

114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1051

To include county and municipal correctional facilities among medical facilities that qualify for designation as health professional shortage areas for purposes of the National Health Service Corps.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 22, 2015

Mr. DURBIN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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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 “National Health Serv-
5 ice Corps Expansion Act of 2015”.

6 **SEC. 2. MEDICAL FACILITIES.**

7 Section 332(a)(2) of the Public Health Service Act
8 (42 U.S.C. 254e(a)(2)) is amended—

1 (1) in subparagraph (A), by inserting “(includ-
2 ing care provided by a city or county health depart-
3 ment to inmates of a county or municipal jail)” after
4 “county health department”; and

5 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “State
6 correctional institution” and inserting “State, coun-
7 ty, or municipal correctional institution”.

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