

HRES 988

Designating the month of March 2008 as "MRSA Awareness Month".

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Sep 25, 2008)

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Rep. Gordon, Bart [D-TN-6]	D · TN		May 22, 2008
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Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Boswell, Leonard L. [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jul 29, 2008
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Rep. Holden, Tim [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Jul 29, 2008
Rep. Boucher, Rick [D-VA-9]	D · VA		Jul 31, 2008
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Sep 11, 2008
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Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Bono, Mary [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Pickering, Charles W. "Chip" [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Sep 11, 2008

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Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Sep 15, 2008
Rep. Berry, Marion [D-AR-1]	D · AR		Sep 17, 2008
Rep. McIntyre, Mike [D-NC-7]	D · NC		Sep 18, 2008
Rep. Boyd, Allen [D-FL-2]	D · FL		Sep 22, 2008
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Sep 22, 2008
Rep. Cramer, Robert E. (Bud), Jr. [D-AL-5]	D · AL		Sep 22, 2008
Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Sep 24, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 14, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 SRES 454	Related bill	Feb 14, 2008: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1072)

Summary (as of Sep 25, 2008)

Recognizes the importance of: (1) reducing the transmission of infections in hospitals and ensuring appropriate use of antibiotics to meet patient and public health needs; (2) operational research for finding the best ways of preventing hospital- and community-acquired Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) and developing new antibiotics for improving care for MRSA patients; and (3) raising awareness of MRSA and methods of preventing MRSA infections.

Expresses support for the work of advocates, healthcare practitioners, and science-based experts in educating, supporting, and providing hope for individuals and their families affected by community and healthcare associated infections.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 25, 2008:** Considered as unfinished business.
- **Sep 25, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Sep 25, 2008:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Sep 25, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 23, 2008:** Mr. Pallone moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Sep 23, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8685-8686; text of measure as introduced: CR H8685)
- **Sep 23, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 988.
- **Sep 23, 2008:** At the conclusion of debate, the chair put the question on the motion to suspend the rules. Mr. Burgess objected to the vote on the grounds that a quorum was not present. Further proceedings on the motion were postponed. The point of no quorum was withdrawn.
- **Feb 14, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 14, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Feb 14, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.