

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 2941**

OFFERED BY Mr. Pallone

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

**1 SECTION 1. REAUTHORIZATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF
2 JOHANNA'S LAW.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 317P(d) of the Public
4 Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247b–17(d)(4)) is amend-
5 ed—

6 (1) in paragraph (4), by inserting after “2009”
7 the following: “and \$18,000,000 for the period of
8 fiscal years 2012 through 2014”; and

9 (2) by redesignating paragraph (4) as para-
10 graph (6).

11 (b) CONSULTATION WITH NONPROFIT GYNECOLOGIC
12 CANCER ORGANIZATIONS.—Section 317P(d) of such Act
13 (42 U.S.C. 247b–17(d)), as amended by subsection (a),
14 is further amended by inserting after paragraph (3) the
15 following:

16 “(4) CONSULTATION WITH NONPROFIT
17 GYNECOLOGIC CANCER ORGANIZATIONS.—In car-
18 rying out the national campaign under this sub-

1 section, the Secretary shall consult with the leading
2 nonprofit gynecologic cancer organizations, with a
3 mission both to conquer ovarian or other gynecologic
4 cancer nationwide and to provide outreach to State
5 and local governments and communities, for the pur-
6 pose of determining the best practices for providing
7 gynecologic cancer information and outreach services
8 to varied populations.”.

9 **SEC. 2. DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS REGARDING OUT-**
10 **REACH AND EDUCATION STRATEGIES RELAT-**
11 **ING TO GYNECOLOGIC CANCER.**

12 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 317P(d) of the Public
13 Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247b–17(d)), as amended
14 by section 1, is further amended by inserting after para-
15 graph (4) the following:

16 “(5) DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS REGARDING
17 OUTREACH AND EDUCATION STRATEGIES.—

18 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may
19 carry out a program to award grants or con-
20 tracts to public or nonprofit private entities for
21 the purpose of carrying out demonstration
22 projects to test and compare different evidence-
23 based outreach and education strategies to in-
24 crease the awareness and knowledge of women
25 and health care providers with respect to

1 gynecologic cancers, including early warning
2 signs, risk factors, prevention, screening, and
3 treatment options. Such strategies shall include
4 efforts directed at women and their families,
5 physicians, nurses, and key health professionals.

6 “(B) PREFERENCES IN AWARDING GRANTS
7 OR CONTRACTS.—In making awards under sub-
8 paragraph (A), the Secretary shall give pref-
9 erence to—

10 “(i) applicants with demonstrated ex-
11 pertise in gynecologic cancer education or
12 treatment or in working with groups of
13 women who are at increased risk of
14 gynecologic cancers; and

15 “(ii) applicants that, in the dem-
16 onstration project funded by the grant or
17 contract, will establish linkages between
18 physicians, nurses, and key health profes-
19 sionals, health profession students, hos-
20 pitals, payers, and State health depart-
21 ments.

22 “(C) APPLICATION.—To seek a grant or
23 contract under subparagraph (A), an entity
24 shall submit an application to the Secretary in
25 such form, in such manner, and containing such

1 agreements, assurances, and information as the
2 Secretary determines to be necessary to carry
3 out this paragraph.

4 “(D) CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS.—In mak-
5 ing awards under subparagraph (A), the Sec-
6 retary shall—

7 “(i) make awards, as practicable, to
8 not fewer than five applicants; and

9 “(ii) ensure that information provided
10 through demonstration projects under this
11 paragraph is consistent with the best avail-
12 able medical information.

13 “(E) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later
14 than 12 months after the date of the enactment
15 of this paragraph, and annually thereafter, the
16 Secretary shall submit to the Congress a report
17 that—

18 “(i) summarizes the activities of dem-
19 onstration projects under subparagraph
20 (A);

21 “(ii) evaluates the extent to which the
22 projects were effective in increasing early
23 detection of gynecologic cancers and
24 awareness and knowledge of risk factors

1 and early warning signs in the populations
2 to which the projects were directed; and
3 “(iii) identifies barriers to early detec-
4 tion and appropriate treatment of such
5 cancers.”.

6 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
7 317P(d)(3)(A) of the Public Health Service Act (42
8 U.S.C. 247b–17(d)(3)(A)) is amended by inserting
9 “(other than paragraph (5))” after “this section”.

