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Version: As Reported by Senate Health, Human Services and Medicaid

Primary Sponsor: Sen. Kunze

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SUMMARY

- Designates November 16 of each year as "Sanfilippo Syndrome Awareness Day."

DETAILED ANALYSIS

Designation	Sanfilippo Syndrome Awareness Day
Date	November 16
Other Information	Sanfilippo Syndrome (also known as MPS III) is a rare, progressive, and fatal genetic disease affecting 1 in 70,000 children. It affects the metabolism of complex molecules and results in severe damage to the entire body, but most significantly to the brain. The symptoms have been described as comparable to Alzheimer's disease, except in children. ¹

HISTORY

Action	Date
Introduced	02-11-20
Reported, S. Health, Human Services & Medicaid	---

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* This analysis was prepared before the report of the Senate Health, Human services and Medicaid Committee appeared in the Senate Journal. Note that the legislative history may be incomplete.

¹ R.C. 5.2522. Cure Sanfilippo Foundation, *What is Sanfilippo*, available at <https://curesff.org/what-is-sanfilippo/>.