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Introduced by Sen. HOYLMAN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Insurance

AN ACT to amend the insurance law, in relation to requiring insurance coverage for pre-exposure prophylaxis and post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent HIV infection

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (i) of section 3216 of the insurance law is
2 amended by adding a new paragraph 35 to read as follows:

3 (35) Every policy which provides coverage for prescription drugs shall
4 include coverage for the cost of pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) for the
5 prevention of HIV and post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent HIV
6 infection.

7 § 2. Subsection (l) of section 3221 of the insurance law is amended by
8 adding a new paragraph 21 to read as follows:

9 (21) Every policy which provides coverage for prescription drugs shall
10 include coverage for the cost of pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) for the
11 prevention of HIV and post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent HIV
12 infection.

13 § 3. Section 4303 of the insurance law is amended by adding a new
14 subsection (ss) to read as follows:

15 (ss) Every contract issued by a hospital services corporation or a
16 health services corporation which provides coverage for prescription
17 drugs shall include coverage for the cost of pre-exposure prophylaxis
18 (PrEP) for the prevention of HIV and post-exposure prophylaxis to
19 prevent HIV infection.

20 § 4. 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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