



## **HCONRES 122**

Expressing the sense of Congress regarding the need for further study of the neurological disorder dystonia.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Health Introduced: Apr 5, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 22, 2005)

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### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 22, 2005

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Health

### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Apr 5, 2005)

Urges the Director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to take a leadership role in the fight against the neurological disorder dystonia.

Calls for: (1) increased funding for basic biomedical research for dystonia and other neurological disorders through NIH; (2) additional research to identify an accurate diagnostic test for dystonia and an epidemiological study to determine the frequency of the disease; (3) improved patient access to safe and effective dystonia therapies; and (4) increased public awareness and professional education regarding dystonia through partnerships between the Government and patient advocacy organizations.

# **Actions Timeline**

•	Apr 22,	2005:	Referred	to the	Subcommittee	on Health.
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