

House Resolution 1419

By: Representatives Martin of the 49th, Hugley of the 141st, Jones of the 47th, and Cooper of the 45th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 2026 as Turner Syndrome Awareness Month in Georgia; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Turner syndrome is a non-inheritable chromosomal disorder that affects one in
4 2,500 live female births; and

5 WHEREAS, individuals with Turner syndrome have an increased risk of non-verbal learning
6 disorder, and in school and work these impairments can cause problems in math, visuospatial
7 skills, executive function skills, and job retention; and

8 WHEREAS, early diagnosis facilitates prevention or remediation of growth failure, hearing
9 problems, and learning difficulties as well as increase access to complete cardiac screening;
10 and

11 WHEREAS, a disproportionately small amount of funding is available for Turner syndrome
12 research and support; and

13 WHEREAS, with the help of medical specialists and a good social support system, a woman
14 with Turner syndrome can live a happy, healthy life; and

15 WHEREAS, the establishment of February 2026 as Turner Syndrome Awareness Month
16 provides the opportunity to share experience and information with the public and the media,
17 in order to raise public awareness about Turner Syndrome.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body recognize February 2026 as Turner Syndrome Awareness Month
20 in Georgia.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
23 public and the press.