

SRES 648

A resolution designating September 2018 as "Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Month".

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Sep 25, 2018

Current Status: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Voice Vote

Latest Action: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Voice Vote. (consideration: CR S6311; text: CR S6308) (Sep 25, 2018)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	R · UT		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Sep 25, 2018
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Sep 25, 2018

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HRES 1072	Related bill	Sep 20, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
115 SRES 276	Related bill	Sep 28, 2017: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6234; text: CR S6231)
115 HRES 518	Related bill	Sep 15, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Sep 25, 2018)

Designates September 2018 as Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Month. (Pulmonary fibrosis is scarring of the lungs that causes breathing problems.)

Expresses continued support for more robust and accelerated research to develop more effective treatments for pulmonary fibrosis and to ultimately find a cure for the disease.

Recognizes the ongoing courage and contributions of individuals with pulmonary fibrosis who participate in clinical trials. Commends the dedication of those working to improve the quality of life of individuals with pulmonary fibrosis and the families of those individuals.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 25, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
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