

## HRES 716

Recognizing Gail Abarbanel and the Rape Treatment Center, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Jul 31, 2009

**Current Status:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

**Latest Action:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Nov 16, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-resolution/716>

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Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Oct 7, 2009
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Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Oct 8, 2009
Rep. Perriello, Thomas S.P. [D-VA-5]	D · VA		Oct 20, 2009
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Oct 22, 2009
Rep. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Nov 6, 2009
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2010
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Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-8]	D · FL		Feb 22, 2010
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Feb 22, 2010
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Feb 24, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 31, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Nov 16, 2010)

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

Applauds Gail Abarbanel for founding the Rape Treatment Center and creating the Fast Track Forensics Program.

Commends the Rape Treatment Center for providing necessary services to sexual assault victims.

Calls upon local law enforcement agencies and state legislatures to work towards eliminating delays in processing rape kits.

Urges Congress to support programs for timely processing of DNA evidence.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Nov 16, 2010:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H7475-7476)
- **Nov 16, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 415 - 0 (Roll no. 569).(text: CR 11/15/2010 H7405)
- **Nov 16, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 415 - 0 (Roll no. 569). (text: CR 11/15/2010 H7405)
- **Nov 16, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 15, 2010:** Mr. Conyers moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Nov 15, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7405-7406)
- **Nov 15, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 716.
- **Nov 15, 2010:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jul 31, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 31, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.