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COST ESTIMATE

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H.R. 389

Automatic Defibrillation in Adam's Memory Act

*As ordered reported by the House Committee on Energy and Commerce
on January 29, 2003*

H.R. 389 would amend the Public Health Service Act to allow funds appropriated under section 312 to be spent to establish an information clearinghouse to increase access to defibrillation in schools. Under current law, section 312 authorizes the appropriation of \$25 million in 2003 and such sums as may be necessary from 2004 through 2006 for grants to states and tribal organizations to develop and implement public access defibrillation programs. H.R. 389 would create an additional use of the grant money authorized under section 312, but it would not increase the authorization level for grants under that section. Therefore, CBO estimates that the bill would not affect discretionary spending. Enacting H.R. 389 also would not affect direct spending or receipts.

This legislation contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would impose no costs on state, local, or tribal governments.

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