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**Statement on the Passing of Senator Tom Coburn**

WASHINGTON - Men's Health Network (MHN) wishes to acknowledge with sadness the recent passing of Senator Dr. Tom Coburn (R-Oklahoma) following a long and brave battle with cancer. Sen. Coburn, during his long and accomplished tenure representing the Great State of Oklahoma in the U.S. House of Representatives and the U.S. Senate, distinguished himself as a strong proponent of fiscal responsibility.

As a physician, he also was eloquent, tireless and effective in his efforts and advocacy to ensure that patients received the health care they needed, and deserved.

"Senator Coburn's skill and dedication will be missed by all Americans, particularly by his fellow healthcare professionals. The boys, men, and families of America have lost a strong advocate," said Dr. Salvatore J. Giorgianni, Jr., Senior Science Adviser, Men's Health Network.

On behalf of MHN's staff, volunteers and advisors we pass along our thanks to this wonderful American Statesman as well as our sincere and heartfelt condolences to his family and loved ones.

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