

HR 2678

Communities of Color Teenage Pregnancy Prevention Act of 2011

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Sponsor

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Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jul 28, 2011
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Rep. Richardson, Laura [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Dec 16, 2011
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jun 1, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 1, 2011

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1437	Related bill	Jul 28, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Communities of Color Teenage Pregnancy Prevention Act of 2011 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to award grants for programs to provide youth in racial or ethnic minority or immigrant communities the information and skills needed to avoid teenage pregnancy and develop healthy relationships.

Allows up to 10% of amounts made available for this Act to be allotted for a rigorous, independent evaluation of grant activities.

Requires the Secretary to award grants for multimedia campaigns to provide public education and increase public awareness regarding teenage pregnancy and related social and emotional issues.

Requires the Director of the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to make grants for research on teenage pregnancy, dating violence, and healthy relationships among racial or ethnic minority or immigrant communities.

Requires the Secretary to direct the interagency adolescent health workgroup within the Office of Adolescent Health to include in the work of the group strategies for teenage dating violence prevention and healthy teenage relationships, with a particular focus among racial or ethnic minority or immigrant communities, in consultation with the Federal Interagency Workgroup on Teen Dating Violence in the Department of Justice (DOJ).

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 1, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 28, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 28, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Jul 27, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H5583-5584)