
THIRD READING

Bill No: ACR 17
Author: Hadwick (R), et al.
Introduced: 1/17/25
Vote: 21

ASSEMBLY FLOOR: 69-0, 1/30/25 (Consent) - See last page for vote

SUBJECT: National Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists Week

SOURCE: Author

DIGEST: This resolution commends certified registered nurse anesthetists for their expertise, dedication, and service to the people of California, acknowledges their critical role in promoting opioid-free, opioid-sparing, and nonopioid pain management strategies, and celebrates National Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists Week 2025.

ANALYSIS: This resolution makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNAs) are highly trained, advanced practice registered nurses specializing in anesthesiology who provide independent anesthesia care to patients before, during, and after surgical, obstetrical, and trauma procedures.
- 2) CRNAs have completed rigorous academic and clinical training, including advanced education in pharmacology, physiology, and anesthesia practice, which makes them leaders in the field of anesthesiology and vital contributors to California's health care workforce.
- 3) CRNAs are at the forefront of addressing the opioid epidemic by advancing the use of opioid-free and opioid-sparing anesthesia techniques that reduce patients' exposure to opioids, minimize the risk of dependence, and contribute to long-term public health solutions.

- 4) The week of January 19–25, 2025, has been designated as National Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists Week to celebrate and recognize the contributions of CRNAs to the health and well-being of Californians.

This resolution commends certified registered nurse anesthetists for their expertise, dedication, and service to the people of California, acknowledges their critical role in promoting opioid-free, opioid-sparing, and nonopioid pain management strategies, and joins in celebrating National CRNA Week 2025.

Related/Prior Legislation

ACR 117 (Nguyen, 2024) – Held at Assembly Desk.

FISCAL EFFECT: Appropriation: No Fiscal Com.: No Local: No

SUPPORT: (Verified 2/7/25)

None received

OPPOSITION: (Verified 2/7/25)

None received

ASSEMBLY FLOOR: 69-0, 1/30/25

AYES: Addis, Aguiar-Curry, Ahrens, Alanis, Arambula, Ávila Farías, Bains, Bauer-Kahan, Bennett, Berman, Boerner, Bonta, Bryan, Carrillo, Castillo, Connolly, Davies, DeMaio, Dixon, Elhawary, Essayli, Flora, Fong, Gabriel, Gallagher, Garcia, Gipson, Jeff Gonzalez, Mark González, Hadwick, Haney, Harabedian, Hart, Hoover, Irwin, Jackson, Kalra, Krell, Lackey, Lee, Lowenthal, Macedo, Muratsuchi, Nguyen, Ortega, Pacheco, Papan, Patel, Patterson, Pellerin, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Ramos, Ransom, Michelle Rodriguez, Rogers, Blanca Rubio, Schiavo, Schultz, Solache, Stefani, Ta, Tangipa, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, Wicks, Wilson, Rivas

NO VOTE RECORDED: Alvarez, Calderon, Caloza, Chen, McKinnor, Celeste Rodriguez, Sanchez, Sharp-Collins, Soria, Zbur

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