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Introduced by Sens. PARKER, ADDABBO, BAILEY, COMRIE, DIAZ, DILAN, HAMIL-TON, KENNEDY, LATIMER, PERKINS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to establishing topical oxygen wound therapy as a Medicaid benefit

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 365-a of the social services law is amended by adding a new paragraph (dd) to read as follows: (dd) topical oxygen wound therapy for chronic wound management and treatment, as prescribed by a physician or other qualified prescriber, through use of a United States Food and Drug Administration cleared topical oxygen chamber for extremities, consistent with coverage criteria established by the commissioner. § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in <u>italics</u> (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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