

AMENDMENT TO COMMITTEE PRINT OF H.R. 4631

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[Page and line numbers refer to H4631 __CPT]

Page 3, after line 21, insert the following (and make such conforming changes as may be necessary):

1 (3) in subsection (e)(1)(B)(iv), strike “and” at
2 the end;

Page 4, after line 2, insert the following (and make such conforming changes as may be necessary):

3 (5) in subsection (e)(1)(B), by adding at the
4 end the following:
5 “(vi) include qualified individuals with
6 autism spectrum disorder or with other de-
7 velopmental disabilities;”
8 (6) in subsection (e)(1)(C), by inserting “, with
9 particular emphasis on addressing the unique needs
10 of underserved populations, including racial and eth-
11 nic minorities, women and girls with autism spec-
12 trum disorder, and adolescents and adults with au-
13 tism spectrum disorder” after “culturally competent
14 services”;

1 (7) in subsection (e), by adding at the end the
2 following:

3 “(4) STAKEHOLDER ADVISORY COMMITTEES
4 FOR LEADERSHIP EDUCATION.—Each grantee pro-
5 viding leadership education in neurodevelopmental
6 and related disabilities programs (pursuant to para-
7 graph (1)(A)) shall establish a stakeholder advisory
8 committee including a majority of individuals with
9 autism spectrum disorder or other developmental
10 disabilities, including representatives from under-
11 served populations.”.

Page 7, line 24, strike “one such member shall be
an individual” and insert “four such members, or 1/3 of
the total number of non-Federal public members ap-
pointed under this paragraph, whichever is greater, shall
be individuals, one of whom received Medicaid Home and
Community-Based Services,”.

At the end of the bill, add the following:

12 **SEC. 9. NIH RESEARCH ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER.**

13 Section 409C(b) of the Public Health Service Act (42
14 U.S.C. 284g(b)) is amended—

15 (1) in paragraph (2), by striking “ and
16 psychopharmacology” and inserting
17 “psychopharmacology, developmental disability serv-

1 ice provision, supported employment, inclusive edu-
2 cation, and other fields related to community inte-
3 grations for individuals with autism spectrum dis-
4 order”; and

5 (2) in paragraph (4), by adding at the end the
6 following: “Each center under paragraph (1) shall
7 convene a stakeholder advisory committee including
8 a majority of individuals with autism spectrum dis-
9 order.”.

