

Script for House Cosponsor Targets

[Advocate Introduction]

I'm writing to let you know that [H.R. 2048, the Metastatic Breast Cancer Access to Care Act](#), has been introduced by Reps. Garbarino (R-NY), Castor (D-FL), Fitzpatrick (PA) and Chu (CA). We are now seeking cosponsors for this important legislation. We urge Rep. XX to cosponsor the bill in this Congress.

The bill garnered significant bipartisan support in the 118th Congress with 272 cosponsors, and we carry that momentum into this Congress. This critical legislation would waive arbitrary SSDI and Medicare waiting periods for eligible individuals with metastatic breast cancer. There is currently no cure for metastatic breast cancer, and too many individuals with this disease die waiting for their benefits. SSDI and Medicare benefits are critically important in helping to ease that financial burden for these individuals and their families. The legislative text is unchanged from the last Congress.

If you wish to cosponsor, please contact Dominick Porcella in Rep. Garbarino's office at dominick.porcella@mail.house.gov or Nora Blalock in Rep. Castor's office at nora.blalock@mail.house.gov. I am also happy to answer questions or schedule a meeting to discuss.

Regards,

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