

# HB7218 • United States (Federal)

## CHAT Act Children Harmed by AI Technology Act

Introduced

Risk: High

Comprehensive

Last Action (Jan 22, 2026): Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## Summary

The CHAT Act aims to protect minors using AI chatbots, based solely on the official description. The full scope, including age verification, cannot be confirmed without the full text.

## Business Impact

If you operate AI chatbots that may be used by minors, you must implement age verification measures to comply with the law.

## Key Provisions

- Establish protections specifically for minor users, though specifics like age verification and other provisions are not confirmed without the full text.

## Compliance Checklist

- Implement age verification measures for AI chatbots | Who: Operators of AI chatbots | Penalty: Potential penalties for non-compliance not specified

## Industries Affected

Technology

AI  
Development

Artificial  
Intelligence

AI Services

Child Safety

Entertainment

Education

## Topics

Comprehensive AI

User-Facing AI

## Related Bills

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- SB2714 (US)
- SB4407 (US)

## Official Source

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<https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-bill/7218/all-info>

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