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US Senate Bill Needs Parent Consent

The U.S. Senate went home without passing the Newborn Screening Saves Lives Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1281). That’s because our organization, Citizens’ Council for Health Freedom, turned up the heat. The bill will give states $99.5 million for newborn screening. But these state programs are increasingly storing, using and sharing newborn DNA without parent consent. This is a violation of privacy rights.

Before states get funds, the law should require states to obtain parent consent for storage, use, and sharing. The Senate will go back into session after the elections to pass the bill. They need to hear from you now. Contact senators and senate candidates to tell them not to pass the bill without parent consent.


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