

## HCONRES 298

Expressing the sense of the Congress that State and local officials should designate school nurses as "first responders" and remove any legal or regulatory barriers that would impede school nurses from responding to a biological or chemical attack.

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Dec 20, 2001

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Dec 28, 2001)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 28, 2001

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Dec 20, 2001)

Expresses the sense of Congress that, in response to the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks, State and local officials should: (1) designate school nurses as first responders; and (2) remove any legal or regulatory barriers that would impede such nurses in responding medically to a biological or chemical attack.

### Actions Timeline

- **Dec 28, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Dec 20, 2001:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 20, 2001:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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