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SENATE - ASSEMBLY

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IN SENATE -- A BUDGET BILL, submitted by the Governor pursuant to article seven of the Constitution -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Finance

IN ASSEMBLY -- A BUDGET BILL, submitted by the Governor pursuant to article seven of the Constitution -- read once and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

AN ACT to amend the New York Health Care Reform Act of 1996, in relation to extending certain provisions relating thereto; to amend the public health law, in relation to health care initiative pool distributions; to amend the New York Health Care Reform Act of 2000, in relation to extending the effectiveness of provisions thereof; to amend the public health law and the state financial law in relation to eliminating programs that do not support the department of health's core mission; to amend the public health law, in relation to payments for uncompensated care to certain voluntary non-profit diagnostic and treatment centers; to amend the public health law, in relation to the distribution pool allocations and graduate medical education; to amend the public health law, in relation to the assessments on covered lives; to amend the public health law, in relation to tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool distributions; to amend chapter 266 of the laws of 1986 amending the civil practice law and rules and other laws relating to malpractice and professional medical conduct, in relation to extending the effectiveness of certain provisions thereof; to amend chapter 62 of the laws of 2003 amending the general business law and other laws relating to enacting major components necessary to implement the state fiscal plan for the 2003-04 state fiscal year, in relation to the deposit of certain funds; to amend the social services law, in relation to extending payment provisions for general hospitals; to amend the public health law, in relation to extending payment provisions for certain medical assistance rates for certified home health agencies; to amend the social services law, in relation to extending payment provisions for certain personal care services medical assistance rates; to amend chapter 517 of the laws of 2016 amending the public health law relating to payments from the New York state medical indemnity fund, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; and to repeal certain provisions of the public health law relating

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

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to funding for certain programs (Part A); to repeal subdivision 9 of section 2803 of the public health law, relating to the department of health's requirement to audit the number of working hours for hospital residents (Part B); to amend the insurance law, in relation to creating a pay and pursue model within the early intervention program (Part C); to amend the social services law, in relation to limiting the availability of enhanced quality of adult living program ("EQUAL") grants (Part D); to amend the public health law, in relation to eliminating programs that do not support the department of health's core mission; to amend the state finance law, in relation to transferring responsibility for the autism awareness and research fund to the office for people with developmental disabilities; to amend the public health law, the mental hygiene law, the insurance law and the labor law, in relation to transferring responsibility for the comprehensive care centers for eating disorders to the office of mental health; and to repeal certain provisions of the public health law relating to funding for certain programs (Part E); to amend chapter 59 of the laws of 2016 amending the public health law and other laws relating to electronic prescriptions, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 19 of the laws of 1998, amending the social services law relating to limiting the method of payment for prescription drugs under the medical assistance program, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend the public health law, in relation to continuing nursing home upper payment limit payments; to amend chapter 904 of the laws of 1984, amending the public health law and the social services law relating to encouraging comprehensive health services, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 62 of the laws of 2003, amending the public health law relating to allowing for the use of funds of the office of professional medical conduct for activities of the patient health information and quality improvement act of 2000, in relation to extending the provisions thereof; to amend chapter 59 of the laws of 2011, amending the public health law relating to the statewide health information network of New York and the statewide planning and research cooperative system and general powers and duties, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, amending the elder law and other laws relating to reimbursement to participating provider pharmacies and prescription drug coverage, in relation to extending the expiration of certain provisions thereof; to amend the public health law, in relation to issuance of certificates of authority to accountable care organizations; to amend chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, amending the social services law and other laws relating to authorizing the commissioner of health to apply federally established consumer price index penalties for generic drugs, and authorizing the commissioner of health to impose penalties on managed care plans for reporting late or incorrect encounter data, in relation to the effectiveness of certain provisions of such chapter; to amend part B of chapter 57 of the laws of 2015, amending the social services law and other laws relating to supplemental rebates, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 57 of the laws of 2019, amending the public health law relating to waiver of certain regulations, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 474 of the laws of 1996, amending the education law and other laws relating to rates for residential health care facilities, in relation to extending the effectiveness of certain provisions thereof; to amend chapter 81 of the laws of 1995, amending the public health law and other laws relating to medical reimbursement

and welfare reform, in relation to extending the effectiveness of certain provisions thereof; to amend chapter 58 of the laws of amending the social services law and the public health law relating to adjustments of rates, in relation to extending the date of the expiration of certain provisions thereof; and to amend part B of chapter 57 of the laws of 2015, amending the social services law and other laws relating to supplemental rebates; in relation to the effectiveness thereof (Part F); to amend the insurance law, in relation to prescription drug pricing and creating a drug accountability board (Part G); to amend the education law, in relation to clarifying the tasks that can be performed by a licensed pharmacy technician (Part H); to amend the education law, in relation to orders or non-patient specific regimens to pharmacists for administering immunizations; to amend chapter 563 of the laws of 2008, amending the education law and the public health law relating to immunizing agents to be administered to adults by pharmacists, in relation to making the provisions permanent; to amend chapter 116 of the laws of 2012, amending the education law relating to authorizing a licensed pharmacist and certified nurse practitioner to administer certain immunizing agents, in relation to making certain provisions permanent; to amend chapter 274 of the laws of 2013, amending the education law relating to authorizing a licensed pharmacist and certified nurse practitioner to administer meningococcal disease immunizing agents, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; and to amend chapter 21 of the laws of 2011, amending the education law relating to authorizing pharmacists to perform collaborative drug therapy management with physicians in certain settings, relation to making certain provisions permanent (Part I); to amend the insurance law, in relation to denial of payment for certain medically necessary hospital services, claims payment timeframes and payment of interest, payment and billing for out-of-network hospital emergency services, claims payment performance and creation of a workgroup to study health care administrative simplification; to amend the public health law, the insurance law, the financial services law and the civil practice law and rules, in relation to provisional credentialing of physicians and utilization review determinations and prior authorization; and to repeal certain provisions of the financial services law relating thereto (Part J); to amend the public health law, in relation to the state's physician profiles (Part K); to amend the education law and the public health law, in relation to enhancing the ability of the department of education to investigate, discipline, and monitor licensed physicians, physician assistants, and specialist assistants (Part L); to amend the public health law, in relation to the state's schedules of controlled substances (Part M); to amend the public health law, in relation to general hospital and nursing home requirements to establish antibiotic stewardship programs and antimicrobial resistance and infection prevention training programs (Part N); to amend the public health law, in relation to expanding the Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner (SAFE) Program to all New York state hospitals with an emergency department (Part O); to amend the public health law and the labor law, in relation to the state's modernization of environmental health fee (Part P); to amend the public health law, the education law, the general business law and the tax law, in relation to the tobacco and electronic cigarette omnibus state of the state proposal; and to repeal certain provisions of the public health law relating thereto (Part Q); to amend the social services law, relation to certain Medicaid management; authorizing the director of

the division of the budget to direct the commissioner of health to distribute enhanced federal match assistance percentage payments to social services districts; and relating to state expenditures (Part R); to amend the public health law, in relation to adding a three percent surcharge to construction approval applications (Part S); to amend chapter 266 of the laws of 1986 amending the civil practice law and rules and other laws relating to malpractice and professional medical conduct, in relation to excess insurance coverage and extending the effectiveness of certain provisions thereof; and to amend part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, amending the New York Health Care Reform Act of 1996 and other laws relating to extending certain provisions relating thereto, in relation to extending provisions relating to excess coverage (Part T); to amend the insurance law, in relation to the licensing of pharmacy benefit managers (Part U); to amend the mental hygiene law, in relation to admission to residential treatment facilities (RTF) for children and youth (Part V); to amend the criminal procedure law, in relation to including mental health units operating within a local correctional facility within the definition of "appropriate institution" under certain circumstances (Part W); to authorize the transfer of certain office of mental health employees to the secure treatment rehabilitation center (Part X); to amend the mental hygiene law, in relation to the amount of time an individual may be held for emergency observation, care, and treatment in CPEP and the implementation of satellite sites, to amend chapter 723 of the laws of 1989 amending the mental hygiene law and other laws relating to comprehensive psychiatric emergency programs, in relation to the effectiveness of certain provisions thereof; and to repeal paragraphs 4 and 8 of subdivision (a), and subdivision (i) of section 31.27 of the mental hygiene law, relating thereto (Part Y); to amend the insurance law, in relation to promulgating rules and regulations to establish mental health and substance use disorder parity compliance requirements; and to amend the state finance law and public health law, in relation to establishing the behavioral health parity compliance fund (Part Z); to amend the social services law, in relation to the requirement to check the statewide central register of child abuse and maltreatment for every subject of a reported allegation of abuse or neglect (Part AA); and to amend the mental hygiene law, the social services law and the public health law, in relation to providers of service (Part BB)

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

Section 1. This act enacts into law major components of legislation necessary to implement the state health and mental hygiene budget for the 2020-2021 state fiscal year. Each component is wholly contained within a Part identified as Parts A through BB. The effective date for each particular provision contained within such Part is set forth in the last section of such Part. Any provision in any section contained within a Part, including the effective date of the Part, which makes a reference to a section "of this act", when used in connection with that particular component, shall be deemed to mean and refer to the corre-10 sponding section of the Part in which it is found. Section three of this 11 act sets forth the general effective date of this act.

1 PART A

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Section 34 of part A3 of chapter 62 of the laws of 2003 Section 1. amending the general business law and other laws relating to enacting major components necessary to implement the state fiscal plan for the 2003-04 state fiscal year, as amended by section 14 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

- § 34. (1) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the state comptroller is authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the department of health's special revenue fund - other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund - 061, provider collection monitoring account, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds collected and accumulated pursuant to section 2807-v of the public health law, including income from invested funds, for the purpose of payment for administrative costs of the department of health related to administration of statutory duties for the collections and distributions authorized by section 2807-v of the public health law.
- (2) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the state comptroller is authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the department of health's special revenue fund - other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund - 061, provider collection monitoring account, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds collected and accumulated and interest earned through surcharges on payments for health care services pursuant to section 2807-s of the public health law and from assessments pursuant to section 2807-t of the public health law for the purpose of payment for administrative costs of the department of 30 health related to administration of statutory duties for the collections and distributions authorized by sections 2807-s, 2807-t, and 2807-m of the public health law.
 - (3) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds authorized for distribution in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 of section 2807-1 of the public health law for the purposes of payment for administrative costs of the department of health related to the child health insurance plan program authorized pursuant to title 1-A of article 25 of the public health law into the special revenue funds - other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund - 061, child health insurance account, established within the department of health.
- [(1) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, 2020, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds authorized for distribution in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (e) of subdivision 1 of section 2807-1 of the public health law for the purpose of payment for administrative costs of the depart-52 ment of health related to the health occupation development and work-53 place demonstration program established pursuant to section 2807-h and the health workforce retraining program established pursuant to section 54 55 2807-g of the public health law into the special revenue funds - other,

health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund - 061, health occupation development and workplace demonstration program account, established within the department of health.

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- (5) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds allocated pursuant to paragraph (j) of subdivision 1 of section 2807-v of the public health law for the purpose of payment for administrative costs of the department of health related to administration of the state's tobacco control programs and cancer services provided pursuant to sections 2807-r and 1399-ii of the public health law into such accounts established within the department of health for such purposes.
- (6) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, the funds authorized for distribution in accordance with the provisions of section 2807-1 of the public health law for the purposes of payment for administrative costs of the department of health related to the programs funded pursuant to section 2807-1 of the public health law into the special revenue funds - other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund 061, pilot health insurance account, established within the department of health.
- (7) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds authorized for distribution in accordance with the provisions of subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (f) of subdivision 19 of section 2807-c of the public health law from monies accumulated and interest earned in the bad debt and charity care and capital statewide pools through an assessment charged to general hospitals pursuant to the provisions of subdivision $\,$ 18 of section $\,$ 2807-c of the public health law and those funds authorized for distribution in accordance with the provisions of section 2807-1 of the public health law for the purposes of payment for administrative costs of the department of health related to programs funded under section 2807-1 of the public health law into the special revenue funds - other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund -061, primary care initiatives account, established within the department of health.
- (8) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, those funds authorized for distribution in accordance with section 2807-1 of the public health law for the purposes of payment for administrative costs of the department of health related to programs funded under section 2807-1 of the public health law into the special revenue funds other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund - 061, health care delivery administration account, established within the department of health.
- (9) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regu-54 lation and effective April 1, 2008 through March 31, [2020] 2023, the 55 commissioner of health is authorized to transfer and the comptroller is authorized to deposit, within amounts appropriated each year, those

funds authorized pursuant to sections 2807-d, 3614-a and 3614-b of the public health law and section 367-i of the social services law and for distribution in accordance with the provisions of subdivision 9 of section 2807-j of the public health law for the purpose of payment for administration of statutory duties for the collections and distributions authorized by sections 2807-c, 2807-d, 2807-j, 2807-k, 2807-l, 3614-a and 3614-b of the public health law and section 367-i of the social services law into the special revenue funds - other, health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund - 061, provider collection monitoring account, established within the department of health.

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- 2. Subparagraphs (iv) and (v) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 9 of section 2807-j of the public health law, as amended by section 5 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, are amended to read as follows:
- (iv) seven hundred sixty-five million dollars annually of the funds accumulated for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand [nineteen] twenty-two, and
- (v) one hundred ninety-one million two hundred fifty thousand dollars of the funds accumulated for the period January first, two thousand [$\frac{\text{twenty}}{\text{twenty-three}}$] through March thirty-first, two thousand [$\frac{\text{twenty}}{\text{twenty}}$] twenty-three.
- § 3. Subdivision 5 of section 168 of chapter 639 of the laws of 1996, constituting the New York Health Care Reform Act of 1996, as amended by section 1 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- 5. sections 2807-c, 2807-j, 2807-s and 2807-t of the public health law, as amended or as added by this act, shall expire on December 31, [2020] 2023, and shall be thereafter effective only in respect to any act done on or before such date or action or proceeding arising out of such act including continued collections of funds from assessments and allowances and surcharges established pursuant to sections 2807-c, 2807-j, 2807-s and 2807-t of the public health law, and administration and distributions of funds from pools established pursuant to sections 2807-c, 2807-j, 2807-k, 2807-l, 2807-m, 2807-s and 2807-t of the public 34 health law related to patient services provided before December 31, [2020] 2023, and continued expenditure of funds authorized for programs and grants until the exhaustion of funds therefor;
 - Subdivision 1 of section 138 of chapter 1 of the laws of 1999, constituting the New York Health Care Reform Act of 2000, as amended by section 2 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
 - 1. sections 2807-c, 2807-j, 2807-s, and 2807-t of the public health law, as amended by this act, shall expire on December 31, [2020] 2023, and shall be thereafter effective only in respect to any act done before such date or action or proceeding arising out of such act including continued collections of funds from assessments and allowances and surcharges established pursuant to sections 2807-c, 2807-j, 2807-s and 2807-t of the public health law, and administration and distributions of funds from pools established pursuant to sections 2807-c, 2807-j, 2807-k, 2807-l, 2807-m, 2807-s, 2807-t, 2807-v and 2807-w of the public health law, as amended or added by this act, related to patient services provided before December 31, [2020] 2023, and continued expenditure of funds authorized for programs and grants until the exhaustion of funds therefor;
- 54 Section 2807-1 of the public health law, as amended by section 55 21 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2807-1. Health care initiatives pool distributions. 1. Funds accumulated in the health care initiatives pools pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision nine of section twenty-eight hundred seven-j of this article, or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund established pursuant to section ninety-two-dd of the state finance law, whichever is applicable, including income from invested funds, shall be distributed or retained by the commissioner or by the state comptroller, as applicable, in accordance with the following.

