
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 539 Session of
2017

INTRODUCED BY READSHAW, DiGIROLAMO, SCHLOSSBERG, KINSEY,
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OCTOBER 2, 2017

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
OCTOBER 2, 2017

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating October 3, 2017, as "Acupuncture and Oriental
2 Medicine Day" in Pennsylvania to honor the more than 700
3 licensed acupuncturists in this Commonwealth.

4 WHEREAS, Acupuncture and oriental medicine have a long, rich
5 history as components of a comprehensive traditional medical
6 system, having been used for thousands of years to diagnose and
7 treat illness, prevent disease and improve well-being; and

8 WHEREAS, Practitioners of acupuncture and oriental medicine
9 are dedicated to the highest professional standards; and

10 WHEREAS, Practitioners maintain these standards through
11 education, credentialing and personal commitment; and

12 WHEREAS, Millions of Americans obtain the services of
13 acupuncturists and oriental medicine practitioners each year;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, It is vital that individuals seeking wellness or
16 needing medical services understand the full realm of available
17 options for competent, professional integrated health

1 care; therefore be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate October
3 3, 2017, as "Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine Day" in
4 Pennsylvania to honor the more than 700 licensed acupuncturists
5 in this Commonwealth.