

S 2539

Traumatic Brain Injury Reauthorization Act of 2014

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]

Party: Republican • **State:** UT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jun 26, 2014
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Jul 22, 2014
Sen. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL]	R · IL		Jul 22, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jul 23, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the Senate on July 23, 2014. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Traumatic Brain Injury Reauthorization Act of 2014 - (Sec. 2) Amends the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize through FY2019 traumatic brain injury (TBI) prevention and surveillance or registry programs.

(Sec. 3) Reauthorizes through FY2019 the programs of grants to states and Indian consortia for TBI services, and protection and advocacy systems to provide services to individuals with TBI.

(Sec. 5) Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to develop a plan for the improved coordination of federal activities with respect to TBI that will:

- review interagency coordination efforts;
- identify areas for improved coordination between federal agencies and programs, including those with a focus on serving individuals with disabilities;
- identify adopted recommendations from the report on development and improvement of TBI diagnostic tools and treatments and describe plans to address each recommendation that has not been adopted; and
- incorporate feedback from stakeholders, including individuals with TBI and their caregivers.

(Sec. 6) Directs the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to review the scientific evidence related to brain injury management in children and identify opportunities for research.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 26, 2014:** Signed by President.
- **Nov 26, 2014:** Became Public Law No: 113-196.
- **Nov 19, 2014:** Presented to President.
- **Nov 13, 2014:** Considered by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR H7964)
- **Nov 13, 2014:** Mr. Latta asked unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table and consider.
- **Nov 13, 2014:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed without objection.(text: CR H7964)
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- **Nov 13, 2014:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 17, 2014:** Received in the House.
- **Sep 17, 2014:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 17, 2014:** Held at the desk.
- **Sep 16, 2014:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5643; text as passed Senate: CR S5643)
- **Sep 16, 2014:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5643; text as passed Senate: CR S5643)
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Harkin with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 483.
- **Jul 7, 2014:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4214)
- **Jun 26, 2014:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 26, 2014:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.