

S 2212

National Biomedical Research Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Dec 7, 2017

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Dec 7, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/2212>

Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	D · VA		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Dec 7, 2017
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Dec 7, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 7, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Dec 7, 2017)

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### National Biomedical Research Act

This bill establishes and makes deposits into the Biomedical Innovation Fund for initiatives at the National Institutes of Health and the Food and Drug Administration for advancing medical innovation, including by supporting (1) research for disease prevention, diagnosis, and treatment; (2) research for diseases that disproportionately account for federal health care spending; (3) the development, review, and post-market surveillance of medical products; and (4) other innovative research.

### Actions Timeline

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