

114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2927

To authorize Hispanic-serving institutions receiving grants under part A of title V of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to use such grant amounts to assist students in entering medical schools, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 25, 2015

Mr. HECK of Nevada (for himself, Mr. RUIZ, and Mr. VALADAO) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. AUTHORIZED GRANT ACTIVITIES.**

4 Subsection (b) of section 503 of the Higher Edu-
5 cation Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1101b(b)) is amended—

6 (1) in paragraph (6), by inserting before the pe-
7 riod at the end the following; “and student support
8 programs designed to facilitate the successful ad-

1 vancement from four-year institutions to an
2 allopathic or osteopathic medical school accredited
3 by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or as-
4 sociation recognized by the Secretary pursuant to
5 part H of title IV”;

6 (2) by redesignating paragraph (16) and para-
7 graph (17); and

8 (3) by inserting after paragraph (15) the fol-
9 lowing new paragraph:

10 “(16) Providing counseling, mentoring, and
11 other support services for underrepresented students
12 studying in pre-medical or other health and science
13 fields designed to facilitate their successful applica-
14 tion to an allopathic or osteopathic medical school
15 accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting
16 agency or association recognized by the Secretary
17 pursuant to part H of title IV.”.

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