

S 3945

Compassionate Assistance for Rape Emergencies Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 2928	Related bill	Jul 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
109 S 1264	Related bill	Jun 16, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6760-6761)

Compassionate Assistance for Rape Emergencies Act - Prohibits any federal funds from being provided to a hospital unless the hospital meets certain conditions related to a woman who is a victim of sexual assault, including that the hospital: (1) provides the woman with accurate and unbiased information about emergency contraception; (2) offers emergency contraception to the woman; (3) provides the woman such contraception at the hospital on her request; and (4) does not deny any such services because of the inability of the woman to pay.

Prohibits any federal funds from being provided to a hospital unless the hospital provides to survivors of sexual assault, regardless of ability to pay: (1) an assessment of the individual's risk of contracting sexually transmitted infections; (2) advice concerning significantly prevalent infections for which effective post-exposure prophylaxis exists and for which the deferral of treatment either would significantly reduce treatment efficacy or would pose substantial risk to the individual's health; and (3) such prophylactic treatment for infections, upon request.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 26, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 26, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10192)
- **Sep 26, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.