

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

May 1, 2025

Introduced by M. of A. PEOPLES-STOKES -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to authorizing the application of topical fluoride varnish to a child's teeth by a parent or legal guardian

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

1 Section 1. Section 6610 of the education law is amended by adding a
2 new subdivision 9 to read as follows:

3 9. The application of topical fluoride varnish to a child's teeth by
4 such child's parent or legal guardian, provided that such application is
5 done under the direction and supervision of a licensed practitioner
6 authorized to apply topical fluoride varnish. A licensed practitioner
7 acting within their scope of practice may prescribe topical fluoride
8 varnish for the purposes of this subdivision provided that such practi-
9 tioner dispenses written safety instructions to the parent or legal
10 guardian.

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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