

SRES 661

A resolution expressing support for the designation of September 2018 as "Sickle Cell Disease Awareness Month" in order to educate communities across the United States about sickle cell disease and the need for research, early detection methods, effective treatments, and preventative care programs with respect to sickle cell disease, complications from sickle cell disease, and conditions related to sickle cell disease.

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Sep 28, 2018
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Sep 28, 2018
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Sep 28, 2018
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Sep 28, 2018
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Sep 28, 2018
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Sep 28, 2018

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 SRES 273	Identical 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 S6230)

Expresses support for the goals and ideals of Sickle Cell Disease Awareness Month. (Sickle cell disease is an inherited blood disorder than can lead to pain, anemia, infections, and stroke.)

Encourages people to hold events and activities to raise awareness of preventive care programs, treatments, and other patient services for those suffering from sickle cell disease.

Actions Timeline

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