



# HJRES 31

Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs relating to "Reproductive Health Services".

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Feb 7, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (Feb 7, 2023) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-joint-resolution/31

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## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2023

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 SJRES 10	Identical bill	<b>Apr 19, 2023:</b> Motion to proceed to consideration of measure rejected in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 48 - 51. Record Vote Number: 90.

Summary (as of Feb 7, 2023)

This joint resolution nullifies the interim final rule issued by the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) titled *Reproductive Health Services* and published on September 9, 2022. The rule authorizes the VA to provide certain abortion-related care to veterans. The rule also applies to such care provided to beneficiaries covered under the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs (CHAMPVA).

## **Actions Timeline**

- Feb 7, 2023: Introduced in House
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