

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Resolve, To Direct the Department of Health and Human Services  
To Establish a Physician Specialist Program**

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Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator MARRACHÉ of Kennebec.  
Cosponsored by Representative: PERRY of Calais.

1       **Sec. 1. Program for Maine physicians. Resolved:** That in order to increase  
2 the number of physicians who are practicing specialized medicine in Maine, the  
3 Department of Health and Human Services shall establish a program by rule to facilitate  
4 the process by which general care physicians further their education. In establishing the  
5 program, the department shall work with the Board of Licensure in Medicine to evaluate  
6 the needs of this program and the department shall consult with appropriate federal  
7 agencies to assist in establishment of financial aid packages for this program. Rules  
8 established pursuant to this resolve are routine technical rules as defined in the Maine  
9 Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.

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#### SUMMARY

11       This resolve directs the Department of Health and Human Services to evaluate and  
12 establish a program that facilitates the process by which physicians further their education  
13 to become specialists in a field of medicine.