
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 1041 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY SCHREIBER, BIZZARRO, COHEN, HENNESSEY,
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V. BROWN, SCHLOSSBERG, PAYNE, THOMAS, WARD, FREEMAN, GILLEN
AND GROVE, SEPTEMBER 28, 2016

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
SEPTEMBER 28, 2016

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the month of October 2016 as "American Pharmacist
2 and Pharmacy Month" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Pharmacists and pharmacies are responsible for
4 substantial contributions to health care in all practice
5 settings in this Commonwealth and across the nation; and

6 WHEREAS, As of May 2015, this Commonwealth had 12,830
7 pharmacists working toward improving medication use by reducing
8 abuse and advancing patient care in all practice settings; and

9 WHEREAS, The American Pharmacists Association's theme "Know
10 Your Pharmacist, Know Your Medicine" promotes the pharmacist's
11 role in health care and underscores that pharmacists are an
12 integral part of a patient's treatment; and

13 WHEREAS, "American Pharmacist and Pharmacy Month" is a time
14 to thank our pharmacists for the work they do and to promote

1 medicinal education to the public, especially in a time when
2 health care and prescription drug abuse are major issues facing
3 this Commonwealth and the nation; therefore be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
5 month of October 2016 as "American Pharmacist and Pharmacy
6 Month" in Pennsylvania; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives encourage all
8 Pennsylvanians to take time to participate in the observance of
9 "American Pharmacist and Pharmacy Month" to recognize and thank
10 pharmacists for their contributions.