

## S 1421

A bill to provide for the maintenance, management, and availability for research of assets of Air Force Health Study.

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** May 17, 2007

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (May 17, 2007)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/senate-bill/1421>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** HI • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 17, 2007

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 2681	Identical bill	<b>Jun 20, 2007:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

### Summary (as of May 17, 2007)

Directs the Medical Follow-Up Agency of the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences (Agency) to maintain and manage the assets (including electronic data files and biological specimens of study participants) transferred to the Agency from the Air Force Health Study. Authorizes the Agency, during FY2007-FY2011, to conduct additional research on such assets toward the goal of understanding the determinants of health, and promoting wellness, in veterans.

Requires an Agency report to Congress assessing the feasibility and advisability of conducting additional research on such assets after the end of FY2011.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 17, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 17, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6301)
- **May 17, 2007:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.