



2005 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 43

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1 **Relating to:** declaring the week of October 31st Child Survival Week in the state of
2 Wisconsin.

3 Whereas, 10 million children under the age of 5 die annually around the world;
4 and

5 Whereas, two-thirds of the 10 million deaths of children under the age of 5 have
6 been deemed preventable by leading health organizations through the use of
7 existing, cost-effective solutions; and

8 Whereas, the United Nations declared as one of the 8 Millennium Development
9 Goals to "Reduce by two thirds the mortality rate among children under five"; and

10 Whereas, reaching the age of 5 significantly increases a child's chance of
11 survival; and

12 Whereas, child survival is a key element of global health and is of utmost
13 importance to the United States and all countries of the world; and

14 Whereas, the people of the state of Wisconsin recognize the importance of global
15 issues; and

