

## HRES 158

Recognizing the importance of increasing awareness of autism, supporting programs for increased research and improved treatment of autism, improving training and support for individuals with autism and those who care for individuals with autism, and for other purposes.

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**Chamber:** House

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 18, 2005
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 22, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SRES 124	Related bill	<b>Apr 26, 2005:</b> Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4262-4265)

Summary (as of Mar 15, 2005)

Expresses support for: (1) the designation of a National Autism Awareness Month (April); and (2) increasing Federal funding for autism research.

Commends the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) for the implementation of the Children's Health Act of 2000.

Stresses the need to begin early intervention services soon after an individual has been diagnosed with autism.

Expresses support for the Federal Government funding 40 percent of the costs needed to educate children with disabilities.

Recognizes the shortage of appropriately trained teachers and the importance of worker training programs that meet the needs of developmentally disabled individuals.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 18, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
- **Mar 22, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 15, 2005:** Introduced in House
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