

Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Bill Analysis

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131st General Assembly
(As Introduced)

Sens. Bacon, Yuko, Hughes, Gardner

BILL SUMMARY

• Designates June 1 as "Hypoparathyroidism Awareness Day."

CONTENT AND OPERATION

Hypoparathyroidism Awareness Day

The bill designates the first day of June as "Hypoparathyroidism Awareness Day." ¹

Hypoparathyroidism is a rare condition that occurs when the parathyroid glands in the neck do not produce enough parathyroid hormone (PTH). Having too little PTH causes low levels of calcium and high levels of phosphorus in the body. This condition may not cause any serious medical problems when it is detected early, but it does require lifelong monitoring and treatment.²

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² Janelle Martel, Healthline, *Hypoparathyroidism*, available at http://www.healthline.com/health/hypoparathyroidism#Overview1>.