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AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to establishing an opioid overdose prevention program

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

Section 1. Subdivisions 3 and 4 of section 3309 of the public health law are renumbered subdivisions 4 and 5 and a new subdivision 3 is added to read as follows:

3. ANY DISTRIBUTION OF OPIOID ANTAGONISTS THROUGH THIS PROGRAM SHALL INCLUDE AN INFORMATIONAL CARD. THE INFORMATIONAL CARD SHALL INCLUDE INFORMATION ON: STEPS TO TAKE AFTER AN OPIOID ANTAGONIST IS ADMINISTERED, INCLUDING CALLING FIRST RESPONDERS; THE NUMBER FOR THE TOLL FREE OFFICE OF ALCOHOLISM AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES HOPELINE; HOW TO ACCESS THE TREATMENT PROVIDER DIRECTORY ON THE OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES WEBSITE; AND ANY OTHER INFORMATION DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE COMMISSIONER. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE SUCH INFORMATIONAL CARDS AVAILABLE TO THE OPIOID OVERDOSE PREVENTION PROGRAMS.

S 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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