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- (a) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of distributions to programs to provide health care coverage for uninsured or underinsured children pursuant to sections twenty-five hundred ten and twenty-five hundred eleven of this chapter from the respective 14 health care initiatives pools established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, up to one hundred twenty million six hundred thousand dollars;
- (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred 20 ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, up to one hundred sixty-four million five hundred thousand dollars;
 - (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, up to one hundred eighty-one million dollars;
 - (iv) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand, two hundred seven million dollars;
 - (v) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one, two hundred thirty-five million dollars;
- 31 (vi) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand two 32 through December thirty-first, two thousand two, three hundred twenty-33 four million dollars;
 - (vii) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, up to four hundred fifty million three hundred thousand dollars;
 - (viii) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to four hundred sixty million nine hundred thousand dollars;
 - (ix) from the pool or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, up to one hundred fifty-three million eight hundred thousand dollars;
 - (x) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to three hundred twenty-five million four hundred thousand dollars;
 - from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, up to four hundred twenty-eight million fifty-nine thousand dollars;
- 52 (xii) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the 53 period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, 54 two thousand ten, up to four hundred fifty-three million six hundred seventy-four thousand dollars annually;

(xiii) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand eleven, through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to one hundred thirteen million four hundred eighteen thousand dollars;

- (xiv) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period April first, two thousand eleven, through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve, up to three hundred twenty-four million seven hundred forty-four thousand dollars;
- 9 (xv) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the 10 period April first, two thousand twelve, through March thirty-first, two 11 thousand thirteen, up to three hundred forty-six million four hundred forty-four thousand dollars; 12

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- from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the (xvi) 14 period April first, two thousand thirteen, through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to three hundred seventy million six hundred ninety-five thousand dollars; and
 - (xvii) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for each state fiscal year for periods on and after April first, two thousand fourteen, within amounts appropriated.
 - (b) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of distributions for health insurance programs under the individual subsidy programs established pursuant to the expanded health care coverage act of nineteen hundred eighty-eight as amended, and for evaluation of such programs from the respective health care initiatives pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) (A) an amount not to exceed six million dollars on an annualized basis for the periods January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven 30 through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine; up to six 31 million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through 32 December thirty-first, two thousand; up to five million dollars for the 33 period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one; up to four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two; up to two million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand 38 three; up to one million three hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two 39 thousand four; up to six hundred seventy thousand dollars for the period 40 41 January first, two thousand five through June thirtieth, two thousand 42 five; up to one million three hundred thousand dollars for the period 43 April first, two thousand six through March thirty-first, two thousand 44 seven; and up to one million three hundred thousand dollars annually for the period April first, two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two thousand nine, shall be allocated to individual subsidy programs;
- (B) an amount not to exceed seven million dollars on an annualized basis for the periods during the period January first, nineteen hundred 49 50 ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine 51 and four million dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, and three million dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through 54 December thirty-first, two thousand three, and two million dollars for 55 the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-56 first, two thousand four, and two million dollars for the period January

first, two thousand five through June thirtieth, two thousand five shall be allocated to the catastrophic health care expense program.

3 (ii) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the characterizations of 4 the New York state small business health insurance partnership program as in effect prior to June thirtieth, two thousand three, voucher program as in effect prior to December thirty-first, two thousand one, 7 individual subsidy program as in effect prior to June thirtieth, thousand five, and catastrophic health care expense program, as in 9 effect prior to June thirtieth, two thousand five, may, for the purposes 10 of identifying matching funds for the community health care conversion 11 demonstration project described in a waiver of the provisions of title XIX of the federal social security act granted to the state of New York 12 13 and dated July fifteenth, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, may continue to 14 be used to characterize the insurance programs in sections four thousand 15 three hundred twenty-one-a, four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a, 16 four thousand three hundred twenty-six and four thousand three hundred 17 twenty-seven of the insurance law, which are successor programs to these 18

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(c) Up to seventy-eight million dollars shall be reserved and accumu-20 lated from year to year from the pool for the period January first, 21 nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, for purposes of public health programs, up to 22 seventy-six million dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year 23 24 to year from the pools for the periods January first, nineteen hundred 25 ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight and January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December 27 thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, up to eighty-four million 28 dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year from the pools for the period January first, two thousand through December thir-30 ty-first, two thousand, up to eighty-five million dollars shall be 31 reserved and accumulated from year to year from the pools for the period 32 January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thou-33 sand one, up to eighty-six million dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year from the pools for the period January first, two 34 35 thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to eighty-six million one hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year from the pools for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand 39 three, up to fifty-eight million seven hundred eighty thousand dollars 40 shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year from the pools for 41 the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-42 first, two thousand four, up to sixty-eight million seven hundred thirty 43 thousand dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year 44 from the pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, 45 whichever is applicable, for the period January first, two thousand five 46 through December thirty-first, two thousand five, up to ninety-four 47 million three hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand six through 50 December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to seventy million nine 51 hundred thirty-nine thousand dollars shall be reserved and accumulated 52 from year to year from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thir-54 ty-first, two thousand seven, up to fifty-five million six hundred eighty-nine thousand dollars annually shall be reserved and accumulated 55 56 from year to year from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund

for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to thirteen million nine hundred twentytwo thousand dollars shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year
from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period
January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, and for periods on and after April first, two thousand
eleven, up to funding amounts specified below and shall be available,
including income from invested funds, for:

9 (i) deposit by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the 10 state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to, to the credit of the department of health's special revenue 11 fund - other, hospital based grants program account or the health care 12 13 reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, for purposes 14 services and expenses related to general hospital based grant 15 programs, up to twenty-two million dollars annually from the nineteen 16 hundred ninety-seven pool, nineteen hundred ninety-eight pool, nineteen 17 hundred ninety-nine pool, two thousand pool, two thousand one pool and thousand two pool, respectively, up to twenty-two million dollars 18 from the two thousand three pool, up to ten million dollars for the 19 20 period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to eleven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand 22 five, up to twenty-two million dollars for the period January first, two 23 thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to 24 25 twenty-two million ninety-seven thousand dollars annually for the period 26 January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two 27 thousand ten, up to five million five hundred twenty-four thousand 28 dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March 29 thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to thirteen million four hundred 30 forty-five thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand 31 eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve, and up to thir-32 teen million three hundred seventy-five thousand dollars each state 33 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twelve through 34 March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;

35 (ii) deposit by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the 36 state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for 37 deposit to, to the credit of the emergency medical services training 38 account established in section ninety-seven-q of the state finance law 39 or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, up to sixteen million dollars on an annualized basis for the 40 41 periods January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, up to twenty million dollars 43 for the period January first, two thousand through December thirtyfirst, two thousand, up to twenty-one million dollars for the period 44 45 January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thou-46 sand one, up to twenty-two million dollars for the period January first, 47 two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to twenty-two million five hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period 48 January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two 49 50 thousand three, up to nine million six hundred eighty thousand dollars 51 for the period January first, two thousand four through December thir-52 ty-first, two thousand four, up to twelve million one hundred thirty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through 54 December thirty-first, two thousand five, up to twenty-four million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thou-55 sand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to twenty

1 million four hundred ninety-two thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to five million one hundred twenty-three thousand 3 dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to eighteen million three hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand eleven 7 through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve, up to eighteen million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period April first, two 9 thousand twelve through March thirty-first, two thousand thirteen, up to 10 nineteen million four hundred nineteen thousand dollars for the period 11 April first, two thousand thirteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, and up to nineteen million six hundred fifty-nine thou-12 sand seven hundred dollars each state fiscal year for the period of 13 14 April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thou-15 sand [twenty] twenty-three;

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(iii) priority distributions by the commissioner up to thirty-two million dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to thir-19 ty-eight million dollars on an annualized basis for the period January 20 first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand 21 six, up to eighteen million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, 22 two thousand seven, up to three million dollars annually for the period 23 24 January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two 25 thousand ten, up to seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thou-27 sand eleven, up to two million nine hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through 28 29 March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, and up to two million nine 30 hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April 31 first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand 32 [twenty] twenty-three to be allocated (A) for the purposes established 33 pursuant to subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (f) of subdivision nineteen of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article as in effect on 34 35 December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-six and as may thereafter 36 be amended, up to fifteen million dollars annually for the periods Janu-37 ary first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand 38 four, up to twenty-one million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand 39 six, and up to seven million five hundred thousand dollars for the peri-40 41 od January first, two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two 42 thousand seven;

(B) pursuant to a memorandum of understanding entered into by commissioner, the majority leader of the senate and the speaker of the assembly, for the purposes outlined in such memorandum upon the recommendation of the majority leader of the senate, up to eight million five hundred thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand six, and up to four million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through June thirtieth, two thousand seven, and for the purposes outlined in such memorandum upon the recommendation of the speaker of the assembly, up to eight million five hundred thousand dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand six, and up to four million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through June thirtieth, two thousand seven; and

(C) for services and expenses, including grants, related to emergency assistance distributions as designated by the commissioner. Notwithstanding section one hundred twelve or one hundred sixty-three of the 3 state finance law or any other contrary provision of law, such distributions shall be limited to providers or programs where, as determined by the commissioner, emergency assistance is vital to protect the life or safety of patients, to ensure the retention of facility caregivers or 7 other staff, or in instances where health facility operations are jeop-9 ardized, or where the public health is jeopardized or other emergency 10 situations exist, up to three million dollars annually for the period 11 April first, two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to two million nine hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through 12 13 14 March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to two million nine 15 hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April 16 first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand 17 seventeen, [and] up to two million nine hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen 18 19 through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to two million 20 nine hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period 21 April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three. Upon any distribution of such funds, the commissioner 22 shall immediately notify the chair and ranking minority member of the 23 24 senate finance committee, the assembly ways and means committee, the 25 senate committee on health, and the assembly committee on health;

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(iv) distributions by the commissioner related to poison control centers pursuant to subdivision seven of section twenty-five hundred-d of this chapter, up to five million dollars for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, up to three million dollars on an annualized basis for the periods during the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, up to five million dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to four million six hundred thousand dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to five million one hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand six annually, up to five million one hundred thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, up to three million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to seven hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to two million five hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to three million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirtyfirst, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to three million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to three million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three; and

(v) deposit by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for

1 deposit to, to the credit of the department of health's special revenue fund - other, miscellaneous special revenue fund - 339 maternal and child HIV services account or the health care reform act (HCRA) 3 resources fund, whichever is applicable, for purposes of a special program for HIV services for women and children, including adolescents pursuant to section twenty-five hundred-f-one of this chapter, up to 7 five million dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to five million 9 dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through Decem-10 ber thirty-first, two thousand three, up to two million five hundred 11 thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to two million five hundred 12 13 thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through 14 December thirty-first, two thousand five, up to five million dollars for 15 the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-16 first, two thousand six, up to five million dollars annually for the 17 period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, 18 two thousand ten, up to one million two hundred fifty thousand dollars 19 the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-20 first, two thousand eleven, and up to five million dollars each state 21 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through 22 March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;

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- (d) (i) An amount of up to twenty million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through June thirtieth, two thousand seven, up to twenty million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to nineteen million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to nineteen million six hundred thousand dollars each state 34 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to nineteen million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period of first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to nineteen million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period of April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, transferred to the health facility restructuring pool established pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred fifteen of this article;
 - provided, however, amounts transferred pursuant to subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may be reduced in an amount to be approved by the director of the budget to reflect the amount received from the federal government under the state's 1115 waiver which is directed under terms and conditions to the health facility restructuring program.
- Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of distributions to organizations to support the health workforce retraining program established pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-q of this article from the respective health care initiatives pools established for the following periods in the following amounts from the pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, during the period January first, nineteen 56 hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred

1 ninety-nine, up to fifty million dollars on an annualized basis, up to thirty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand, up to forty million dollars 3 for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirtyfirst, two thousand one, up to fifty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to forty-one million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for 7 the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-9 first, two thousand three, up to forty-one million one hundred fifty 10 thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through 11 December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to fifty-eight million three hundred sixty thousand dollars for the period January first, two 12 13 thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, up to 14 fifty-two million three hundred sixty thousand dollars for the period 15 January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thou-16 sand six, up to thirty-five million four hundred thousand dollars annu-17 ally for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to eight million eight hundred fifty 18 thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven 19 20 through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to twenty-eight 21 million four hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two 22 thousand fourteen, up to twenty-six million eight hundred seventeen 23 24 thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two 25 thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, 26 [and] up to twenty-six million eight hundred seventeen thousand dollars 27 each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seven-28 teen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to twenty-29 six million eight hundred seventeen thousand dollars each state fiscal 30 year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thir-31 ty-first, two thousand twenty-three, less the amount of funds available 32 for allocations for rate adjustments for workforce training programs for 33 payments by state governmental agencies for inpatient hospital services. 34

(f) Funds shall be accumulated and transferred from as follows:

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- (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, (A) thirty-four million six hundred thousand dollars shall be transferred to funds reserved and accumulated pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision nineteen of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article, and (B) eighty-two million dollars shall be transferred and deposited and credited to the credit of the state general fund medical assistance local assistance account;
- (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred 44 ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, eighty-two million dollars shall be transferred and deposited and credited to the credit of the state general fund medical assistance local assistance account;
 - (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, eighty-two million dollars shall be transferred and deposited and credited to the credit of the state general fund medical assistance local assistance account;
- (iv) from the pool or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources 54 fund, whichever is applicable, for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand four, eighty-two 55 million dollars annually, and for the period January first, two thousand

1 five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, eighty-two million dollars, and for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, eighty-two million 3 dollars, and for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, eighty-two million dollars, and for the period January first, two thousand eight through December 7 thirty-first, two thousand eight, ninety million seven hundred thousand dollars shall be deposited by the commissioner, and the state comp-9 troller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, 10 11 medical assistance account;

