

## HRES 771

Expressing support for the designation of February 14th as National Solidarity Day for Compassionate Patient Care to promote national awareness of the importance of compassionate and respectful relationships between health care professionals and their patients as reflected in attitudes that are sensitive to the values, autonomy, cultural, and ethnic backgrounds of patients and families.

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Aug 2, 2012

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Aug 3, 2012)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-resolution/771>

### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 3, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Aug 2, 2012)

Expresses support for the goals and ideals of National Solidarity Day for Compassionate Patient Care.

Recognizes the importance of a respectful relationship between health care professionals and their patients in promoting better health outcomes.

Encourages all health care professionals to be mindful of the importance of both being humanistic and compassionate and providing technical expertise.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Aug 3, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.