

HR 485

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

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Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Feb 12, 2013
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Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Jul 10, 2013
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Rep. Andrews, Robert E. [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Nov 12, 2013

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Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Nov 12, 2013
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jan 8, 2014
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Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Mar 18, 2014
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Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Apr 1, 2014
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Apr 1, 2014
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Apr 10, 2014
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Apr 28, 2014
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Apr 29, 2014
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		May 20, 2014
Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		Jun 9, 2014
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Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Sep 17, 2014
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Sep 18, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1475	Related bill	Aug 1, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 4, 2013)

National Nurse Act of 2013 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to establish the position of National Nurse for Public Health within the Office of the Surgeon General. Requires the individual serving as the National Nurse for Public Health to serve also as the Chief Nurse Officer of the Public Health Service. Includes among the duties of such position providing leadership and coordination of Public Health Service nursing professional affairs for the Office of the Surgeon General and other agencies of the Public Health Service, conducting media campaigns, and providing guidance and leadership for activities that will increase public safety and emergency preparedness.

Requires the National Nurse for Public Health to: (1) participate in identification of national health priorities, (2) encourage volunteerism of nurses and strengthen the relationship between government agencies and health-related national organizations, and (3) promote the dissemination of evidence-based practice in educating the public on health promotion and disease prevention activities.

Actions Timeline

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