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- (v) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, one hundred eight million nine hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, and for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, one hundred twenty-six million one hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, twenty million five hundred thousand dollars, and for each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirtyfirst, two thousand fourteen, one hundred forty-six million four hundred thousand dollars, shall be deposited by the commissioner, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit, to the credit of the state special revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account.
- (q) Funds shall be transferred to primary health care services pools created by the commissioner, and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for distributions in accordance with former section twenty-eight hundred seven-bb of this article from the respective health care initiatives pools for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (f) of this subdivision:
- (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, fifteen and eighty-seven-hundredths percent;
- (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, fifteen and eighty-seven-hundredths percent; and
- (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, sixteen and thirteen-hundredths percent.
- Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year by the commissioner and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of primary care education and training pursuant to article nine of this chapter from the respective health care initiatives pools established for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (f) of this subdivision and shall be available for distributions as follows:
 - (i) funds shall be reserved and accumulated:
- 51 (A) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred nine-52 ty-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, 53 six and thirty-five-hundredths percent;
- (B) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred nine-55 ty-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight, six and thirty-five-hundredths percent; and

(C) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, six and forty-five-hundredths percent;

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- funds shall be available for distributions including income from invested funds as follows:
- (A) for purposes of the primary care physician loan repayment program in accordance with section nine hundred three of this chapter, up to five million dollars on an annualized basis;
- 9 (B) for purposes of the primary care practitioner scholarship program 10 accordance with section nine hundred four of this chapter, up to two 11 million dollars on an annualized basis;
 - (C) for purposes of minority participation in medical education grants in accordance with section nine hundred six of this chapter, up to one million dollars on an annualized basis; and
 - (D) provided, however, that the commissioner may reallocate any funds remaining or unallocated for distributions for the primary care practitioner scholarship program in accordance with section nine hundred four of this chapter.
 - (i) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for distributions in accordance with section twenty-nine hundred fifty-two and section twenty-nine hundred fifty-eight of this chapter for rural health care delivery development and rural health care access development, respectively, from the respective health care initiatives pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (f) of this subdivision, and for periods on and after January first, two thousand, in the following amounts:
 - (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, thirteen and forty-nine-hundredths percent;
 - (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, thirteen and forty-nine-hundredths percent;
 - from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, thirteen and seventy-one-hundredths percent;
 - (iv) from the pool for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, seventeen million dollars annually, and for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, up to fifteen million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars;
- (v) from the pool or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to fifteen million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, up to nineteen million two hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to nineteen million two hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to eighteen million one hundred fifty thousand dollars 54 annually, for the period January first, two thousand eleven through 55 March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to four million five hundred 56 thirty-eight thousand dollars, for each state fiscal year for the period

1 April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars, up to sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for 3 the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirtyfirst, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.

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- (j) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of distributions related to health information and health care quality improvement pursuant to former section twenty-eight hundred seven-n of this article from the respective health care initiatives pools established for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (f) of this subdivision:
- (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, six and thirty-five-hundredths percent;
- (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, six and thirty-five-hundredths percent; and
- (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, six and forty-five-hundredths percent.
- (k) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for allocations and distributions in accordance with section twenty-eight hundred seven-p of this article for diagnostic and treatment center uncompensated care from the respective health care initiatives pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applica-34 ble, for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) (f) of this subdivision, and for periods on and after January through first, two thousand, in the following amounts:
 - (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, thirty-eight and one-tenth percent;
 - (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, thirty-eight and one-tenth percent;
- 44 (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred 45 ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, 46 thirty-eight and seventy-one-hundredths percent;
 - (iv) from the pool for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, forty-eight million dollars annually, and for the period January first, two thousand three through June thirtieth, two thousand three, twenty-four million dollars;
 - (v) (A) from the pool or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources whichever is applicable, for the period July first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, up to six million dollars, for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to twelve million dollars annually, for the period January first, two thousand seven through

December thirty-first, two thousand thirteen, up to forty-eight million dollars annually, for the period January first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to twelve million dollars for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, up to forty-eight million dollars annually, [and] for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, up to forty-eight million dollars annually, and for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, up to forty-eight million dollars annually;

- (B) from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, an additional seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand thirteen, an additional seven million five hundred thousand dollars annually, for the period January first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, an additional one million eight hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirtyfirst, two thousand seventeen, an additional seven million five hundred thousand dollars annually, [and] for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, an additional seven million five hundred thousand dollars annually, and for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, an additional seven million five hundred thousand dollars annually for voluntary non-profit diagnostic and treatment center uncompensated care in accordance with subdivision four-c of section twenty-eight hundred seven-p of this article; and
- (vi) funds reserved and accumulated pursuant to this paragraph for periods on and after July first, two thousand three, shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, for purposes of funding the state share of rate adjustments made pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-p of this article, provided, however, that in the event federal financial participation is not available for rate adjustments made pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-p of this article, funds shall be distributed pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-p of this article from the respective health care initiatives pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable.
- (1) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year by the commissioner and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for transfer to and allocation for services and expenses for the payment of benefits to recipients of drugs under the AIDS drug assistance program (ADAP) HIV uninsured care program as administered by Health Research Incorporated from the respective health care initiatives pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, established for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (f) of this subdivision, and for periods on and after January first, two thousand, in the following amounts:

(i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, nine and fifty-two-hundredths percent;

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- from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, nine and fifty-two-hundredths percent;
- (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, nine and sixty-eight-hundredths percent;
- (iv) from the pool for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to twelve million dollars annually, and for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, up to forty million dollars; and
- (v) from the pool or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, for the periods January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to fifty-six million dollars, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to sixty million dollars annually, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to sixty million dollars annually, for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to fifteen million dollars, each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to forty-two million three hundred thousand dollars and up to forty-one million fifty thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand [twenty] twenty-three.
- (m) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes distributions pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-r of this article for cancer related services from the respective health care initiatives pools or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, established for the following periods in the following percentage amounts of funds remaining after allocations in accordance with paragraphs (a) through (f) of this subdivision, and for periods on and after January first, two thousand, in the following amounts:
- (i) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven, seven and ninety-four-hundredths percent;
- (ii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred 44 ninety-eight through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninetyeight, seven and ninety-four-hundredths percent;
 - (iii) from the pool for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine and December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine, six and forty-five-hundredths percent;
 - (iv) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, up to ten million dollars on an annual basis;
 - (v) from the pool for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to eight million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars on an annual basis;
 - (vi) from the pool or the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund, whichever is applicable, for the period January first, two thou-

sand five through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to ten million fifty thousand dollars on an annual basis, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to nineteen million dollars annually, and for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to four million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars.

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- (n) Funds shall be accumulated and transferred from the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund as follows: for the period April first, two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two thousand eight, and on an annual basis for the periods April first, two thousand eight through November thirtieth, two thousand nine, funds within amounts appropriated shall be transferred and deposited and credited to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, for purposes of funding the state share of rate adjustments made to public and voluntary hospitals in accordance with paragraphs (i) and (j) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article.
- 2. Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, rule or regulation, any funds accumulated in the health care initiatives pools 20 pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision nine of section twenty-eight 21 hundred seven-j of this article, as a result of surcharges, assessments or other obligations during the periods January first, nineteen hundred 22 ninety-seven through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-23 nine, which are unused or uncommitted for distributions pursuant to this 24 section shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year by the commissioner and, within amounts appropriated, transferred and deposited into the special revenue funds - other, miscellaneous special revenue fund - 339, child health insurance account or any successor fund or account, for purposes of distributions to implement the child health 30 insurance program established pursuant to sections twenty-five hundred 31 ten and twenty-five hundred eleven of this chapter for periods on and 32 after January first, two thousand one; provided, however, funds reserved 33 and accumulated for priority distributions pursuant to subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (c) of subdivision one of this section shall not be 34 transferred and deposited into such account pursuant to this subdivision; and provided further, however, that any unused or uncommitted pool funds accumulated and allocated pursuant to paragraph (j) of subdivision one of this section shall be distributed for purposes of the health information and quality improvement act of 2000.
 - Revenue from distributions pursuant to this section shall not be included in gross revenue received for purposes of the assessments pursuant to subdivision eighteen of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c this article, subject to the provisions of paragraph (e) of subdivision eighteen of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article, and shall not be included in gross revenue received for purposes of the assessments pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-d of this article, subject to the provisions of subdivision twelve of section twenty-eight hundred seven-d of this article.
 - § 6. Subdivision 1, paragraph (f) of subdivision 3, paragraphs (a) and (d) of subdivision 5 and subdivisions 5-a and 12 of section 2807-m of the public health law, subdivision 1 as amended by section 16 of part B of chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, the opening paragraph of paragraph subdivision 1 as amended by section 95 and paragraph (f) of subdivision 3 as amended by section 97 of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2009, paragraph (a) of subdivision 5 as amended by section 75-b of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, paragraph (d) of subdivi-

sion 5 as added by section 10-a of part E of chapter 63 of the laws of 2005, subdivision 5-a as amended by section 6 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017 and subdivision 12 as added by section 3 of part R of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, are amended to read as follows:

- 1. Definitions. For purposes of this section, the following definitions shall apply, unless the context clearly requires otherwise:
- (a) ["Clinical research" means patient-oriented research, epidemiologic and behavioral studies, or outcomes research and health services research that is approved by an institutional review board by the time the clinical research position is filled.
- (b) "Clinical research plan" means a plan submitted by a consortium or teaching general hospital for a clinical research position which demonstrates, in a form to be provided by the commissioner, the following:
- (i) financial support for overhead, supervision, equipment and other resources equal to the amount of funding provided pursuant to subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of subdivision five-a of this section by the teaching general hospital or consortium for the clinical research position;
- (ii) experience the sponsor-mentor and teaching general hospital has in clinical research and the medical field of the study;
- (iii) methods, data collection and anticipated measurable outcomes of the clinical research to be performed;
- (iv) training goals, objectives and experience the researcher will be provided to assess a future career in clinical research;
- (v) scientific relevance, merit and health implications of the research to be performed;
- (vi) information on potential scientific meetings and peer review journals where research results can be disseminated;
- (vii) clear and comprehensive details on the clinical research position;
- (viii) qualifications necessary for the clinical research position and strategy for recruitment;
- (ix) non-duplication with other clinical research positions from the same teaching general hospital or consortium;
- (x) methods to track the career of the clinical researcher once the term of the position is complete; and
- (xi) any other information required by the commissioner to implement subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of subdivision five-a of this section (xii) The clinical review plan submitted in accordance with this paragraph may be reviewed by the commissioner in consultation with experts
- graph may be reviewed by the commissioner in consultation with experts outside the department of health.
- (c) "Clinical research position" means a post-graduate residency position which:
- 44 (i) shall not be required in order for the researcher to complete a
 45 graduate medical education program;
 46 (ii) may be reimburged by other sources but only for costs in excess
 - (ii) may be reimburged by other sources but only for costs in excess of the funding distributed in accordance with subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of subdivision five-a of this section;
- (iii) shall exceed the minimum standards that are required by the residency review committee in the specialty the researcher has trained or is currently training;
- (iv) shall not be previously funded by the teaching general hospital or supported by another funding source at the teaching general hospital in the past three years from the date the clinical research plan is submitted to the commissioner;
 - (v) may supplement an existing research project;

(vi) shall be equivalent to a full-time position comprising of no less than thirty-five hours per week for one or two years;

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(vii) shall provide, or be filled by a researcher who has formalized instruction in clinical research, including biostatistics, clinical trial design, grant writing and research ethics;

(viii) shall be supervised by a sponsor-mentor who shall either (A) be employed, contracted for employment or paid through an affiliated faculty practice plan by a teaching general hospital which has received at least one research grant from the National Institutes of Health in the past five years from the date the clinical research plan is submitted to the commissioner; (B) maintain a faculty appointment at a medical, dental or podiatric school located in New York state that has received at least one research grant from the National Institutes of Health in 14 the past five years from the date the clinical research plan is submitted to the commissioner; or (C) be collaborating in the clinical research plan with a researcher from another institution that has received at least one research grant from the National Institutes of Health in the past five years from the date the clinical research plan is submitted to the commissioner; and

(ix) shall be filled by a researcher who is (A) enrolled or has completed a graduate medical education program, as defined in paragraph (i) of this subdivision; (B) a United States citizen, national, or permanent resident of the United States; and (C) a graduate of a medical, dental or podiatric school located in New York state, a gradu-25 ate or regident in a graduate medical education program, as defined in 26 paragraph (i) of this subdivision, where the sponsoring institution, as defined in paragraph (q) of this subdivision, is located in New York 28 state, or resides in New York state at the time the clinical research plan is submitted to the commissioner.

(d) "Consortium" means an organization or association, approved by the commissioner in consultation with the council, of general hospitals which provide graduate medical education, together with any affiliated site; provided that such organization or association may also include other providers of health care services, medical schools, payors or consumers, and which meet other criteria pursuant to subdivision six of this section.

[(e)] (b) "Council" means the New York state council on graduate medical education.

[(f)] (c) "Direct medical education" means the direct costs of residents, interns and supervising physicians.

[(g)] (d) "Distribution period" means each calendar year set forth in subdivision two of this section.

[(h)] (e) "Faculty" means persons who are employed by or under contract for employment with a teaching general hospital or are paid through a teaching general hospital's affiliated faculty practice plan and maintain a faculty appointment at a medical school. Such persons shall not be limited to persons with a degree in medicine.

[(i)] (f) "Graduate medical education program" means[, for purposes of subparagraph (i) of paragraph (b) of subdivision five-a of this section,] a post-graduate medical education residency in the United States which has received accreditation from a nationally recognized accreditation body or has been approved by a nationally recognized organization for medical, osteopathic, podiatric or dental residency 54 programs including, but not limited to, specialty boards.

 $\left[\frac{1}{2}\right]$ (g) "Indirect medical education" means the estimate of costs, 56 other than direct costs, of educational activities in teaching hospitals 1 as determined in accordance with the methodology applicable for purposes determining an estimate of indirect medical education costs for reimbursement for inpatient hospital service pursuant to title XVIII of the federal social security act (medicare).

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[(k)] (h) "Medicare" means the methodology used for purposes of reimbursing inpatient hospital services provided to beneficiaries of title XVIII of the federal social security act.

 $\left[\frac{(1)}{(1)}\right]$ "Primary care" residents specialties shall include family medicine, general pediatrics, primary care internal medicine, and primary care obstetrics and gynecology. In determining whether a residency is in primary care, the commissioner shall consult with the council.

