

Reflection, Optimism on ADA Anniversary

This month marks the 22nd anniversary of the signing of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The ADA was passed on July 26, 1990 and prohibits discrimination against people with disabilities in employment. In 2009, the ADA Amendments Act (ADAAA) became effective and expanded the definition of disability. In a recent article, Senator Tom Harkin (D-IA) writes that despite claims that the unemployment situation for people with disabilities has not improved since the ADA was signed into law, he believes the country is on the verge of substantial gains in welcoming people with disabilities into the workforce. [Read Senator Harkin's article.](#)

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