

114TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 4447

Making appropriations to address the heroin and opioid drug abuse epidemic for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 3, 2016

Mr. COURTNEY (for himself, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. KUSTER, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. ESTY, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## A BILL

Making appropriations to address the heroin and opioid drug abuse epidemic for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any  
4 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the  
5 fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other pur-  
6 poses, namely:

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Opioid and Heroin  
3 Epidemic Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act”.

4 **TITLE I—LAW ENFORCEMENT**  
5 **PROGRAMS**

6 DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

7 OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS

8 STATE AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE

9 For an additional amount for “State and local law  
10 enforcement assistance”, for the Edward Byrne Memorial  
11 Justice Assistance Grant program as authorized by sub-  
12 part 1 of part E of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control  
13 and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (except that section 1001(c),  
14 and the special rules for Puerto Rico under section 505(g)  
15 of title I of such Act shall not apply for purposes of this  
16 Act) for expenses relating to drug treatment and enforce-  
17 ment programs, law enforcement programing, and drug  
18 addiction prevention and education programs,  
19 \$200,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Pro-*  
20 *vided*, That such amount is designated by the Congress  
21 as an emergency requirement pursuant to section  
22 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency  
23 Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C. 901(b)(2)(A)(i)).



1 901(b)(2)(A)(i): *Provided further*, That of the amount  
2 provided—

3 (1) \$225,000,000 is for the Substance Abuse  
4 Prevention and Treatment block grant program  
5 under subpart II of part B of title XIX of the Public  
6 Health Service Act;

7 (2) \$10,000,000 is for the Medication Assisted  
8 Treatment for Prescription Drug and Opioid Addic-  
9 tion program of the Programs of Regional and Na-  
10 tional Significance within the Center for Substance  
11 Abuse Treatment; and

12 (3) \$5,000,000 is for the Recovery Community  
13 Services program of the Programs of Regional and  
14 National Significance within the Center for Sub-  
15 stance Abuse Treatment.

16 SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION

17 For an additional amount for “Substance Abuse Pre-  
18 vention”, \$20,000,000 for the Strategic Prevention  
19 Framework/Partnership for Success Strategic Prevention  
20 Framework Rx of the Programs of Regional and National  
21 Significance within the Center for Substance Abuse Pre-  
22 vention, to remain available until expended: *Provided*,  
23 That such amount is designated by the Congress as an  
24 emergency requirement pursuant to section

1 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency  
2 Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C. 901(b)(2)(A)(i)).

3 MENTAL HEALTH

4 For an additional amount for “Mental Health” for  
5 the Project AWARE program of the Programs of Regional  
6 and National Significance within the Center for Mental  
7 Health Services, \$5,000,000, to remain available until ex-  
8 pended: *Provided*, That such amount is designated by the  
9 Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to sec-  
10 tion 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emer-  
11 gency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C.  
12 901(b)(2)(A)(i)).

13 CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION

14 INJURY PREVENTION AND CONTROL

15 For an additional amount for “Injury Prevention and  
16 Control” for expanding State-level prescription drug abuse  
17 prevention efforts such as improving prescription drug  
18 monitoring programs, data collection, and collaboration  
19 among States, \$50,000,000, to remain available until ex-  
20 pended: *Provided*, That such amount is designated by the  
21 Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to sec-  
22 tion 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emer-  
23 gency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C.  
24 901(b)(2)(A)(i)).

1 NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH  
2 NATIONAL INSTITUTE ON DRUG ABUSE

3 For an additional amount for the “National Institute  
4 on Drug Abuse” for carrying out section 301 and title IV  
5 of the Public Health Service Act with respect to drug  
6 abuse, \$30,000,000, to remain available until expended:  
7 *Provided*, That such amount is designated by the Congress  
8 as an emergency requirement pursuant to section  
9 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency  
10 Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C. 901(b)(2)(A)(i)).

11 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
12 PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES EMERGENCY  
13 FUND

14 For an additional amount for the “Public Health and  
15 Social Services Emergency Fund” to better coordinate and  
16 respond to the national heroin and opioid drug abuse crisis  
17 at the discretion of the Secretary of Health and Human  
18 Services, \$40,000,000, to remain available until expended:  
19 *Provided*, That such amount is designated by the Congress  
20 as an emergency requirement pursuant to section  
21 251(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency  
22 Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C. 901(b)(2)(A)(i)).

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