 $[\frac{m}{m}]$ (j) "Regions", for purposes of this section, shall mean the regions as defined in paragraph (b) of subdivision sixteen of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article as in effect on June thirtieth, nineteen hundred ninety-six. For purposes of distributions pursuant to subdivision five-a of this section, except distributions made in accordance with paragraph (a) of subdivision five-a of this section, "regions" shall be defined as New York city and the rest of the state.

[(n)] <u>(k)</u> "Regional pool" means a professional education pool established on a regional basis by the commissioner from funds available pursuant to sections twenty-eight hundred seven-s and twenty-eight hundred seven-t of this article.

[(0)] (1) "Resident" means a person in a graduate medical education program which has received accreditation from a nationally recognized accreditation body or in a program approved by any other nationally recognized organization for medical, osteopathic or dental residency programs including, but not limited to, specialty boards.

[(p) "Shortage specialty" means a specialty determined by the commissioner, in consultation with the council, to be in short supply in the state of New York.

(q) [m] "Sponsoring institution" means the entity that has the overall responsibility for a program of graduate medical education. Such institutions shall include teaching general hospitals, medical schools, consortia and diagnostic and treatment centers.

 $[\frac{r}{r}]$ (n) "Weighted resident count" means a teaching general hospital's total number of residents as of July first, nineteen hundred ninety-five, including residents in affiliated non-hospital ambulatory settings, reported to the commissioner. Such resident counts shall reflect the weights established in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the state hospital review and planning council and approved by the commissioner for purposes of implementing subdivision twenty-five of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article and in effect on July first, nineteen hundred ninety-five. Such weights shall not be applied to specialty hospitals, specified by the commissioner, whose primary care mission is to engage in research, training and clinical care in specialty eye and ear, special surgery, orthopedic, joint disease, cancer, chronic care or rehabilitative services.

[(s)] (o) "Adjustment amount" means an amount determined for each teaching hospital for periods prior to January first, two thousand nine by:

(i) determining the difference between (A) a calculation of what each teaching general hospital would have been paid if payments made pursuant to paragraph (a-3) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article between January first, nineteen hundred ninetysix and December thirty-first, two thousand three were based solely on the case mix of persons eligible for medical assistance under the

1 medical assistance program pursuant to title eleven of article five of the social services law who are enrolled in health maintenance organizations and persons paid for under the family health plus program enrolled 3 in approved organizations pursuant to title eleven-D of article five of the social services law during those years, and (B) the actual payments to each such hospital pursuant to paragraph (a-3) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article between January first, nineteen hundred ninety-six and December thirty-first, two thousand three.

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- (ii) reducing proportionally each of the amounts determined in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph so that the sum of all such amounts totals no more than one hundred million dollars;
- further reducing each of the amounts determined in subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph by the amount received by each hospital as a distribution from funds designated in paragraph (a) of subdivision five of this section attributable to the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, except that if such amount was provided to a consortium then the amount of the reduction for each hospital in the consortium shall be determined by applying the proportion of each hospital's amount determined under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph to the total of such amounts of all hospitals in such consortium to the consortium award;
- (iv) further reducing each of the amounts determined in subparagraph (iii) of this paragraph by the amounts specified in paragraph [(tt)] (p) of this subdivision; and
- (v) dividing each of the amounts determined in subparagraph (iii) this paragraph by seven.
- [(t)] (p) "Extra reduction amount" shall mean an amount determined for a teaching hospital for which an adjustment amount is calculated pursuant to paragraph [(s)] (o) of this subdivision that is the hospital's proportionate share of the sum of the amounts specified in paragraph [(u)] (g) of this subdivision determined based upon a comparison of the 33 hospital's remaining liability calculated pursuant to paragraph [{s} (o) of this subdivision to the sum of all such hospital's remaining liabilities.
 - "Allotment amount" shall mean an amount determined for [(u)] (q) teaching hospitals as follows:
 - (i) for a hospital for which an adjustment amount pursuant to paragraph [(s)] (o) of this subdivision does not apply, the amount received by the hospital pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision five of this section attributable to the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, or
 - (ii) for a hospital for which an adjustment amount pursuant to paragraph $[\frac{(s)}{(s)}]$ of this subdivision applies and which received a distribution pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision five of this section attributable to the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three that is greater the hospital's adjustment amount, the difference between the distribution amount and the adjustment amount.
- (f) Effective January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, each teaching general hospital shall receive a distribution from the applicable regional pool based on its distribution amount determined under paragraphs (c), (d) and (e) of this 54 subdivision and reduced by its adjustment amount calculated pursuant to paragraph [(s) of subdivision one of this section and, for distributions for the period January first, two thousand five through December

thirty-first, two thousand five, further reduced by its extra reduction amount calculated pursuant to paragraph [(tt)] (p) of subdivision one of this section.

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- (a) Up to thirty-one million dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand three, and up to twenty-five million dollars plus the sum of the amounts specified in paragraph $[\frac{(n)}{n}]$ (k) of subdivision one of this section for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, and up to thirty-one million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section for supplemental distributions in each such region to be made by the commissioner to consortia and teaching general hospitals in accordance with a distribution methodology developed in consultation with the council and specified in rules and regulations adopted by the commissioner.
- (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or regulation, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, the commissioner shall distribute as supplemental payments the allotment specified in paragraph $\left[\frac{n}{n}\right]$ (k) of subdivision one of this section.
- Graduate medical education innovations pool. (a) Supplemental distributions. (i) Thirty-one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section and shall be available for distributions pursuant to subdivision five of this section and in accordance with section 86-1.89 of title 10 of the codes, rules and regulations of the state of New York as in effect on January first, two thousand eight[+ provided, however, for purposes of funding the empire clinical research investigation program (ECRIP) in accordance with paragraph eight of subdivision (e) and paragraph two of subdivision (f) of section 86-1.89 of title 10 of the codes, rules and regulations of the state of New York, distributions shall be made using two regions defined as New York city and the rest of the state and the dollar amount set forth in subparagraph (i) of paragraph two of subdivision (f) of section 86-1.89 of title 10 of the codes, rules and regulations of the state of New York shall be increased from sixty thousand dollars to seventy-five thousand dollars].
- (ii) For periods on and after January first, two thousand nine, supplemental distributions pursuant to subdivision five of this section and in accordance with section 86-1.89 of title 10 of the codes, rules and regulations of the state of New York shall no longer be made and the provisions of section 86-1.89 of title 10 of the codes, rules and regulations of the state of New York shall be null and void.
- (b) [Empire clinical research investigator program (ECRIP). Nine million one hundred twenty thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, and two million two hundred eighty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven, through March thirtyfirst, two thousand eleven, nine million one hundred twenty thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand 54 eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to eight 55 million six hundred twelve thousand dollars each state fiscal year for 56 the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-

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first, two thousand seventeen, and up to eight million six hundred twelve thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section to be allocated regionally with two-thirds of the available funding going to New York city and one-third of the available funding going to the rest of the state and shall be available for distribution as follows:

Distributions shall first be made to consortia and teaching general hospitals for the empire clinical research investigator program (ECRIP) to help secure federal funding for biomedical research, train clinical researchers, recruit national leaders as faculty to act as mentors, and train residents and fellows in biomedical research skills based on hospital-specific data submitted to the commissioner by consortia and teaching general hospitals in accordance with clause (G) of this subparagraph. Such distributions shall be made in accordance with the follow-

(A) The greatest number of clinical research positions for which a consortium or teaching general hospital may be funded pursuant to this subparagraph shall be one percent of the total number of residents training at the consortium or teaching general hospital on July first, two thousand eight for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine rounded up to the nearest one position.

(B) Distributions made to a consortium or teaching general hospital shall equal the product of the total number of clinical research positions submitted by a consortium or teaching general hospital and accepted by the commissioner as meeting the criteria set forth in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of this section, subject to the reduction calculation set forth in clause (C) of this subparagraph, times one hundred ten thousand dollars.

(C) If the dollar amount for the total number of clinical research positions in the region calculated pursuant to clause (B) of this subparagraph exceeds the total amount appropriated for purposes of this paragraph, including clinical research positions that continue from and were funded in prior distribution periods, the commissioner shall eliminate one-half of the clinical research positions submitted by each consortium or teaching general hospital rounded down to the nearest one position. Such reduction shall be repeated until the dollar amount for the total number of clinical research positions in the region does not exceed the total amount appropriated for purposes of this paragraph. If the repeated reduction of the total number of clinical research positions in the region by one-half does not render a total funding amount that is equal to or less than the total amount reserved for that region within the appropriation, the funding for each clinical research position in that region shall be reduced proportionally in one thousand dollar increments until the total dollar amount for the total number of clinical research positions in that region does not exceed the total amount reserved for that region within the appropriation. Any reduction in funding will be effective for the duration of the award. No clinical research positions that continue from and were funded in prior distribution periods shall be eliminated or reduced by such methodology.

(D) Each consortium or teaching general hospital shall receive its 55 annual distribution amount in accordance with the following:

(I) Each consortium or teaching general hospital with a one-year ECRIP award shall receive its annual distribution amount in full upon completion of the requirements set forth in items (I) and (II) of clause (G) of this subparagraph. The requirements set forth in items (IV) and (V) of clause (C) of this subparagraph must be completed by the consortium or teaching general hospital in order for the consortium or teaching general hospital to be eligible to apply for ECRIP funding in any subsequent funding sysle.

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(II) Each consortium or teaching general hospital with a two-year ECRIP award shall receive its first annual distribution amount in full upon completion of the requirements set forth in items (I) and (II) of clause (G) of this subparagraph. Each consortium or teaching general hospital will receive its second annual distribution amount in full upon completion of the requirements set forth in item (III) of clause (C) of this subparagraph. The requirements set forth in items (IV) and (V) of clause (G) of this subparagraph must be completed by the consortium or teaching general hospital in order for the consortium or teaching general hospital to be eligible to apply for ECRIP funding in any subsequent funding cycle.

(E) Each consortium or teaching general hospital receiving distributions pursuant to this subparagraph shall reserve seventy-five thousand dollars to primarily fund salary and fringe benefits of the clinical research position with the remainder going to fund the development of faculty who are involved in biomedical research, training and clinical care.

(F) Undistributed or returned funds available to fund clinical research positions pursuant to this paragraph for a distribution period shall be available to fund clinical research positions in a subsequent distribution period.

(C) In order to be eligible for distributions pursuant to this subparagraph, each consortium and teaching general hospital shall provide to the commissioner by July first of each distribution period, the following data and information on a hospital-specific basis. Such data and information shall be certified as to accuracy and completeness by the chief executive officer, chief financial officer or chair of the consortium governing body of each consortium or teaching general hospital and shall be maintained by each consortium and teaching general hospital for five years from the date of submission:

(I) For each clinical research position, information on the type, scope, training objectives, institutional support, clinical research experience of the sponsor-mentor, plans for submitting research outcomes to peer reviewed journals and at scientific meetings, including a meeting sponsored by the department, the name of a principal contact person responsible for tracking the career development of researchers placed in clinical research positions, as defined in paragraph (c) of subdivision one of this section, and who is authorized to certify to the commissioner that all the requirements of the clinical research training objectives set forth in this subparagraph shall be met. Such certification shall be provided by July first of each distribution period;

(II) For each clinical research position, information on the name, citizenship status, medical education and training, and medical license number of the researcher, if applicable, shall be provided by December thirty-first of the calendar year following the distribution period;

(III) Information on the status of the clinical research plan, accom-55 plishments, changes in research activities, progress, and performance of the researcher shall be provided upon completion of one-half of the award term;

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(IV) A final report detailing training experiences, accomplishments, activities and performance of the clinical researcher, and data, metheds, results and analyses of the clinical research plan shall be provided three months after the clinical research position ends; and

(V) Tracking information concerning past researchers, including but limited to (A) background information, (B) employment history, (C) research status, (D) current research activities, (E) publications and presentations, (F) research support, and (C) any other information necessary to track the researcher; and

(VI) Any other data or information required by the commissioner implement this subparagraph.

(H) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of this subdivision, for periods on and after April first, two thousand thirteen, ECRIP grant awards shall be made in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated by the commissioner. Such regulations shall, at a minimum:

(1) provide that ECRIP grant awards shall be made with the objective of securing federal funding for biomedical research, training clinical researchers, recruiting national leaders as faculty to act as mentors, and training residents and fellows in biomedical research skills;

(2) provide that ECRIP grant applicants may include interdisciplinary research teams comprised of teaching general hospitals acting in collaberation with entities including but not limited to medical centers, hospitals, universities and local health departments;

(3) provide that applications for ECRIP grant awards shall be based on such information requested by the commissioner, which shall include but not be limited to hospital-specific data;

(4) establish the qualifications for investigators and other staff required for grant projects eligible for ECRIP grant awards; and

(5) establish a methodology for the distribution of funds under ECRIP grant awards.

(c) Ambulatory care training. Four million nine hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, four million nine hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, four million nine hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, one million two hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, four million three hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to four million sixty thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, and up to four million sixty thousand dollars each fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section and shall be available for distributions to sponsoring institutions to be directed to support clinical training of medical students and residents in freestanding ambulatory care settings, including community health centers 54 and private practices. Such funding shall be allocated regionally with two-thirds of the available funding going to New York city and one-third of the available funding going to the rest of the state and shall be

distributed to sponsoring institutions in each region pursuant to a request for application or request for proposal process with preference being given to sponsoring institutions which provide training in sites 4 located in underserved rural or inner-city areas and those that include medical students in such training.

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6 (d) Physician loan repayment program. One million nine hundred sixty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, one million nine 7 9 hundred sixty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thou-10 sand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, one million 11 nine hundred sixty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, four 12 13 hundred ninety thousand dollars for the period January first, two thou-14 sand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, one million 15 seven hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period 16 April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to one million seven hundred five thousand dollars 17 each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen 18 19 through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to one 20 million seven hundred five thousand dollars each state fiscal year for 21 the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirtyfirst, two thousand twenty, and up to one million seven hundred five 22 thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two 23 24 thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, 25 shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section and shall 27 be available for purposes of physician loan repayment in accordance with subdivision ten of this section. Notwithstanding any contrary provision 28 29 of this section, sections one hundred twelve and one hundred sixty-three 30 of the state finance law, or any other contrary provision of law, 31 funding shall be allocated regionally with one-third of available funds 32 going to New York city and two-thirds of available funds going to the 33 rest of the state and shall be distributed in a manner to be determined by the commissioner without a competitive bid or request for proposal 34 35 process as follows:

- (i) Funding shall first be awarded to repay loans of up to twenty-five physicians who train in primary care or specialty tracks in teaching general hospitals, and who enter and remain in primary care or specialty practices in underserved communities, as determined by the commissioner.
- (ii) After distributions in accordance with subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, all remaining funds shall be awarded to repay loans of physicians who enter and remain in primary care or specialty practices in underserved communities, as determined by the commissioner, including but not limited to physicians working in general hospitals, or other health care facilities.
- (iii) In no case shall less than fifty percent of the funds available pursuant to this paragraph be distributed in accordance with subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of this paragraph to physicians identified by general hospitals.
- (iv) In addition to the funds allocated under this paragraph, for the period April first, two thousand fifteen through March thirty-first, two thousand sixteen, two million dollars shall be available for the purposes described in subdivision ten of this section;
- (v) In addition to the funds allocated under this paragraph, for the 55 period April first, two thousand sixteen through March thirty-first, two

thousand seventeen, two million dollars shall be available for the purposes described in subdivision ten of this section;

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(vi) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, and subject to the extension of the Health Care Reform Act of 1996, sufficient funds shall be available for the purposes described in subdivision ten of this section in amounts necessary to fund the remaining year commitments for awards made pursuant to subparagraphs (iv) and (v) of this paragraph.

