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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80

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SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Designates May 11, 2021, as Hospital Day at the state capitol

1	A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
2	To designate Tuesday, May 11, 2021, as Hospital Day at the state capitol.
3	WHEREAS, Hospital Day is a day of celebration that serves as a reminder that
4	hospitals in Louisiana are cornerstones of their communities and that hospitals serve people
5	from all walks of life; and
6	WHEREAS, through acute care and speciality hospital services, hospitals and health
7	systems in Louisiana play an integral role in providing vital healthcare services to all
8	Louisianians, twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, three hundred sixty-five days a
9	year; and
10	WHEREAS, Hospital Day celebrates hospitals and the men and women who support
11	the health of their communities through their dedication and compassionate care, which they
12	have displayed extensively during the unprecedented COVID-19 pandemic, and hospital
13	heroes and their facilities work to collaboratively test and vaccinate patients throughout the
14	state and to promote public health initiatives to mitigate the spread of the virus; and
15	WHEREAS, today, hospitals are multi-dimensional environments that offer every
16	medical specialty and focus on population health and wellness; and
17	WHEREAS, in addition to providing critical healthcare services, Louisiana hospitals
18	and health systems are economic engines in the state; and
19	WHEREAS, hospitals directly employ more than 102,000 people with an annual
20	payroll of more than \$5.8 billion and contribute more than \$34.7 billion to the state economy

- 1 through the creation and support of more than 306,000 additional jobs statewide in industries
- 2 such as construction and retail; and
- WHEREAS, whether in urban or rural communities, Louisiana hospitals and health
- 4 systems proactively work to improve health outcomes, quality of care, safety, and
- 5 satisfaction of their patients and communities; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Louisiana hospitals and health systems provide comprehensive care for
- 7 every medical need at every stage of life.
- 8 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
- 9 designate Tuesday, May 11, 2021, as Hospital Day at the state capitol and does hereby
- 10 extend sincere gratitude to the men and women in Louisiana hospitals who work tirelessly
- 11 to improve the health of the citizens of Louisiana.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
- president of the Louisiana Hospital Association.

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