

118TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

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To conduct or support further comprehensive research for the creation of  
a universal influenza vaccine or preventative.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. MARKEY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred  
to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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## **A BILL**

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the creation of a universal influenza vaccine or preventative.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Flu Vaccine Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. RESEARCH FOR THE CREATION OF A UNIVERSAL**  
6 **INFLUENZA VACCINE OR PREVENTATIVE.**

7       (a) IN GENERAL.—The Director of the National In-  
8 stitute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases shall conduct or  
9 support comprehensive research for the creation of a uni-  
10 versal influenza vaccine or preventative.

1           (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—To carry  
2 out this section, there are authorized to be appropriated  
3 \$200,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2024 through 2029.