8 [(e)] <u>(c)</u> Physician practice support. Four million nine hundred thou-9 sand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through 10 December thirty-first, two thousand eight, four million nine hundred 11 thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, one million two 12 13 hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two 14 thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, four 15 million three hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the 16 period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two 17 thousand fourteen, up to four million three hundred sixty thousand 18 dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand 19 fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to 20 four million three hundred sixty thousand dollars for each state fiscal 21 year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to four million three hundred 22 sixty thousand dollars for each fiscal year for the period April first, 23 two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-24 25 three, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the 26 regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section 27 and shall be available for purposes of physician practice support. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of this section, sections one 28 29 hundred twelve and one hundred sixty-three of the state finance law, 30 any other contrary provision of law, such funding shall be allocated 31 regionally with one-third of available funds going to New York city and 32 two-thirds of available funds going to the rest of the state and shall 33 be distributed in a manner to be determined by the commissioner without 34 a competitive bid or request for proposal process as follows:

- (i) Preference in funding shall first be accorded to teaching general hospitals for up to twenty-five awards, to support costs incurred by physicians trained in primary or specialty tracks who thereafter establish or join practices in underserved communities, as determined by the commissioner.
 - (ii) After distributions in accordance with subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, all remaining funds shall be awarded to physicians to support the cost of establishing or joining practices in underserved communities, as determined by the commissioner, and to hospitals and other health care providers to recruit new physicians to provide services in underserved communities, as determined by the commissioner.
 - (iii) In no case shall less than fifty percent of the funds available pursuant to this paragraph be distributed to general hospitals in accordance with subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of this paragraph.
 - $[\frac{(c-1)}{d}]$ (d) Work group. For funding available pursuant to paragraphs $[\frac{(d)}{d}]$ (b) and $[\frac{(c)}{d}]$ (c) of this subdivision:
- (i) The department shall appoint a work group from recommendations made by associations representing physicians, general hospitals and other health care facilities to develop a streamlined application process by June first, two thousand twelve.
- (ii) Subject to available funding, applications shall be accepted on a continuous basis. The department shall provide technical assistance to

applicants to facilitate their completion of applications. An applicant shall be notified in writing by the department within ten days of receipt of an application as to whether the application is complete and if the application is incomplete, what information is outstanding. The department shall act on an application within thirty days of receipt of a complete application.

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[(f)] (e) Study on physician workforce. Five hundred ninety thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, one hundred forty-eight thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven 11 through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, five hundred sixteen thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two 12 13 thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to 14 four hundred eighty-seven thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirtyfirst, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to four hundred eighty-seven thousand dollars for each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to four hundred eighty-seven thousand dollars each state fiscal 20 year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thir-21 ty-first, two thousand twenty-three, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdi-22 vision two of this section and shall be available to fund a study of 23 physician workforce needs and solutions including, but not limited to, 24 an analysis of residency programs and projected physician workforce and community needs. The commissioner shall enter into agreements with one 27 or more organizations to conduct such study based on a request for 28 proposal process.

[(g) Diversity in medicine/post-baccalaureate program. Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of section one hundred twelve or one hundred sixty-three of the state finance law or any other law, one million nine hundred sixty thousand dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, four hundred ninety thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, one million seven hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to one million six hundred five thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, and up to one million six hundred five thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, shall be set aside and reserved by the commissioner from the regional pools established pursuant to subdivision two of this section and shall be available for distributions to the Associated Medical Schools of New York to fund its diversity program including existing and new post-baccalaureate programs for minority and economically disadvantaged students and encourage participation from all medical schools in New York. The associated medical schools of New York shall report to the commissioner on an annual basis regarding the use of funds for such purpose in such form and manner as specified by the commissioner.

(h) [f] In the event there are undistributed funds within amounts 54 made available for distributions pursuant to this subdivision, such funds may be reallocated and distributed in current or subsequent

distribution periods in a manner determined by the commissioner for any purpose set forth in this subdivision.

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- 12. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, applications submitted on or after April first, two thousand sixteen, for the physician loan repayment program pursuant to paragraph [(d) (b) of subdivision five-a of this section and subdivision ten of this section or the physician practice support program pursuant to paragraph [(e) of subdivision five-a of this section, shall be subject to the following changes:
- (a) Awards shall be made from the total funding available for new awards under the physician loan repayment program and the physician practice support program, with neither program limited to a specific funding amount within such total funding available;
- (b) An applicant may apply for an award for either physician loan repayment or physician practice support, but not both;
- (c) An applicant shall agree to practice for three years in an underserved area and each award shall provide up to forty thousand dollars for each of the three years; and
- (d) To the extent practicable, awards shall be timed to be of use for job offers made to applicants.
- 7. Subdivision 7 of section 2807-m of the public health law is REPEALED.
- § 8. Subparagraph (xvi) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of section 2807-s of the public health law, as amended by section 30 of part H of chapter 59 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:
- (xvi) provided further, however, for periods prior to July first, two thousand nine, amounts set forth in this paragraph shall be reduced by an amount equal to the actual distribution reductions for all facilities pursuant to paragraph [(s)] (o) of subdivision one of section twentyeight hundred seven-m of this article.
- Subdivision (c) of section 92-dd of the state finance law, as amended by section 75-f of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, amended to read as follows:
- (c) The pool administrator shall, from appropriated funds transferred to the pool administrator from the comptroller, continue to make payments as required pursuant to sections twenty-eight hundred seven-k, twenty-eight hundred seven-m (not including payments made pursuant to [subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (b) and paragraphs (b), (c), [(d), (e) $[\frac{f}{f}]$ and $\frac{f}{g}$ of subdivision five-a $[\frac{f}{g}]$ of section twenty-eight hundred seven-m), and twenty-eight hundred seven-w the public health law, paragraph (e) of subdivision twenty-five of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of the public health law, paragraphs (b) and (c) of subdivision thirty of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of the public health law, paragraph (b) of subdivision eighteen of section twenty-eight hundred eight of the public health law, subdivision seven of section twenty-five hundred-d of the public health law and section eighty-eight of chapter one of the laws of nineteen hundred ninety-nine.
- § 10. Subdivision 4-c of section 2807-p of the public health law, as amended by section 13 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- 4-c. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the commissioner shall make additional payments for uncompensated care to voluntary non-profit diagnostic and treatment centers that are eligible for 54 55 distributions under subdivision four of this section in the following amounts: for the period June first, two thousand six through December

thirty-first, two thousand six, in the amount of seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, seven million 3 4 five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two 7 thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, fifteen million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two 9 thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, seven 10 million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two 11 thousand eleven though December thirty-first, two thousand eleven, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two 12 13 thousand twelve through December thirty-first, two thousand twelve, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January 14 15 first, two thousand thirteen through December thirty-first, two thousand 16 thirteen, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period 17 January first, two thousand fourteen through December thirty-first, two 18 thousand fourteen, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the 19 period January first, two thousand fifteen through December thirty-20 first, two thousand fifteen, seven million five hundred thousand 21 dollars, for the period January first two thousand sixteen through December thirty-first, two thousand sixteen, seven million five hundred 22 thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand seventeen 23 24 through December thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, seven million 25 five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thou-26 sand eighteen through December thirty-first, two thousand eighteen, 27 seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand nineteen through December thirty-first, two thousand 28 nineteen, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period 29 30 January first, two thousand twenty through December thirty-first, two 31 thousand twenty, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the 32 period January first, two thousand twenty-one through December thirty-33 first, two thousand twenty-one, seven million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand twenty-two through 34 35 December thirty-first, two thousand twenty-two, seven million five 36 hundred thousand dollars, and for the period January first, two thousand 37 [twenty | twenty-three through March thirty-first, two thousand [twenty | 38 twenty-three, in the amount of one million six hundred thousand dollars, 39 provided, however, that for periods on and after January first, two 40 thousand eight, such additional payments shall be distributed to volun-41 tary, non-profit diagnostic and treatment centers and to public diagnos-42 tic and treatment centers in accordance with paragraph (g) of subdivi-43 sion four of this section. In the event that federal financial participation is available for rate adjustments pursuant to this 44 45 section, the commissioner shall make such payments as additional adjust-46 ments to rates of payment for voluntary non-profit diagnostic and treat-47 ment centers that are eligible for distributions under subdivision four-a of this section in the following amounts: for the period June 48 first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, 49 fifteen million dollars in the aggregate, and for the period January 50 51 first, two thousand seven through June thirtieth, two thousand seven, 52 seven million five hundred thousand dollars in the aggregate. The 53 amounts allocated pursuant to this paragraph shall be aggregated with 54 and distributed pursuant to the same methodology applicable to the amounts allocated to such diagnostic and treatment centers for such 55 periods pursuant to subdivision four of this section if federal financial participation is not available, or pursuant to subdivision four-a this section if federal financial participation is available. Notwithstanding section three hundred sixty-eight-a of the social services law, there shall be no local share in a medical assistance payment adjustment under this subdivision.

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- § 11. Subparagraph (xv) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 6 of section 2807-s of the public health law, as amended by section 3 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- (xv) A gross annual statewide amount for the period January first, two thousand fifteen through December thirty-first, two thousand [twenty] twenty-three, shall be one billion forty-five million dollars.
- § 12. Subparagraph (xiii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of section 2807-s of the public health law, as amended by section 4 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- (xiii) twenty-three million eight hundred thirty-six thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twelve through March thirty-first, two thousand [twenty] twenty-three;
- § 13. Subdivision 6 of section 2807-t of the public health law, amended by section 8 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- 6. Prospective adjustments. (a) The commissioner shall annually reconcile the sum of the actual payments made to the commissioner or the commissioner's designee for each region pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-s of this article and pursuant to this section for the prior year with the regional allocation of the gross annual statewide amount specified in subdivision six of section twenty-eight hundred seven-s of this article for such prior year. The difference between the actual amount raised for a region and the regional allocation of the specified gross annual amount for such prior year shall be applied as a prospective adjustment to the regional allocation of the specified gross annual payment amount for such region for the year next following the calculation of the reconciliation. The authorized dollar value of the adjustments shall be the same as if calculated retrospectively.
- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, for covered lives assessment rate periods on and after January first, two thousand fifteen through December thirty-first, two thousand [twenty] twenty-three, for amounts collected in the aggregate in excess of one billion forty-five million dollars on an annual basis, prospective adjustments shall be suspended if the annual reconciliation calculation from the prior year would otherwise result in a decrease to the 40 41 regional allocation of the specified gross annual payment amount for 42 that region, provided, however, that such suspension shall be lifted 43 upon a determination by the commissioner, in consultation with the 44 director of the budget, that sixty-five million dollars in aggregate 45 collections on an annual basis over and above one billion forty-five 46 million dollars on an annual basis have been reserved and set aside for deposit in the HCRA resources fund. Any amounts collected in the aggregate at or below one billion forty-five million dollars on an annual basis, shall be subject to regional adjustments reconciling decreases or increases to the regional allocation in accordance with 51 paragraph (a) of this subdivision.
- 52 § 14. Section 2807-v of the public health law, as amended by section 53 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as 54 follows:
- § 2807-v. Tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool distrib-55 utions. 1. Funds accumulated in the tobacco control and insurance

initiatives pool or in the health care reform act (HCRA) resources fund established pursuant to section ninety-two-dd of the state finance law, whichever is applicable, including income from invested funds, shall be distributed or retained by the commissioner or by the state comptroller, as applicable, in accordance with the following:

- 6 (a) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts 7 appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 9 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medicaid fraud hotline and 10 medicaid administration account, or any successor fund or account, for 11 purposes of services and expenses related to the toll-free medicaid fraud hotline established pursuant to section one hundred eight of chap-12 13 ter one of the laws of nineteen hundred ninety-nine from the tobacco 14 control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following 15 periods in the following amounts: four hundred thousand dollars annually 16 for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirtyfirst, two thousand two, up to four hundred thousand dollars for the 17 18 period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, 19 two thousand three, up to four hundred thousand dollars for the period 20 January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two 21 thousand four, up to four hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand 22 five, up to four hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, 23 two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to 24 25 four hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand 26 seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, up to four 27 hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, up to four 28 hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine 29 30 through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, up to four hundred 31 thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through 32 December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to one hundred thousand 33 dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March 34 thirty-first, two thousand eleven and within amounts appropriated on and 35 after April first, two thousand eleven.
- 36 (b) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and 37 shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes 38 of payment of audits or audit contracts necessary to determine payor and 39 provider compliance with requirements set forth in sections twenty-eight 40 hundred seven-j, twenty-eight hundred seven-s and twenty-eight hundred 41 seven-t of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initi-42 atives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts: five million six hundred thousand dollars annually for the 43 44 periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two 45 thousand two, up to five million dollars for the period January first, 46 two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, up 47 to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four 48 through December thirty-first, two thousand four, up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December 49 50 [thirty first] thirty-first, two thousand five, up to five million 51 dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December 52 thirty-first, two thousand six, up to seven million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through 54 December thirty-first, two thousand seven, and up to eight million three 55 hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, up to

1 eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, up to eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period 3 January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to two million one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-7 first, two thousand eleven, up to fourteen million seven hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two 9 thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, up to 10 eleven million one hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for 11 the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirtyfirst, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to eleven million one hundred 12 13 thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two 14 thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and 15 up to eleven million one hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year 16 for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-17 first, two thousand twenty-three.

