
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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AND R. BROWN, MARCH 11, 2013

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
MARCH 11, 2013

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the week of March 10 through 16, 2013, as "Pulmonary
2 Rehabilitation Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, The American Association of Cardiovascular and
4 Pulmonary Rehabilitation is observing March 10 through 16, 2013,
5 as "National Pulmonary Rehabilitation Week," with the theme
6 "Pulmonary Rehabilitation: Inspiration for Life"; and

7 WHEREAS, Pulmonary disease is the third leading cause of
8 death in our nation and the fourth leading cause of death in
9 this Commonwealth; and

10 WHEREAS, Pulmonary rehabilitation is a broad program that
11 helps improve the well-being of people who have chronic
12 breathing problems; and

13 WHEREAS, Pulmonary rehabilitation can improve one's quality
14 of life and ability to function; and

1 WHEREAS, Observation of "Pulmonary Rehabilitation Week" calls
2 special attention to the dedicated professionals who promote the
3 dissemination of information about pulmonary disease, its
4 prevention and rehabilitation; and

5 WHEREAS, The dedicated pulmonary specialists of this
6 Commonwealth and the strides made to conquer lung disease are
7 deserving of great recognition; therefore be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives hereby designate
9 March 10 through 16, 2013, as "Pulmonary Rehabilitation Week" in
10 Pennsylvania and urge all citizens to take a healthy and sound
11 approach to care for their well-being and join forces to battle
12 one of the nation's leading killers.