  
 Supermajority  
 TakeAction Minnesota  
 Tennessee Justice Center  
 The AIDS Institute  
 The Arc of the United States  
 USAgging (formerly n4a)  
 Westwood for All Ages  
 Wharton School of Business

