



The CurePSP community is coming together to support the **Dr. Emmanuel Bilirakis and Honorable Jennifer Wexton National Plan to End Parkinson's Act.** You can use your voice to create meaningful change in Congress that will prioritize a cure for Parkinson's and related Parkinsonian diseases.

This first-of-its-kind legislation will unite the federal government in a mission to prevent, treat and cure Parkinson's disease, progressive supranuclear palsy, corticobasal degeneration, multiple system atrophy and Lewy body dementia. In December 2023, the House passed their version of the bill and now it is up to the Senate to pass it before it can go to the President's desk to be signed into law.

## Call your Senators to request their support of this bill!

Sharing your diagnosis experience and perspective matters. Lawmakers record how many calls they get on a particular bill, especially when you explain why the bill is important to you. When you are ready, you can call Congress directly from your phone by looking up your Senators' office numbers online or by calling the U.S. Capitol Hill switchboard at 202-224-3121 and asking to be connected to their offices.

## We encourage you to use this customizable phone script.

	Hello! My name is [your name] and I live in [your city/state].
	How can I help you?
	I am calling to ask [Senator] to support the National Plan to End Parkinson's Act. It is bill number S. 1064. The House passed its companion bill, HR 2365, in December 2023.
	What does the bill do?
	S.1064 is bipartisan, no-cost legislation that would create an advisory council to ensure efficient and effective coordination among federal entities with responsibility for managing, treating, and curing Parkinson's and related diseases. [Share your <i>brief</i> – in about 1 minute – personal connection to X diagnosis]. Unlike Parkinson's, the rare atypical Parkinsonian diseases, which are also named in this bill, progress very quickly and currently lack effective treatments. This legislation is monumental to our community as awareness, support and coordination are keys to improving quality of life for these diseases.
How can our office help?	
	I am asking [Senator] to show [his/her] support for our large and resilient Parkinsonism community by co-sponsoring the National Plan to End Parkinson's Act. I am happy to answer questions about my experience with [X diagnosis], and I would appreciate a response once [Senator] has decided whether to co-sponsor the bill. Thank you for your time today.