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- (c) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, enhanced community services account, or any successor fund or account, for mental health services programs for case management services for adults and children; supported housing; home and community based waiver services; family based treatment; family support services; mobile mental health teams; transitional housing; and community oversight, established pursuant to articles seven and forty-one of the mental hygiene law and subdivision nine of section three hundred sixty-six of the social services law; and for comprehensive care centers for eating disorders pursuant to the former section twenty-seven hundred ninety-nine-l of this chapter, provided however that, for such centers, funds in the amount of five hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis shall be transferred from the enhanced community services account, or any successor fund or account, and deposited into the fund established by section ninety-five-e of the state finance law; from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) forty-eight million dollars to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand, for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
- (ii) eighty-seven million dollars to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand one, for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
- (iii) eighty-seven million dollars to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand two, for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (iv) eighty-eight million dollars to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand three, for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (v) eighty-eight million dollars, plus five hundred thousand dollars, to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand four, and pursuant to the former section twenty-seven hundred ninety-nine-l of this chapter, for the period Janu-

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(vi) eighty-eight million dollars, plus five hundred thousand dollars, to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter the laws of two thousand five, and pursuant to the former section twenty-seven hundred ninety-nine-l of this chapter, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;

(vii) eighty-eight million dollars, plus five hundred dollars, to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand six, and pursuant to former section twenty-seven hundred ninety-nine-l of this chapter, for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;

(viii) eighty-six million four hundred thousand dollars, plus five hundred thousand dollars, to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand seven and pursuant to the former section twenty-seven hundred ninety-nine-l of this chapter, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; and

- twenty-two million nine hundred thirteen thousand dollars, plus one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars, to be reserved, to be retained or for distribution pursuant to a chapter of the laws of two thousand eight and pursuant to the former section twenty-seven hundred ninetynine-l of this chapter, for the period January first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two thousand eight.
- (d) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of services and expenses related to the family health plus program including up to two and one-half million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two, for administration and marketing costs associated with such program established pursuant to clause (A) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (a) subdivision two of section three hundred sixty-nine-ee of the social services law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
- twenty-seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one; and
- (iii) fifty-seven million dollars for the period January first, thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two.
- (e) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of services and expenses related to the family health plus program including up to two and one-half million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand 54 two for administration and marketing costs associated with such program 55 established pursuant to clause (B) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (a) subdivision two of section three hundred sixty-nine-ee of the social

services law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:

- (i) two million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
- (ii) thirty million five hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-6 ary first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand 7 one; and

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- 10 (f) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts 11 appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 12 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medicaid fraud hotline and 13 14 medicaid administration account, or any successor fund or account, for 15 purposes of payment of administrative expenses of the department related 16 to the family health plus program established pursuant to section three 17 hundred sixty-nine-ee of the social services law from the tobacco and insurance initiatives pool established for the following 18 periods in the following amounts: five hundred thousand dollars on an 19 20 annual basis for the periods January first, two thousand through Decem-21 ber thirty-first, two thousand six, five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-22 first, two thousand seven, and five hundred thousand dollars for the 23 period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand 27 nine, five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, one 28 hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two 29 30 thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven and 31 within amounts appropriated on and after April first, two thousand elev-32
 - (g) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of services and expenses related to the health maintenance organization direct pay market program established pursuant to sections forty-three hundred twenty-one-a and forty-three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to thirty-five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law;
 - (ii) up to thirty-six million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law;
- (iii) up to thirty-nine million dollars for the period January first, thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two of 54 which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law

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- (iv) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law;
- (v) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law;
- (vi) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law;
- (vii) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law;
- (viii) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven of which fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty percentum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law; and
- (ix) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight of which fifty per centum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-one-a of the insurance law and fifty per centum shall be allocated to the program pursuant to section four thousand three hundred twenty-two-a of the insurance law.
- (h) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of services and expenses related to the healthy New York individual program established pursuant to sections four thousand three hundred twenty-six and four thousand three hundred twenty-seven of the insurance law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) up to six million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
- (ii) up to twenty-nine million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- 51 (iii) up to five million one hundred thousand dollars for the period 52 January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two 53 thousand three;
- (iv) up to twenty-four million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;

(v) up to thirty-four million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;

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- (vi) up to fifty-four million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (vii) up to sixty-one million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; and
- (viii) up to one hundred three million seven hundred fifty thousand 11 dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight. 12
 - (i) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes services and expenses related to the healthy New York group program established pursuant to sections four thousand three hundred twenty-six and four thousand three hundred twenty-seven of the insurance law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to thirty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
 - (ii) up to seventy-seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (iii) up to ten million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
 - (iv) up to twenty-four million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (v) up to thirty-four million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- 33 (vi) up to fifty-four million eight hundred thousand dollars for the 34 period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, 35 two thousand six;
 - (vii) up to sixty-one million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; and
 - (viii) up to one hundred three million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight.
- 42 (i-1) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (h) and (i) of this 43 subdivision, the commissioner shall reserve and accumulate up to two 44 million five hundred thousand dollars annually for the periods January 45 first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand 46 six, one million four hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand 47 seven, two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand 48 eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, from funds 49 otherwise available for distribution under such paragraphs for the 50 services and expenses related to the pilot program for entertainment 51 industry employees included in subsection (b) of section one thousand 52 one hundred twenty-two of the insurance law, and an additional 54 hundred thousand dollars annually for the periods January first, two 55 thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand six, an addi-56 tional three hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two

1 thousand seven through June thirtieth, two thousand seven for services and expenses related to the pilot program for displaced workers included in subsection (c) of section one thousand one hundred twenty-two of the insurance law.

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- (j) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of services and expenses related to the tobacco use prevention and control program established pursuant to sections thirteen hundred ninety-nine-ii and thirteen hundred ninety-nine-jj of this chapter, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) up to thirty million dollars for the period January first, 12 13 thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
 - (ii) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
 - (iii) up to forty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (iv) up to thirty-six million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirtyfirst, two thousand three;
 - (v) up to thirty-six million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirtyfirst, two thousand four;
- 24 (vi) up to forty million six hundred thousand dollars for the period 25 January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two 26 thousand five;
- (vii) up to eighty-one million nine hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, 28 29 two thousand six, provided, however, that within amounts appropriated, a 30 portion of such funds may be transferred to the Roswell Park Cancer 31 Institute Corporation to support costs associated with cancer research;
 - (viii) up to ninety-four million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, provided, however, that within amounts appropriated, a portion of such funds may be transferred to the Roswell Park Cancer Institute Corporation to support costs associated with cancer research;
- 38 (ix) up to ninety-four million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for 39 the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-40 first, two thousand eight;
 - (x) up to ninety-four million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirtyfirst, two thousand nine;
- 44 (xi) up to eighty-seven million seven hundred seventy-five thousand 45 dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December 46 thirty-first, two thousand ten;
- 47 (xii) up to twenty-one million four hundred twelve thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-48 49 first, two thousand eleven;
- 50 (xiii) up to fifty-two million one hundred thousand dollars each state 51 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through 52 March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- 53 (xiv) up to six million dollars each state fiscal year for the period 54 April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thou-55 sand seventeen; [and]

(xv) up to six million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, thousand twenty; and

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(xvi) up to six million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.

- (k) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, health care services account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of services and expenses related to public health programs, including comprehensive care centers for eating disorders pursuant to the former section twenty-seven hundred 14 ninety-nine-l of this chapter, provided however that, for such centers, funds in the amount of five hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis shall be transferred from the health care services account, or any successor fund or account, and deposited into the fund established by section ninety-five-e of the state finance law for periods prior to March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to thirty-one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
 - (ii) up to forty-one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
- 26 (iii) up to eighty-one million dollars for the period January first, 27 two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (iv) one hundred twenty-two million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirtyfirst, two thousand three;
 - (v) one hundred eight million five hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (vi) ninety-one million eight hundred thousand dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
 - (vii) one hundred fifty-six million six hundred thousand dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (viii) one hundred fifty-one million four hundred thousand dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand 44 seven;
- 45 (ix) one hundred sixteen million nine hundred forty-nine thousand 46 dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the peri-47 od January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two 48 thousand eight;
- (x) one hundred sixteen million nine hundred forty-nine thousand 49 dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the peri-50 51 od January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two 52 thousand nine;
- 53 one hundred sixteen million nine hundred forty-nine thousand 54 dollars, plus an additional five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two 55 56 thousand ten;

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- (xiii) one hundred twenty million thirty-eight thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve; and
- (xiv) one hundred nineteen million four hundred seven thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twelve through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (1) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 14 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the personal care and certified home health agency rate or fee increases established pursuant to subdivision three of section three hundred sixty-seven-o of the social services law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - twenty-three million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
 - (ii) twenty-three million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
- (iii) twenty-three million two hundred thousand dollars for the period 27 January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thou-28 sand two;
- (iv) up to sixty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the 29 30 period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, 31 two thousand three;
 - (v) up to sixty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (vi) up to sixty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
 - (vii) up to sixty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (viii) up to sixty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; and
- 44 (ix) up to sixteen million three hundred thousand dollars for the 45 period January first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two 46 thousand eight.
- 47 (m) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and 48 directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 49 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, 50 51 or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state 52 share of services and expenses related to home care workers insurance pilot demonstration programs established pursuant to subdivision two of 54 section three hundred sixty-seven-o of the social services law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the 55 56 following periods in the following amounts:

- (i) three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
- (ii) three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-3 4 ary first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand 5
 - (iii) three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;

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- (iv) up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- 12 (v) up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two 13 14 thousand four;
- 15 (vi) up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period 16 January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two 17 thousand five;
 - (vii) up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (viii) up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, 22 two thousand seven; and
- (ix) up to nine hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January 24 25 first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two thousand 26
 - (n) Funds shall be transferred by the commissioner and shall be deposited to the credit of the special revenue funds - other, miscellaneous special revenue fund - 339, elderly pharmaceutical insurance coverage program premium account authorized pursuant to the provisions of title three of article two of the elder law, or any successor fund or account, for funding state expenses relating to the program from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- 35 (i) one hundred seven million dollars for the period January first, 36 two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
 - (ii) one hundred sixty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
 - (iii) three hundred twenty-two million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirtyfirst, two thousand two;
- (iv) four hundred thirty-three million three hundred thousand dollars 43 for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three; 44
- 45 (v) five hundred four million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for 46 the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-47 first, two thousand four;
- 48 (vi) five hundred sixty-six million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-49 50 first, two thousand five;
- 51 (vii) six hundred three million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for 52 the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-53 first, two thousand six;
- 54 (viii) six hundred sixty million eight hundred thousand dollars for 55 the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-56 first, two thousand seven;

(ix) three hundred sixty-seven million four hundred sixty-three thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;

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- three hundred thirty-four million eight hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (xi) three hundred forty-four million nine hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirtyfirst, two thousand ten;
- (xii) eighty-seven million seven hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars 10 11 for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-12 first, two thousand eleven;
- 13 (xiii) one hundred forty-three million one hundred fifty thousand 14 dollars for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March 15 thirty-first, two thousand twelve;
 - (xiv) one hundred twenty million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand twelve through March thirtyfirst, two thousand thirteen;
 - (xv) one hundred twenty-eight million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand thirteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- (xvi) one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred sixteen thousand 23 dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and] 24
 - (xvii) one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred sixteen thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and
 - (xviii) one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred sixteen thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.
 - (o) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated and shall be transferred to the Roswell Park Cancer Institute Corporation, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to ninety million dollars for the period January first, thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
 - (ii) up to sixty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
 - (iii) up to eighty-five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (iv) eighty-five million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (v) seventy-eight million dollars for the period January first, two 45 thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (vi) seventy-eight million dollars for the period January first, thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- 48 (vii) ninety-one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six; 49
- 50 (viii) seventy-eight million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; 51
 - (ix) seventy-eight million dollars for the period January first, thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- 54 (x) seventy-eight million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine; 55

(xi) seventy-eight million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;

- 3 (xii) nineteen million five hundred thousand dollars for the period 4 January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thou-5 sand eleven;
 - (xiii) sixty-nine million eight hundred forty thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
 - (xiv) up to ninety-six million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
 - (xv) up to ninety-six million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and

(xvi) up to ninety-six million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.

- (p) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds other, indigent care fund 068, indigent care account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of providing a medicaid disproportionate share payment from the high need indigent care adjustment pool established pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-w of this article, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) eighty-two million dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (ii) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (iii) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (iv) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (v) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (vi) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (vii) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- (viii) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (ix) up to eighty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
- (x) up to twenty million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven; and
- (xi) up to eighty-two million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (q) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of providing distributions to eligible school based health centers established pursuant to section eighty-eight of chapter one of the laws of nineteen hundred ninety-nine, from the tobacco control and insurance

- initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following
- (i) seven million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand two;

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- (ii) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (iii) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (iv) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- 11 (v) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six; 12
 - (vi) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
 - (vii) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
 - (viii) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
 - (ix) up to seven million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
 - (x) up to one million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;
 - (xi) up to five million six hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
 - (xii) up to five million two hundred [eighty-eighty] eighty-eight thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
- (xiii) up to five million two hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars 32 each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and 33
 - (xiv) up to five million two hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.
 - (r) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of providing distributions for supplemenmedical insurance for Medicare part B premiums, physicians services, outpatient services, medical equipment, supplies and other health services, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) forty-three million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
 - (ii) sixty-one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand one;
 - (iii) sixty-five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (iv) sixty-seven million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, thousand three;
- 55 (v) sixty-eight million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;

- (vi) sixty-eight million dollars for the period January first, thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (vii) sixty-eight million dollars for the period January first, two 3 thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (viii) seventeen million five hundred thousand dollars for the period 6 January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two 7 thousand seven;
 - (ix) sixty-eight million dollars for the period January first, thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;

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- (xi) sixty-eight million dollars for the period January first, thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
- (xii) seventeen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven; and
- (xiii) sixty-eight million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (s) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of providing distributions pursuant to paragraphs (s-5), (s-6), (s-7) and (s-8) of subdivision eleven of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) eighteen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;
- (ii) twenty-four million dollars annually for the periods January first, two thousand one through December thirty-first, two thousand two; (iii) up to twenty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (iv) up to twenty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (v) up to twenty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (vi) up to twenty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (vii) up to twenty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (viii) up to twenty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and
- up to twenty-two million dollars for the period January first, (ix)two thousand nine through November thirtieth, two thousand nine.
- (t) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year by the commissioner and shall be made available, including income from invested funds:
- (i) For the purpose of making grants to a state owned and operated medical school which does not have a state owned and operated hospital on site and available for teaching purposes. Notwithstanding sections one hundred twelve and one hundred sixty-three of the state finance law, 54 such grants shall be made in the amount of up to five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December 55 thirty-first, two thousand;

(ii) For the purpose of making grants to medical schools pursuant to section eighty-six-a of chapter one of the laws of nineteen hundred ninety-nine in the sum of up to four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand through December thirty-first, two thousand;

