

AMENDMENT TO
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At the end of title IV, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . GAO STUDY ON FEDERAL EFFORTS TO MONITOR**
2 **AND TREAT INDIVIDUALS WHO ENGAGE IN**
3 **POLYSUBSTANCE USE.**

4 (a) STUDY.—The Comptroller General of the United
5 States shall conduct a study that—

6 (1) examines how the Federal government
7 works to monitor and treat—

8 (A) individuals who use multiple drugs at
9 once or in succession (in this section referred to
10 as “polysubstance use”); and

11 (B) individuals who may switch between
12 using different substances, including fentanyl,
13 heroin, methamphetamines, and cocaine (includ-
14 ing crack cocaine);

15 (2) examines how the Federal government
16 works to prevent individuals from engaging in the
17 substance use patterns described in subparagraphs
18 (A) and (B) of paragraph (1);

1 (3) identifies areas of investment and improve-
2 ment across Federal programs and agencies—

3 (A) to monitor and treat individuals de-
4 scribed in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of para-
5 graph (1); and

6 (B) to prevent individuals from engaging
7 in the substance use patterns described in such
8 subparagraphs; and

9 (4) identifies recommendations for Federal
10 agencies and Congress to better—

11 (A) monitor and treat individuals described
12 in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (1);
13 and

14 (B) prevent individuals from engaging in
15 the substance use patterns described in such
16 subparagraphs.

17 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 2 years after the date
18 of the enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General of
19 the United States shall submit to the Congress a report
20 containing the results of the study under subsection (a).

