

**AMENDMENT TO**  
**RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-51**  
**OFFERED BY MS. PRESSLEY OF MASSACHUSETTS**

After section 402, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 403. CO-OCCURRING CHRONIC CONDITIONS AND MEN-**  
2 **TAL HEALTH IN YOUTH STUDY.**

3 Not later than 12 months after the date of enactment  
4 of this Act, the Secretary of Health and Human Services  
5 shall—

6 (1) complete a study on the rates of suicidal be-  
7 haviors among children and adolescents with chronic  
8 illnesses, including substance use disorders, auto-  
9 immune disorders, and heritable blood disorders; and

10 (2) submit a report to the Congress on the re-  
11 sults of such study, including recommendations for  
12 early intervention services for such children and ado-  
13 lescents at risk of suicide, the dissemination of best  
14 practices to support the emotional and mental health  
15 needs of youth, and strategies to lower the rates of  
16 suicidal behaviors in children and adolescents de-  
17 scribed in paragraph (1) to reduce any demographic  
18 disparities in such rates.

