

## HR 5986

### Neglected Infections of Impoverished Americans Act of 2010

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jul 30, 2010

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Sep 29, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/5986>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Christensen, Donna M. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Richardson, Laura [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jul 30, 2010
Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jul 30, 2010

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Sep 16, 2010
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 30, 2010

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Neglected Infections of Impoverished Americans Act of 2010 - Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to report to Congress on the epidemiology of, impact of, and appropriate funding required to address neglected diseases of poverty, including neglected parasitic diseases such as Chagas disease, cysticercosis, toxocariasis, toxoplasmosis, trichomoniasis, the soil-transmitted helminths, and other related diseases. Requires the report to provide the information necessary to guide future health policy to: (1) accurately evaluate the current state of knowledge concerning such diseases and define gaps in such knowledge; and (2) address the threat of such diseases.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 29, 2010:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Sep 28, 2010:** Mr. Pallone moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 28, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7191-7192)
- **Sep 28, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5986.
- **Sep 28, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7191)
- **Sep 28, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H7191)
- **Sep 28, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 23, 2010:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 23, 2010:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 16, 2010:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 16, 2010:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- **Sep 15, 2010:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Aug 9, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.