

HOUSE No. 2489

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Hadley Luddy and Kip A. Diggs

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to including inflammatory breast cancer awareness in nursing education,
Marnie's Law.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Hadley Luddy</i>	<i>4th Barnstable</i>	<i>1/16/2025</i>
<i>Kip A. Diggs</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>	<i>1/16/2025</i>
<i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>	<i>First Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/20/2025</i>
<i>Samantha Montaño</i>	<i>15th Suffolk</i>	<i>7/22/2025</i>

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By Representatives Luddy of Orleans and Diggs of Barnstable, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2489) of Hadley Luddy, Kip A. Diggs and Patrick M. O'Connor relative to including inflammatory breast cancer awareness in nursing education. Public Health.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**

An Act relative to including inflammatory breast cancer awareness in nursing education, Marnie's Law.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 81C of chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the first sentence the following 2
3 sentences:- An approved school’s curriculum shall include education on inflammatory breast
4 cancer, which shall be developed in consultation with experts on the study, diagnosis and
5 treatment of inflammatory breast cancer. Approved schools may receive funds from private
6 sources for costs related to the inflammatory breast cancer education component.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall be known as “Marnie’s Law.”