NDSS Advocacy Alert
November 29, 2016

Take action today to get Kevin & Avonte's law across the finish line!

We need your help TODAY to push [Kevin & Avonte's Law](https://www.house.gov/representatives/find/) across the finish line. Named for two boys with autism who drowned after wandering, the bill would reauthorize the expired Missing Alzheimer’s Disease Patient Alert Program, and include new provisions to support people with intellectual/developmental disabilities who wander. The bill is set for mark up in the House Judiciary Committee on Wednesday, November 30. **You are receiving this message because your US Representative is a member of the House Judiciary Committee. Please call and/or post on social media a message reminding your Representative to support Kevin & Avonte's Law ([HR 4919](https://www.house.gov/representatives/find/)).** Remember to use #KevinandAvontesLaw and tag your Member on Facebook and Twitter. Your #AdvocacyMatters!

The members of the House Judiciary Committee are listed below and their contact information is available [here](https://www.house.gov/representatives/find/). Those marked with an asterisk (*) are already cosponsors of Kevin & Avonte's law. If your Representative is already a cosponsor, please thank him/her and ask for continued support. If your Representative is not marked, please ask him/her to support Kevin & Avonte's Law.

To find out which Representative is yours, type in your home address at: [http://www.house.gov/representatives/find/](http://www.house.gov/representatives/find/)

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Thank you for your advocacy and support!

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