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January 8, 2014

Introduced by Sen. GOLDEN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to providing managed care enrollees access to the services of the foot center of New York

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Clause (F) of subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 4 of section 364-j of the social services law, as relettered by chapter 37 of the laws of 2010, is relettered clause (G) and a new clause (F) is added to read as follows:

(F) THE SERVICES ARE PODIATRIC SERVICES AND ARE PROVIDED BY A DIAGNOSTIC AND TREATMENT CENTER LICENSED BY ARTICLE TWENTY-EIGHT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH LAW WHICH IS AFFILIATED WITH AN ACADEMIC PODIATRIC CENTER WHICH HAS BEEN GRANTED AN OPERATING CERTIFICATE PURSUANT TO ARTICLE TWENTY-EIGHT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH LAW TO PROVIDE SUCH PODIATRIC SERVICES. ANY DIAGNOSTIC AND TREATMENT CENTER PROVIDING PODIATRIC SERVICES PURSUANT TO THIS CLAUSE SHALL PRIOR TO JUNE FIRST OF EACH YEAR REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR, TEMPORARY PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY ON THE FOLLOWING: THE TOTAL NUMBER OF VISITS MADE BY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS DURING THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR; THE NUMBER OF VISITS MADE BY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS DURING THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR BY RECIPIENTS WHO WERE ENROLLED IN MANAGED CARE PROGRAMS; THE NUMBER OF VISITS MADE BY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS DURING THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR BY RECIPIENTS WHO WERE ENROLLED IN MANAGED CARE PROGRAMS THAT PROVIDE PODIATRIC BENEFITS AS A COVERED SERVICE; AND THE NUMBER OF VISITS MADE BY THE UNINSURED DURING THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR; OR

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately, provided however, that the amendments to section 364-j of the social services law made by section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed to be repealed therewith.

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

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