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- (iii) The funds disbursed pursuant to subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of this paragraph from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool are contingent upon meeting all funding amounts established pursuant to paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (l), (m), (n), (p), (q), (r) and (s) of this subdivision, paragraph (a) of subdivision nine of section twenty-eight hundred seven-j of this article, and paragraphs (a), (i) and (k) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-l of this article.
- (u) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of services and expenses related to the nursing home quality improvement demonstration program established pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred eight-d of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) up to twenty-five million dollars for the period beginning April first, two thousand two and ending December thirty-first, two thousand two, and on an annualized basis, for each annual period thereafter beginning January first, two thousand three and ending December thirtyfirst, two thousand four;
- (ii) up to eighteen million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for 30 the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-31 first, two thousand five; and
 - (iii) up to fifty-six million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six.
- (v) Funds shall be transferred by the commissioner and shall be deposited to the credit of the hospital excess liability pool created pursuant to section eighteen of chapter two hundred sixty-six of the laws of nineteen hundred eighty-six, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of expenses related to the purchase of excess medical malpractice insurance and the cost of administrating the pool, including costs associated with the risk management program established pursuant to section forty-two of part A of chapter one of the laws of two thousand two required by paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section eighteen of 44 chapter two hundred sixty-six of the laws of nineteen hundred eighty-six as may be amended from time to time, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to fifty million dollars or so much as is needed for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- 51 (ii) up to seventy-six million seven hundred thousand dollars for the 52 period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, 53 two thousand three;
- (iii) up to sixty-five million dollars for the period January first, 55 two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;

- (iv) up to sixty-five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (v) up to one hundred thirteen million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirtyfirst, two thousand six;

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- (vi) up to one hundred thirty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- 9 (vii) up to one hundred thirty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand 10 11
- 12 (viii) up to one hundred thirty million dollars for the period January 13 first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine; 14
 - (ix) up to one hundred thirty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
 - (x) up to thirty-two million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;
 - (xi) up to one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- (xii) up to one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand 24 fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
 - (xiii) up to one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and
 - (xiv) up to one hundred twenty-seven million four hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.
- (w) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and 34 directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the treatment of breast and cervical cancer pursuant to paragraph [(v)] (d) of subdivision four of section three hundred sixty-six of the social services law, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to four hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (ii) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period 45 January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two 46 thousand three;
 - (iii) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- 50 (iv) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period 51 January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two 52 thousand five;
- 53 (v) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period 54 January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thou-55 sand six;

- (vi) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- 4 (vii) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period 5 January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;

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- (viii) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- 10 (ix) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars for the period 11 January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thou-12 sand ten;
- (x) up to five hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period 14 January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;
 - (xi) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- (xii) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal 19 20 year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
- (xiii) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars each state 22 23 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through 24 March thirty-first, two thousand twenty: and
- (xiv) up to two million one hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal 26 year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.
- (x) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, 32 or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the non-public general hospital rates increases for recruitment 34 and retention of health care workers from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) twenty-seven million one hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 38 basis for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (ii) fifty million eight hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 40 41 basis for the period January first, two thousand three through December 42 thirty-first, two thousand three;
 - (iii) sixty-nine million three hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- 46 (iv) sixty-nine million three hundred thousand dollars for the period 47 January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five; 48
- 49 (v) sixty-nine million three hundred thousand dollars for the period 50 January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thou-51 sand six;
- 52 (vi) sixty-five million three hundred thousand dollars for the period 53 January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two 54 thousand seven;

(vii) sixty-one million one hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and

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- (viii) forty-eight million seven hundred twenty-one thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through November thirtieth, two thousand nine.
 - (y) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of grants to public general hospitals for recruitment and retention of health care workers pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision thirty of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) eighteen million five hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (ii) thirty-seven million four hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (iii) fifty-two million two hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (iv) fifty-two million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (v) fifty-two million two hundred thousand dollars for the period 27 January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thou-28 sand six;
 - (vi) forty-nine million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
 - (vii) forty-nine million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and
- 33 (viii) twelve million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through March thirty-first, two 34 35 thousand nine.
 - Provided, however, amounts pursuant to this paragraph may be reduced in an amount to be approved by the director of the budget to reflect amounts received from the federal government under the state's 1115 waiver which are directed under its terms and conditions to the health workforce recruitment and retention program.
- (z) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts 42 appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 43 44 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, 45 or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the non-public residential health care facility rate increases for recruitment and retention of health care workers pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision eighteen of section twenty-eight hundred eight of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- 51 (i) twenty-one million five hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 52 basis for the period January first, two thousand two through December 53 thirty-first, two thousand two;
- 54 (ii) thirty-three million three hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand three through 55 56 December thirty-first, two thousand three;

(iii) forty-six million three hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;

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- (iv) forty-six million three hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (v) forty-six million three hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thou-
- 10 (vi) thirty million nine hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-11 ary first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; 12
- (vii) twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the peri-14 od January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
 - (viii) twelve million three hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirtyfirst, two thousand nine;
- (ix) nine million three hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-20 ary first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten; and
- (x) two million three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the 22 period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, 23 24 two thousand eleven.
 - (aa) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of grants to public residential health care facilities for recruitment and retention of health care workers pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision eighteen of section twenty-eight hundred eight of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- 32 (i) seven million five hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis 33 for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-34 first, two thousand two;
 - (ii) eleven million seven hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (iii) sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 38 39 basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December 40 thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (iv) sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- 44 (v) sixteen million two hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-45 ary first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand 46 six;
- 47 (vi) ten million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand 48 49
- 50 (vii) six million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period 51 January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two 52 thousand eight; and
- 53 (viii) one million three hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period 54 January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two 55 thousand nine.

- (bb)(i) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts 1 appropriated, and subject to the availability of federal financial participation, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for the purpose of supporting the 7 state share of adjustments to Medicaid rates of payment for personal care services provided pursuant to paragraph (e) of subdivision two of 9 section three hundred sixty-five-a of the social services law, for local 10 social service districts which include a city with a population of over 11 one million persons and computed and distributed in accordance with memorandums of understanding to be entered into between the state of New 12 13 York and such local social service districts for the purpose of support-14 ing the recruitment and retention of personal care service workers or 15 any worker with direct patient care responsibility, from the tobacco 16 control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following 17 periods and the following amounts:
 - (A) forty-four million dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;

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- (B) seventy-four million dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (C) one hundred four million dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (D) one hundred thirty-six million dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (E) one hundred thirty-six million dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- 33 (F) one hundred thirty-six million dollars for the period January 34 first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand 35 seven;
 - (G) one hundred thirty-six million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- 39 (H) one hundred thirty-six million dollars for the period January 40 first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand 41 nine;
 - (I) one hundred thirty-six million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
 - (J) thirty-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven;
 - (K) up to one hundred thirty-six million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- 49 (L) up to one hundred thirty-six million dollars each state fiscal 50 year for the period March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen through 51 April first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
- 52 (M) up to one hundred thirty-six million dollars each state fiscal 53 year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March 54 thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and

(N) up to one hundred thirty-six million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.

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- (ii) Adjustments to Medicaid rates made pursuant to this paragraph shall not, in aggregate, exceed the following amounts for the following periods:
- (A) for the period April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two, one hundred ten million dollars;
- (B) for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three, one hundred eighty-five million dollars;
- (C) for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, two hundred sixty million dollars;
- (D) for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, three hundred forty million dollars;
- (E) for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, three hundred forty million dollars;
- (F) for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, three hundred forty million dollars;
- (G) for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, three hundred forty million dollars;
- (H) for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, three hundred forty million dollars;
- (I) for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, three hundred forty million dollars;
- (J) for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, eighty-five million dollars;
- (K) for each state fiscal year within the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, three hundred forty million dollars;
- for each state fiscal year within the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, three hundred forty million dollars; [and]
- (M) for each state fiscal year within the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, three hundred forty million dollars; and
- (N) for each state fiscal year within the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, three hundred forty million dollars.
- (iii) Personal care service providers which have their rates adjusted pursuant to this paragraph shall use such funds for the purpose of recruitment and retention of non-supervisory personal care services workers or any worker with direct patient care responsibility only and 44 are prohibited from using such funds for any other purpose. Each such personal care services provider shall submit, at a time and in a manner to be determined by the commissioner, a written certification attesting that such funds will be used solely for the purpose of recruitment and retention of non-supervisory personal care services workers or any worker with direct patient care responsibility. The commissioner is authorized to audit each such provider to ensure compliance with the written certification required by this subdivision and shall recoup any funds determined to have been used for purposes other than recruitment and retention of non-supervisory personal care services workers or any work-54 er with direct patient care responsibility. Such recoupment shall be in 55 addition to any other penalties provided by law.

- (cc) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 4 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for the purpose of supporting the state share of adjustments to Medicaid rates of payment for personal 7 care services provided pursuant to paragraph (e) of subdivision two of section three hundred sixty-five-a of the social services law, for local 9 social service districts which shall not include a city with a population of over one million persons for the purpose of supporting the 10 11 personal care services worker recruitment and retention program as established pursuant to section three hundred sixty-seven-q of the 12 social services law, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives 13 14 pool established for the following periods and the following amounts:
 - (i) two million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;

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- (ii) five million six hundred thousand dollars, on an annualized 18 basis, for the period January first, two thousand three through December 19 thirty-first, two thousand three;
 - (iii) eight million four hundred thousand dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (iv) ten million eight hundred thousand dollars, on an annualized 24 basis, for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
 - (v) ten million eight hundred thousand dollars, on an annualized basis, for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- 29 (vi) eleven million two hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-30 ary first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thou-31
- 32 (vii) eleven million two hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-33 ary first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thou-34 sand eight;
 - (viii) eleven million two hundred thousand dollars for the period two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two January first, thousand nine;
- (ix) eleven million two hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-39 ary first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand 40
- 41 (x) two million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January 42 first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand 43 eleven;
- 44 (xi) up to eleven million two hundred thousand dollars each state 45 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through 46 March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- 47 (xii) up to eleven million two hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through 48 March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and] 49
- 50 (xiii) up to eleven million two hundred thousand dollars each state 51 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through 52 March thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and
- 53 (xiv) up to eleven million two hundred thousand dollars each state 54 fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.

(dd) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 4 revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of Medicaid expenditures for physician services from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:

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- (i) up to fifty-two million dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (ii) eighty-one million two hundred thousand dollars for the period 12 January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two 13 thousand three;
- 14 (iii) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (iv) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two 18 19 thousand five;
 - (v) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (vi) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- 26 (vii) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period 27 January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two 28 thousand eight;
- (viii) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period 30 January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two 31 thousand nine;
 - (ix) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
 - (x) twenty-one million three hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven; and
 - (xi) eighty-five million two hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (ee) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 44 revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the free-standing diagnostic and treatment center rate increases for recruitment and retention of health care workers pursuant to subdivision seventeen of section twenty-eight hundred seven of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- 51 (i) three million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period 52 April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thou-53 sand two;
- 54 (ii) three million two hundred fifty thousand dollars on an annualized 55 basis for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;

(iii) three million two hundred fifty thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;

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- (iv) three million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (v) three million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thou-
- 10 (vi) three million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period 11 January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; 12
- 13 (vii) three million four hundred thirty-eight thousand dollars for the 14 period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, 15 two thousand eight;
 - (viii) two million four hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (ix) one million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January 19 20 first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten; 21
- 22 (x) three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January 23 first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand 24 eleven.
- (ff) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 28 revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of Medicaid expenditures for disabled persons as authorized pursuant to 30 former subparagraphs twelve and thirteen of paragraph (a) of subdivision one of section three hundred sixty-six of the social services law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts: 34
 - (i) one million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- (ii) sixteen million four hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 38 basis for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- (iii) eighteen million seven hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 40 41 basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December 42 thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (iv) thirty million six hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-44 ary first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand
 - (v) thirty million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (vi) thirty million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- 51 (vii) fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thou-52 sand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- 53 (viii) fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thou-54 sand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (ix) fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thou-55 56 sand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;

(x) three million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;

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- (xi) fifteen million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- (xii) fifteen million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
- 10 (xiii) fifteen million dollars each state fiscal year for the period 11 April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two 12 thousand twenty; and
- 13 (xiv) fifteen million dollars each state fiscal year for the period 14 April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thou-15 sand twenty-three.
 - (gg) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of grants to non-public general hospitals pursuant to paragraph (c) of subdivision thirty of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- 22 (i) up to one million three hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 23 basis for the period January first, two thousand two through December 24 thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (ii) up to three million two hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
- 28 (iii) up to five million six hundred thousand dollars on an annualized 29 basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December 30 thirty-first, two thousand four;
- 31 (iv) up to eight million six hundred thousand dollars for the period 32 January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two 33 thousand five;
 - (v) up to eight million six hundred thousand dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (vi) up to two million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- 40 (vii) up to two million six hundred thousand dollars for the period 41 January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two 42 thousand eight;
 - (viii) up to two million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
 - (ix) up to two million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten; and
- 49 (x) up to six hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January 50 first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand 51 eleven.
- 52 (hh) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts 53 appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and 54 directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the special revenue 55 fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account for 56 purposes of providing financial assistance to residential health care

- facilities pursuant to subdivisions nineteen and twenty-one of section twenty-eight hundred eight of this article, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the 3 following amounts:
 - (i) for the period April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two, ten million dollars;

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- 7 (ii) for the period January first, two thousand three through December 8 thirty-first, two thousand three, nine million four hundred fifty thou-9 sand dollars;
- 10 (iii) for the period January first, two thousand four through December 11 thirty-first, two thousand four, nine million three hundred fifty thou-12 sand dollars;
 - (iv) up to fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
 - (v) up to fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (vi) up to fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
 - (vii) up to fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
 - (viii) up to fifteen million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
 - (ix) up to fifteen million dollars for the period January first, thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
 - (x) up to three million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven; and
 - (xi) fifteen million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (ii) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, 34 any successor fund or account, for the purpose of supporting the state share of Medicaid expenditures for disabled persons as authorized by sections 1619 (a) and (b) of the federal social security act pursuant to the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) six million four hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
 - (ii) eight million five hundred thousand dollars, for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
 - (iii) eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand
- 48 (iv) eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-49 ary first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand 50 five;
- 51 (v) eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January 52 first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- 53 (vi) eight million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand 54 55 seven;

- (vii) eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- 4 (viii) eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period 5 January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two 6 thousand nine;

