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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

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HEALTH CARE. Requests the Louisiana State Medical Society and the Louisiana Academy of Family Physicians to educate its members of state and federal programs available to children with developmental disabilities and advise parents and guardians of such programs when such a diagnosis is made.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2	To urge and request the Louisiana State Medical Society and the Louisiana Academy of
3	Family Physicians to educate its members of state and federal programs available to
4	children with developmental disabilities and advise parents and guardians of such
5	programs when such a diagnosis is made.
6	WHEREAS, it is imperative to make parents and guardians aware of state and federal
7	programs available for children with developmental disabilities; and
8	WHEREAS, informed parents and guardians are able to make better decisions
9	regarding their children; and
10	WHEREAS, the front line in communications regarding the health and well-being
11	of a child is at the doctor's office; and
12	WHEREAS, the Louisiana State Medical Society and the Louisiana Academy of
13	Family Physicians should make every effort to ensure that Louisiana doctors are
14	knowledgeable about state and federal programs available for children with developmental
15	disabilities.
16	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
17	urge and request the Louisiana State Medical Society and the Louisiana Academy of Family
18	Physicians to educate its members of state and federal programs available to children with

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the executive director of the Louisiana State Medical Society and the executive director of the Louisiana Academy of Family Physicians.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Christopher D. Adams.

DIGEST

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