The “Preserving Patient Access to Compounded Medications Act of 2017” is a bipartisan effort to preserve patient access to vital compounded medications.

The INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF COMPOUNDING PHARMACISTS (IACP) strongly supports the new bipartisan legislation HR 2871 – THE PRESERVING PATIENT ACCESS TO COMPOUNDED MEDICATIONS ACT OF 2017, formally introduced on June 12, 2017, by U.S. CONGRESSMEN MORGAN GRIFFITH (VA) AND HENRY CUELLAR (TX). More than 300 compounding pharmacists traveled to Washington, D.C. on behalf of their patients and physicians to meet with their respective congressional representatives to discuss the Bill’s content and to urge them to co-sponsor HR 2871 during IACP’s COMPOUNDERS ON CAPITOL HILL conference held in June.

IACP PRESIDENT BAYLOR RICE, RPH, FIACP, stated,

On behalf of the International Academy of Compounding Pharmacists and the patients we serve, thank you, Congressman Griffith and Congressman Cuellar, for your leadership in introducing the bipartisan legislation, HR 2871 - The Preserving Patient Access to Compounded Medications Act.

This important bill will help protect access to medications physicians rely upon for their patients. It will help clarify the DRUG QUALITY & SECURITY ACT (DQSA) in a way that will better align the statute with congressional intent and better balance public safety and patient access. We applaud your dedication on behalf of patients,
...it’s vital that Congress support HR 2871 in order to preserve patient access to compounded medications by directing the FDA to act within Congressional intent. Ask your Congressional Representation to Support HR 2871!

HOUSE ASK...
Please consider co-sponsoring HR 2871 - The Preserving Patient Access to Compounded Medications Act of 2017 sponsored by Congressmen Morgan Griffith and Henry Cuellar for the patients in your district. Please help us preserve patient access to vital compounded medications by supporting HR 2871 as well as report language in the FDA’s FY18 appropriations legislation to reign in the agency’s regulatory overreach of compounding pharmacies. To co-sponsor, please contact Kristin Seum with Rep. Griffith’s staff.

SENATE ASK...
Please consider supporting the introduction of a Senate Companion Bill to HR 2871 — The Preserving Patient Access to Compounded Medications Act of 2017 — sponsored by Congressmen Morgan Griffith and Henry Cuellar. Please also help us preserve patient access to vital compounded medications by supporting bill and report language in the FDA’s FY18 appropriations legislation to reign in the agency’s regulatory overreach of compounding pharmacies.

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