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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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MARCH 31, 2017

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
MARCH 31, 2017

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A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the week of May 1 through 8, 2017, as "Children's  
2 Mental Health Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Addressing the complex mental health needs of  
4 children, youths and families is fundamental to the future of  
5 our Commonwealth; and

6 WHEREAS, Developing comprehensive, coordinated mental health  
7 services for children, youths and families is a critical  
8 responsibility of State government; and

9 WHEREAS, It is appropriate that we set aside one week each  
10 year to direct our attention to our children's mental health and  
11 well-being and our system of related resources and services;  
12 therefore be it

13 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate the  
14 week of May 1 through 8, 2017, as "Children's Mental Health  
15 Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania; and be it further

1       RESOLVED, That all residents, agencies and organizations  
2 interested in meeting every child's mental health needs unite in  
3 this observance and in addressing the fundamental necessity of a  
4 comprehensive year-round mental health program for children,  
5 youths and families.