

SRES 239

A resolution designating May 2023 as "ALS Awareness Month".

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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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 S2011; text: CR S2009-2010) (Jun 7, 2023)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jun 7, 2023
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Jun 7, 2023

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 SRES 713	Related bill	Jun 11, 2024: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4023; text: 5/23/2024 CR S3893)
118 SRES 224	Related bill	May 18, 2023: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text: CR S1752-1753)
118 HRES 374	Related bill	May 12, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jun 7, 2023)

This resolution designates May 2023 as ALS Awareness Month. Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) is a progressive neurodegenerative disease, also known as Lou Gehrig's disease, that affects nerve cells in the brain and spinal cord.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 7, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
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