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Birth Defects Prevention, Risk Reduction, and Awareness Act of 2010

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Jun 10, 2010)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hagan, Kay R. [D-NC]

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jun 10, 2010
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jun 10, 2010
Sen. Conrad, Kent [D-ND]	D · ND		Jun 16, 2010
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 22, 2010
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		Jun 24, 2010
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jun 29, 2010
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 29, 2010
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Sep 13, 2010
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Sep 16, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 10, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5462	Related bill	Nov 15, 2010: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Birth Defects Prevention, Risk Reduction, and Awareness Act of 2010 - Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS), acting through the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), to establish and implement a birth defects prevention and public awareness program, which includes: (1) a nationwide media campaign to increase awareness among health care providers and at-risk populations about pregnancy and breastfeeding information services; (2) grants for the provision of, or campaigns to increase awareness about, pregnancy and breastfeeding information services; and (3) grants for the conduct or support of surveillance of or research on maternal exposures that may influence the risk of adverse pregnancy outcomes and maternal exposures that may influence health risks to a breastfed infant, or of networking to facilitate such surveillance or research.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 10, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 10, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4851-4852)
- **Jun 10, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.