

S 2562

Inflammatory Bowel Disease Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		May 23, 2002
Sen. Torricelli, Robert G. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jun 25, 2002
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jun 28, 2002
Sen. Miller, Zell [D-GA]	D · GA		Jul 9, 2002
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 23, 2002
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Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Sep 4, 2002
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Sep 19, 2002
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Oct 7, 2002
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Oct 16, 2002
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Nov 19, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 23, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 5031	Identical bill	Jul 16, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of May 23, 2002)

Inflammatory Bowel Disease Act - Requires the Director of the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases to expand activities addressing inflammatory bowel disease, emphasizing genetic, animal model, and clinical research.

Requires the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to establish a national program of prevention and epidemiology concerning such disease, addressing its prevalence and public and professional awareness.

Directs the Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of Science to study public and private insurance standards for coverage of inflammatory bowel therapies.

Directs the General Accounting Office to study problems inflammatory bowel disease patients have applying for disability insurance benefits under the Social Security Act.

Actions Timeline

- **May 23, 2002:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 23, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4851-4852)
- **May 23, 2002:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4852)