

## HR 5598

Guarantee of Medical Accuracy in Sex Education Act

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform. (Sep 7, 2006)

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### Sponsor

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Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Sep 14, 2006
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Sep 28, 2006

**Committee Activity**

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Chamber</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Date</b>
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 7, 2006
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 23, 2006

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

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Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 4059	Related bill	<b>Nov 16, 2006:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S11059)

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### Summary (as of Jun 13, 2006)

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Guarantee of Medical Accuracy in Sex Education Act - Prohibits a federal agency from providing funds or assistance to an entity for the development of course material or the provision of instruction on human development and sexuality if such material or instruction will include medically inaccurate information. Directs such an agency to require a sufficient assurance that such material or instruction will not include medically inaccurate information.

Defines "medically inaccurate information" as information related to medical, psychiatric, psychological, empirical, or statistical statements that is unsupported or contradicted by peer-reviewed research by leading medical, psychological, psychiatric, and public health organizations and agencies.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 7, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
- **Jun 23, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman .
- **Jun 13, 2006:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 13, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1137-1138)
- **Jun 13, 2006:** Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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