

ANH–USA Legislative List

Thank You to These Members of the 111th Congress:

Senate



Sen. Tom Coburn (R-OK)

Objected to Reid’s proposed unanimous consent agreement to bring the *Food and Safety Modernization Act (S.510)* to the Senate floor with Leahy’s original bill *Food Safety and Accountability Act of 2010 (S.3767)* by [raising concerns](#) relating to the financing of the bill.



Sen. Dianne Feinstein (D-CA)

Has tried to introduce a [BPA amendment](#) to the *Food and Safety Modernization Act of 2010 (S.510)*



Sen. Chuck Grassley (R-IA)

Cosponsored *The Physician Payments Sunshine Act of 2009* with Sen. Herb Kohl (D-WI), a [bill requiring disclosure of pharmaceutical industry payments to doctors](#).

Investigated medical journal ghostwriting



Sen. Tom Harkin (D-IA)

Sponsored programs like [Take Back Your Health](#) with Sen. John Cornyn (R-TX) in the legislation *Take Back Your Health Act of 2009 (S.1640)*.

Co-sponsored (with Sen. Mikulski and Sen. Enzi) an [amendment to healthcare reform](#) legislation that would forbid healthcare plans from discriminating against any healthcare provider who is state-licensed.

Is an ardent supporter of real preventive medicine.



Sen. Orrin Hatch (R-UT)

Modified the the *Food and Safety Modernization Act of 2010 (S.510)* to include an [exemption for dietary supplements from language](#) regarding U.S. harmonization with Codex Alimentarius.

Has long been a champion on Capitol Hill of natural health and access to dietary supplements.



Sen. Barbara Mikulski (D-MD)

Co-chaired the hearings on integrative medicine with Sen. Harkin in Feb. 2009.



Sen. Jon Tester (D-MT)

Has tried to introduce an [amendment](#) to the *Food Safety Accountability Act of 2010* (S. 510) that would protect small farms and farmers markets from an overreach of FDA authority.

House of Representatives



Rep. Spencer Bachus (R-AL)

[Offered an amendment](#) to the Conference Committee excluding the FTC expansion powers from the Wall Street Financial “Reform” final package.

Is a member of the Congressional Dietary Supplement Caucus.



Rep. Bruce Braley (D-IA)

[Led the drafting of the letter](#) with Rep. Martin Heinrich (D-N.M), which focuses on the importance of patients’ being able to choose the type of healthcare provider who will treat them.



Rep. Dan Burton (R-IN)

[Coauthored a bipartisan letter](#) with Rep. Diane Watson urging the FDA to require a clear warning about mercury toxicity to every dental patient and establish specific protections for children and young women.

Co-Chair Congressional Dietary Supplement Caucus and longtime champion of health freedom and natural health.



Rep. Jason Chaffetz (R-UT)

[Introduced the *Free Speech about Science Act of 2010*](#) (H.R. 4913), with Rep. Polis.

Co-Chair of the Congressional Dietary Supplement Caucus. Another champion on Capitol Hill of natural health, and a rising star.



Rep. Martin Heinrich (D-NM)

[Led the drafting of the letter](#) with Rep. Braley (D-NM), which focuses on the importance of patients' being able to choose the type of healthcare provider who will treat them.



Rep. Frank Pallone Jr. (D-NJ)

[Lead efforts to verify the science behind genetically engineered salmon](#) and requested more information from FDA commissioner Dr. Margaret Hamburg regarding safety public consumption. Pallone stated that, "Up until this point, I don't believe FDA's review has been comprehensive enough to move forward with the approval process."

Is a member of the Congressional Dietary Supplement Caucus.



Rep. Ron Paul (R-TX)

Introduced the *Freedom of Health Speech Act* (H.R. 3394) that would require the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) to prove that health claims are false before it takes action to stop manufactures and marketers from making the claims.

Introduced the *Health Freedom Act* (H.R.3395) that would prevent the FDA from censoring truthful health claims.

Is a member of the Congressional Dietary Supplement Caucus.

Supported our efforts against the FDA's policy that restricted women's access to medications containing Estriol.

An MD who is a longtime champion of health freedom and natural health.



Rep. Jared Polis (D-CO)

[Introduced the *Free Speech about Science Act of 2010*](#) (H.R. 4913) with Rep. Chaffetz.

Is a member of the Congressional Dietary Supplement Caucus.



Rep. Louise Slaughter (D-NY)

[Introduced the *Preservation of Antibiotics for Medical Treatment Act of 2009*](#) (HR 1549) aimed at getting antibiotics out of animal feed.



Rep. Diane Watson (D-CA)

[Coauthored a bipartisan letter](#) with Rep. Burton (R-IN) urging the FDA to require clear warnings about mercury toxicity to every dental patient, and to establish specific protections for children and young women.

Qualified Thanks to These Members of the 111th Congress:

Senate



Sen. John McCain (R-AZ)

[For withdrawing his support](#) for his own *Dietary Supplement and Safety Act of 2010* (S.3002).

We hope to make our case to Sen. McCain and work with him in the next Congress.



Sen. Patrick Leahy (D-VT)

For [amending](#) his *Food Safety Accountability Act of 2010* ([S. 3767](#)) so that it is no longer possible to use the bill's language to send a supplement producer to jail for ten years for citing legitimate science. The bill still needs further work. Leahy supports our stand on some other important natural health issues.

And No Thanks to These Members of the 111th Congress!

Senate



Sen. Richard Durbin (D-IL)

Sponsored the *FDA Food Safety Modernization Act* (S.510).

[Requested the GAO Report to Congressional Requesters: Dietary Supplements FDA Should Take Further Actions to Improve Oversight and Consumer Understanding.](#)

Durbin is the principal supporter in the Senate of efforts to take away our access to dietary supplements.

House of Representatives



Rep. Henry Waxman (D-CA)

[Slipped](#) an anti-supplement measure into Wall Street “Reform” Bill (HR. 4173) through expansion of the powers of the Federal Trade Commission. Waxman [could have limited](#) the expanded powers to finance, but did not. He is the principal supporter in the House of efforts to take away our access to dietary supplements and has been chairman of the powerful Commerce Committee, which oversees health matters.

Additional Thanks to Some of Our Friends Who Have Helped the Natural Health Cause over the Years:

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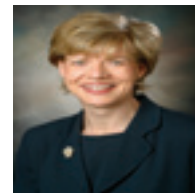
- * Has been a friend over the years
- ** Supported our estriol efforts
- *** Member of the Dietary Supplement Caucus



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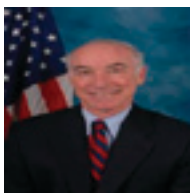
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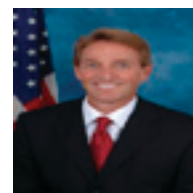
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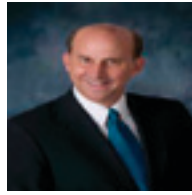
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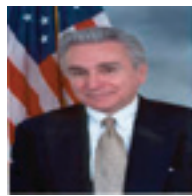
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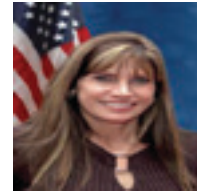
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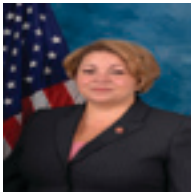
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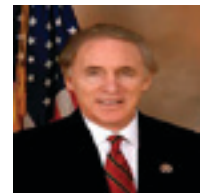
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