

Michigan Association of School Nurses Legislative Position Grid – 2009/2010

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Bill No.	Sponsor	Bill title/description	Status / Became Law	MASN Position
Bills that became law (PA)				
Public Law No: 111-3	Frank Pallone (D-NJ)	<p>Children’s Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2009</p> <p>To amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to extend and improve the Children’s Health Insurance Program, and for other purposes.</p>	Signed into law on February 4, 2009.	
STATE Bills affecting student physical health & school nurse practice				
The former HB 6555	Jones	Mandates the Department of Community Health to develop guidelines for the training of school employees in the care needed for students with Diabetes.	This bill is being rewritten for the 2009 session	
FEDERAL Bills affecting student physical health & school nurse practice				
The former H.R. 6201	McCarthy	Amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to make grants to eligible States for the purpose of reducing the student-to-school nurse ratio in public secondary schools, elementary schools and kindergarten.	This bill is being rewritten and will be resubmitted to the 110 th Congressional session.	

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HR 15	John Dingell (MI – 15)	To provide a program of national health insurance, and for other purposes.	1/6/2009 Referred to House committee. Status: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.	
HR 26	Judy Biggert (R-IL)	Eating Disorders Awareness, Prevention and Education Act of 2009. To amend title V of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to raise awareness of eating disorders and to create educational programs concerning the same, and for other purposes.	Introduced January 6, 2009, Referred to the house Energy and commerce Committee.	
HR 60	Sheila Jackson (D-TX)	Early Detection of Dyslexia in Children Act of 2009 To require the Secretary of Education to conduct a study and submit to Congress a report on methods for identifying and treating children with dyslexia in kindergarten through third grade.	Introduced January 6, 2009: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.	

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S 88	David Vitter (R-LA)	A bill to amend part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to Provide full Federal funding of such part.	Introduced January 6, 2009. Read twice and referred to the Committee on health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.	
S 206	Barbara Boxer (D-CA)	A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish a program to help States expand the education system to include at least 1 year of early education preceding the year a child enters kindergarten.	Introduced January 12. Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.	