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House Resolution

A resolution designating April 21, 2004, as "Epilepsy Awareness Day" in Florida.

WHEREAS, epilepsy is the nation's leading neurological disorder, and

WHEREAS, epilepsy can affect anyone, at any time, and at any age, and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that over 300,000 Floridians are affected by epilepsy, with nearly 18,000 new cases being diagnosed every year, and

WHEREAS, there are only 11 not-for-profit providers in Florida organized to serve the residents of all 67 counties who suffer from epilepsy, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That the House of Representatives acknowledges the important role of not-for-profit providers in caring for Florida's growing epileptic population and the responsibility of the state concerning the care and treatment of this group.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the House of Representatives wholeheartedly designates April 21, 2004, as "Epilepsy Awareness Day" in Florida.