

HR 1895

Protecting Life and Integrity in Research Act of 2017

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 7, 2017)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** MO • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (21 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Apr 4, 2017
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Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Apr 4, 2017
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Apr 4, 2017
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Apr 4, 2017
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Apr 4, 2017
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Apr 17, 2017
Rep. Russell, Steve [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Apr 26, 2017
Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		May 4, 2017
Rep. Roby, Martha [R-AL-2]	R · AL		May 23, 2017
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jun 7, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 7, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 4, 2017)

Protecting Life and Integrity in Research Act of 2017

This bill amends the Public Health Service Act to prohibit the use of tissue from an induced abortion for research conducted or supported by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

HHS may develop or support new high-efficiency cell lines so long as the cell lines are not derived from tissue from an induced abortion.

Soliciting or acquiring a donation of fetal tissue from an induced abortion for a purpose other than autopsy or burial is prohibited.

The bill applies requirements on the research of transplantation of fetal tissue for therapeutic purposes to research on fetal tissue.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 7, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 4, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 4, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.