

Community Mental Wellness and Resilience Act

WHAT CAN YOU DO?

The CMWRA has only been introduced, meaning we as a community must ensure that the government knows this is what we want. Making a call, or sending an email or piece of physical mail will ensure your representatives know you want the CMWRA to pass. Use CCMI's email and mail template to contact your local representatives.



WHAT IS CMWRA

The Community Mental Wellness and Resilience Act (CMWRA) is a piece of legislation that has been introduced in the Senate and House of Representatives. The act will establish a grant program through the Center for Disease Control (CDC) dedicated to funding "local community-based mental wellness and resilience programs" in response to the growing climate crisis. The grant will provide funding to non-profit and community-based organizations to prevent and heal mental health problems.

CENTENARY COMMUNITY MINISTRIES' STANCE

Centenary Community Ministries (CCMI) prioritizes the mental and physical health of our community and thus stands by the Community Mental Wellness and Resilience Act (CMWRA). CCMI knows that our mental health, both as individuals and as a community is at risk with the growing threat of the climate crisis. CCMI will continue to keep track of CMWRA to update the community on what is happening. The specific titles of these pieces of legislation are below:

- **S. 1452 Community Mental Wellness and Resilience Act of 2023**
- **H.R. 3073 Community Mental Wellness and Resilience Act of 2023**