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Bereavement leave opportunity

- + Bereavement leave may have a slim opportunity to go into law
- + Bereavement & its ramifications are just beginning to be understood, but it is still underappreciated
- + COVID-19 has brought bereavement to the nation's attention
- + Bereavement is part of other national tragedies: overdoses, suicide, police brutality & mass murder

Bereavement Leave -- Current Situation

- + Americans who have lost a loved one have no legal right to take leave, with narrow exceptions in two states and two localities.
- + The White House and other lawmakers are currently considering employment measures to protect families. We'd like them to consider employment projections for the newly bereaved.
- + Evermore is calling on President Biden to include bereavement leave in measure

Evermore's ask

- + 10-14 days of unpaid leave

Why

- + Bereavement leave is job protection
- + Bereavement leave is not about planning a goodbye party or funeral, it is about family stability and solvency. It allows time for families to secure death certificates, cancel credit cards, ensure mortgage and leases include surviving members.

You can make a difference

- + Your voice is needed.
- + This is the time for calls & emails asking for leadership, support & jobs protection for the newly bereaved.

Action: Comments only by website at this time

- + Write: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact/>

Click: Contact the President

Enter your details

Type in your paragraph

Invite others to call and write

- + Ask 3 friends, colleagues or family members to also call and/or write to the White House

Financial support (not a talking point)

- + Campaigns like this take resources. Your gift makes a difference.
- + We welcome your financial support at whatever level is comfortable.

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