

Senate Resolution 424

By: Senator Unterman of the 45th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Georgia State University's Advanced Health Policy Institute;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Georgia Health Policy Center at Andrew Young School of Policy Studies
4 at Georgia State University has developed an educational initiative to inform members of the
5 health community about pressing health related issues; and

6 WHEREAS, with funding from the Robert W. Woodruff Foundation, the Advanced Health
7 Policy Institute is a two-part course in which legislators and their staff are instructed on
8 special topics and advanced skills related to the core areas addressed in the biannual
9 Legislative Health Policy Certificate Program of health financing, coverage, access to care,
10 and the impact poor health has upon this state; and

11 WHEREAS, more than 20 state elected officials and their staff have attended at least one
12 educational session, with three representatives and one senator completing both Advanced
13 Health Policy Institute sessions to earn commendations; and

14 WHEREAS, the Georgia Health Policy Center commends the senators, representatives, and
15 staffers who dedicated their time and energy to the bipartisan learning of vital health issues;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, the Advanced Health Policy Institute at Georgia State University provides
18 elected officials and their staff with the opportunity to make informed decisions on health
19 policy and legislation for the State of Georgia, and the institute is worthy of recognition; and

20 WHEREAS, the senator receiving the commendation for the Advanced Health Policy
21 Institute is Senator Valencia Seay.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
23 commend Georgia State University's Advanced Health Policy Institute and recognize its
24 instructors for providing high quality education to the leaders of this state.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
26 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Georgia State
27 University's Andrew Young School of Policy Studies.