

S. 1624, Gabriella Miller Kids First Research Act 2.0
Section-by-Section

Section 1. Short Title.

This section provides that the short title is “Gabriella Miller Kids First Research Act 2.0”.

Sec. 2. Transfer Of Funds To The Pediatric Research Initiative.

This section amends the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to create a transfer of funds generated through certain civil monetary sanctions to the Pediatric Research Initiative Fund.

Sec. 3. Funding for the Pediatric Research Initiative.

This section makes corresponding changes in the Public Health Service Act to account for the transfer of funds from Section 2 and other technical changes to the program.

Sec. 4. Coordination of NIH Funding for Pediatric Research.

This section includes a Sense of Congress that the Director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) should oversee and coordinate pediatric research conducted by the NIH, including through the Pediatric Research Initiative Fund, and directs NIH to prioritize the activities of the Pediatric Research Initiative to avoid duplication of effort between projects funded by the Initiative and other related research undertaken by NIH institutes and centers.

Sec 5. Report on Progress and Investments in Pediatric Research.

This section requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to submit a report to Congress on the pediatric research projects receiving funding through the program and a summary of the advancements made in pediatric research with such funds.