

S 1151

State Child Well-Being Research Act of 2009

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

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Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 21, 2009
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Oct 19, 2009
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		May 6, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 21, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Social Welfare

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 2558	Identical bill	<b>May 21, 2009:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

State Child Well-Being Research Act of 2009 - Amends part A (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) (TANF) of title IV of the Social Security Act to rename the National Survey of Children's Health conducted by the Director of the Maternal and Child Health Bureau of the Health Resources and Services Administration as the Survey of Children's Health and Well-Being.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services to: (1) modify the survey so that it may be used to better assess child well-being; and (2) establish an advisory panel to make recommendations regarding the additional matters to be addressed by the survey as well as the methods, dissemination strategies, and statistical tools necessary to conduct it as a whole.

Directs the Comptroller General to study and report to Congress on the adequacy of the methods of collecting and reporting data on deaths of children in the child welfare system.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 21, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 21, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5872-5873)
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