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

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

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

Section 1. Subparagraphs (iii) and (iv) of paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of section 3309 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 42 of the laws of 2014, are renumbered subparagraphs (iv) and (v) and a new subparagraph (iii) is added to read as follows:

(III) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, RULE OR REGULATION TO THE CONTRARY, A SCHOOL NURSE HAVING UNDERTAKEN TRAINING IN AN OPIOID OVERDOSE PREVENTION PROGRAM APPROVED PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION ONE OF THIS SECTION MAY ADMINISTER, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, AN OPIOID ANTAGONIST TO AN OPIOID ANTAGONIST RECIPIENT.

S 2. Subparagraph (iv) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 3 of section 3309 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 42 of the laws of 2014, is renumbered subparagraph (v) and a new subparagraph (iv) is added to read as follows:

(IV) "SCHOOL NURSE" MEANS A PERSON LICENSED OR AUTHORIZED TO PRACTICE NURSING PURSUANT TO SECTION SIXTY-NINE HUNDRED FIVE OF THE EDUCATION LAW.

S 3. 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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