

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

January 12, 2017

Introduced by M. of A. JENNE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to requiring general hospitals to offer information about an anti-viral prophylaxis to high-risk infants for the prevention of respiratory syncytial virus

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. The public health law is amended by adding a new section
2 2805-z to read as follows:

3 § 2805-z. Prevention of respiratory syncytial virus in premature
4 infants. It shall be the duty of the administrative officer or other
5 designated person at each facility licensed pursuant to this article
6 caring for newborn infants to offer to the person in parental relation
7 to a premature infant or child under the age of two and at risk for
8 respiratory syncytial virus U.S. food and drug administration informa-
9 tion about approved medication for the prophylaxis for respiratory
10 syncytial virus (RSV) for said infant or child.

11 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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