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- (ix) eight million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
- (x) two million one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;
- (xi) eight million five hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- (xii) eight million five hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
- (xiii) eight million five hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty; and
- (xiv) eight million five hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.
- (jj) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for the purposes of a grant program to improve access to infertility services, treatments and procedures, from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two in the amount of nine million one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, for the period April first, two thousand six through March thirty-first, two thousand seven in the amount of five million dollars, for the period April first, two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two thousand eight in the amount of five million dollars, for the period April first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two thousand nine in the amount of five million dollars, and for the period April first, two thousand nine through March thirty-first, two thousand ten in the amount of five million dollars, for the period April first, two thousand ten through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven in the amount of two million two hundred thousand dollars, and for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve up to one million one hundred thousand dollars.
- (kk) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds -- other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of Medical Assistance Program expenditures from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- 52 (i) thirty-eight million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period 53 January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thou-54 sand two;

(ii) up to two hundred ninety-five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;

- 4 (iii) up to four hundred seventy-two million dollars for the period 5 January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two 6 thousand four;
 - (iv) up to nine hundred million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- 9 (v) up to eight hundred sixty-six million three hundred thousand 10 dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December 11 thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (vi) up to six hundred sixteen million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (vii) up to five hundred seventy-eight million nine hundred twentythousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight
 through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and
 - (viii) within amounts appropriated on and after January first, two thousand nine.
 - (11) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds -- other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of Medicaid expenditures related to the city of New York from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) eighty-two million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand two through December thirty-first, two thousand two;
- 31 (ii) one hundred twenty-four million six hundred thousand dollars for 32 the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-33 first, two thousand three;
 - (iii) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (iv) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (v) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
 - (vi) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (vii) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thir-ty-first, two thousand eight;
 - (viii) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (ix) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;

(x) thirty-one million one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirtyfirst, two thousand eleven; and

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- (xi) one hundred twenty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.
- (mm) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding specified percentages of the state share of services and expenses related to the family health plus program in accordance with the following schedule:
- (i) (A) for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand four, one hundred percent of the state share;
- (B) for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, seventy-five percent of the state share; and
- (C) for periods beginning on and after January first, two thousand six, fifty percent of the state share.
- 22 (ii) Funding for the family health plus program will include up to five million dollars annually for the period January first, two thousand 23 three through December thirty-first, two thousand six, up to five 24 25 million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, up to seven million two 27 hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, up to seven 28 29 million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two 30 thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, up to 31 seven million two hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, 32 thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to one million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, 33 two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up 34 35 to six million forty-nine thousand dollars for the period April first, 36 two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve, up to six million two hundred eighty-nine thousand dollars for the period 38 April first, two thousand twelve through March thirty-first, two thou-39 sand thirteen, and up to six million four hundred sixty-one thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand thirteen through March 40 41 thirty-first, two thousand fourteen, for administration and marketing 42 costs associated with such program established pursuant to clauses (A) 43 (B) of subparagraph (v) of paragraph (a) of subdivision two of section three hundred sixty-nine-ee of the social services law from the 44 45 tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the 46 following periods in the following amounts:
 - (A) one hundred ninety million six hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
 - (B) three hundred seventy-four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- 53 (C) five hundred thirty-eight million four hundred thousand dollars 54 for the period January first, two thousand five through December thir-55 ty-first, two thousand five;

(D) three hundred eighteen million seven hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;

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- (E) four hundred eighty-two million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirtyfirst, two thousand seven;
- (F) five hundred seventy million twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- (G) six hundred ten million seven hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (H) six hundred twenty-seven million two hundred seventy-five thousand 14 dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
 - (I) one hundred fifty-seven million eight hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;
- (J) six hundred twenty-eight million four hundred thousand dollars for 20 the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, 21 two thousand twelve;
 - (K) six hundred fifty million four hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand twelve through March thirty-first, two thousand thirteen;
 - (L) six hundred fifty million four hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand thirteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen; and
 - (M) up to three hundred ten million five hundred ninety-five thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fifteen.
- (nn) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special 34 revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, health care services account, any successor fund or account, for purposes related to adult home initiatives for medicaid eligible residents of residential facilities licensed pursuant to section four hundred sixty-b of the social services law from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) up to four million dollars for the period January first, two thousand three through December thirty-first, two thousand three;
 - (ii) up to six million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
 - (iii) up to eight million dollars for the period January first, two five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, provided, however, that up to five million two hundred fifty thousand dollars of such funds shall be received by the comptroller and deposited to the credit of the special revenue fund - other / aid to localities, HCRA transfer fund - 061, enhanced community services account - 05, or any successor fund or account, for the purposes set forth in this paragraph;
- (iv) up to eight million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, provided, 54 however, that up to five million two hundred fifty thousand dollars of such funds shall be received by the comptroller and deposited to the 56 credit of the special revenue fund - other / aid to localities, HCRA

transfer fund - 061, enhanced community services account - 05, or any successor fund or account, for the purposes set forth in this paragraph; (v) up to eight million dollars for the period January first, two 3 thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, provided, however, that up to five million two hundred fifty thousand dollars of such funds shall be received by the comptroller and deposited 7 to the credit of the special revenue fund - other / aid to localities, HCRA transfer fund - 061, enhanced community services account - 05, or 9 any successor fund or account, for the purposes set forth in this para-10 graph;

(vi) up to two million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;

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- up to two million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the (vii) period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (viii) up to two million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten; and
- (ix) up to six hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven.
- (oo) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of grants to non-public general hospitals pursuant to paragraph (e) of subdivision twenty-five of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) up to five million dollars on an annualized basis for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (ii) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (iii) up to five million dollars for the period January first, thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (iv) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (v) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- (vi) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (vii) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten; and
- (viii) up to one million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven.

(pp) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for the purpose of supporting the provision of tax credits for long term care insurance pursuant to subdivision one of section one hundred ninety of the tax law, paragraph (a) of subdivision [twenty-five-a] fourteen of section two hundred [ten] ten-B of such law, subsection (aa) of section six hundred six of such law[- paragraph one of subsection (k) of section 54 fourteen hundred fifty-six of such law] and paragraph one of subdivision (m) of section fifteen hundred eleven of such law, in the following amounts:

- (i) ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (ii) ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;

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- (iii) ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six; and
- (iv) five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through June thirtieth, two thousand seven.
- (qq) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for the purpose of supporting the long-term care insurance education and outreach program established pursuant to section two hundred seventeen-a of the elder law for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four; of such funds one million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing and administering the long-term care insurance education and outreach program and three million fifty thousand dollars shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, long term care insurance resource center account of the state office for the aging or any future account designated for the purpose of implementing the long term care insurance education and outreach program and providing the long term care insurance resource centers with the necessary resources to carry out their operations;
- (ii) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five; of such funds one million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing and administering the long-term care insurance education and outreach program and three million fifty thousand dollars shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, long term care insurance resource center account of the state office for the aging or any future account designated for the purpose of implementing the long term care insurance education and outreach program and providing the long term care insurance resource centers with the necessary resources to carry out their operations;
- (iii) up to five million dollars for the period January first, thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six; of such funds one million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be $\mbox{\tt made}$ available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing and administering the long-term care insurance education and outreach program and three million fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the office for the aging for the purpose of providing the long term care insurance resource centers with the necessary resources to carry out their operations;
- (iv) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; of such funds one million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be made 54 available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing 55 and administering the long-term care insurance education and outreach program and three million fifty thousand dollars shall be made available

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- (v) up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; of such funds one million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing and administering the long term care insurance education and outreach program and three million fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the office for the aging for the purpose of providing the long term care insurance resource centers with the necessary resources to carry out their operations;
- up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine; of such funds one million nine hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing and administering the long-term care insurance education and outreach program and three million fifty thousand dollars shall be made available to the office for the aging for the purpose of providing the long-term care insurance resource centers with the necessary resources to carry out their operations;
- (vii) up to four hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through March thirty-first, two thousand ten; of such funds four hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars shall be made available to the department for the purpose of developing, implementing and administering the long-term care insurance education and outreach program.
- (rr) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for the purpose of supporting expenses related to implementation of the provisions of title [###] three of article twenty-nine-D of this chapter, for the following periods and in the following amounts:
- (i) up to ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;
- (ii) up to ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (iii) up to ten million dollars for the period January first, thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- (iv) up to ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (v) up to ten million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten; and
- 44 (vi) up to two million five hundred thousand dollars for the period 45 January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thou-46 sand eleven.
- (ss) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool and used for a health care stabilization program established by the commissioner for the purposes of stabilizing 50 critical health care providers and health care programs whose ability to 51 continue to provide appropriate services are threatened by financial or 52 other challenges, in the amount of up to twenty-eight million dollars for the period July first, two thousand four through June thirtieth, two 54 thousand five. Notwithstanding the provisions of section one hundred 55 twelve of the state finance law or any other inconsistent provision of 56 the state finance law or any other law, funds available for distribution

1 pursuant to this paragraph may be allocated and distributed by the commissioner, or the state comptroller as applicable without a competitive bid or request for proposal process. Considerations relied upon by the commissioner in determining the allocation and distribution of these funds shall include, but not be limited to, the following: (i) the importance of the provider or program in meeting critical health care needs in the community in which it operates; (ii) the provider or program provision of care to under-served populations; (iii) the quality of the care or services the provider or program delivers; (iv) the abil-ity of the provider or program to continue to deliver an appropriate level of care or services if additional funding is made available; (v) the ability of the provider or program to access, in a timely manner, alternative sources of funding, including other sources of government funding; (vi) the ability of other providers or programs in the communi-ty to meet the community health care needs; (vii) whether the provider or program has an appropriate plan to improve its financial condition; and (viii) whether additional funding would permit the provider or program to consolidate, relocate, or close programs or services where $\frac{1}{2}$ such actions would result in greater stability and efficiency in the delivery of needed health care services or programs.

(tt) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes of providing grants for two long term care demonstration projects designed to test new models for the delivery of long term care services established pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred seven-x of this chapter, for the following periods and in the following amounts:

- (i) up to five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four;
- (ii) up to five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five;
- (iii) up to five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;

 (iv) up to one million dollars for the period January first, two thousands
- (iv) up to one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven; and
- (v) up to two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two thousand eight.
- (uu) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, for the purpose of supporting disease management and telemedicine demonstration programs authorized pursuant to section twenty-one hundred eleven of this chapter for the following periods in the following amounts:
- (i) five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand four through December thirty-first, two thousand four, of which three million dollars shall be available for disease management demonstration programs and two million dollars shall be available for telemedicine demonstration programs;
- (ii) five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five, of which three million dollars shall be available for disease management demonstration programs and two million dollars shall be available for telemedicine demonstration programs;
- (iii) nine million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, of which seven million five hundred thousand dollars shall be

available for disease management demonstration programs and two million dollars shall be available for telemedicine demonstration programs;

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- (iv) nine million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, of which seven million five hundred thousand dollars shall be available for disease management demonstration programs and one million dollars shall be available for telemedicine demonstration programs;
- (v) nine million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight, of which seven million five hundred thousand dollars shall be available for disease management demonstration programs and two million dollars shall be available for telemedicine demonstration programs;
- (vi) seven million eight hundred thirty-three thousand three hundred thirty-three dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine, of which seven million five hundred thousand dollars shall be available for disease management demonstration programs and three hundred thirty-three thousand three hundred thirty-three dollars shall be available for telemedicine demonstration programs for the period January first, two thousand nine through March first, two thousand nine;
- (vii) one million eight hundred seventy-five thousand dollars for the 22 period January first, two thousand ten through March thirty-first, two thousand ten shall be available for disease management demonstration programs.
 - Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts (ww) appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for the deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the general hospital rates increases for recruitment and retention of health care workers pursuant to paragraph (e) of subdivision thirty of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) sixty million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand five; and
- 38 (ii) sixty million five hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-39 ary first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand 40 six.
- (xx) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for the deposit to the credit of the state special 44 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of the general hospital rates increases for rural hospitals pursuant to subdivision thirty-two of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand
- 53 (ii) three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period Janu-54 ary first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand 55 six;

(iii) three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;

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- (iv) three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and
- (v) three million two hundred eight thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through November thirtieth, two thousand nine.
- (yy) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, within amounts appropriated and notwithstanding section one hundred twelve of the state finance law and any other contrary provision of law, for the purpose of supporting grants not to 14 exceed five million dollars to be made by the commissioner without a 15 competitive bid or request for proposal process, in support of the 16 delivery of critically needed health care services, to health care 17 providers located in the counties of Erie and Niagara which executed a memorandum of closing and conducted a merger closing in escrow on November twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred ninety-seven and which entered into 19 20 a settlement dated December thirtieth, two thousand four for a loss on disposal of assets under the provisions of title XVIII of the federal social security act applicable to mergers occurring prior to December 22 first, nineteen hundred ninety-seven.
 - (zz) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, within amounts appropriated, for the purpose of supporting expenditures authorized pursuant to section twenty-eight hundred eighteen of this article from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following
- 30 (i) six million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January 31 first, two thousand five through December thirty-first, two thousand 32
 - (ii) one hundred eight million three hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six, provided, however, that within amounts appropriated in the two thousand six through two thousand seven state fiscal year, a portion of such funds may be transferred to the Roswell Park Cancer Institute Corporation to fund capital costs;
 - (iii) one hundred seventy-one million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven, provided, however, that within amounts appropriated in the two thousand six through two thousand seven state fiscal year, a portion of such funds may be transferred to the Roswell Park Cancer Institute Corporation to fund capital costs;
 - (iv) one hundred seventy-one million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirtyfirst, two thousand eight;
 - (v) one hundred twenty-eight million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (vi) one hundred thirty-one million three hundred seventy-five thou-51 52 sand dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through 53 December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
- 54 thirty-four million two hundred fifty thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, 55 two thousand eleven;

(viii) four hundred thirty-three million three hundred sixty-six thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve;

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- (ix) one hundred fifty million eight hundred six thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand twelve through March thirty-first, two thousand thirteen;
- (x) seventy-eight million seventy-one thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand thirteen through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen.

10 (aaa) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and 11 shall be available, including income from invested funds, for services and expenses related to school based health centers, in an amount up to 12 13 three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, 14 two thousand six through March thirty-first, two thousand seven, up to 15 three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, 16 two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two thousand eight, up to 17 three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two thousand nine, up to 18 three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, 19 20 two thousand nine through March thirty-first, two thousand ten, up to 21 three million five hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, thousand ten through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven, up to 22 two million eight hundred thousand dollars each state fiscal year for 23 the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, 24 25 two thousand fourteen, up to two million six hundred forty-four thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand 27 fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen, [and] up to two million six hundred forty-four thousand dollars each state fiscal 28 year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March 29 thirty-first, two thousand twenty, and up to two million six hundred 30 31 forty-four thousand dollars each state fiscal year for the period April 32 first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand 33 twenty-three. The total amount of funds provided herein shall be distributed as grants based on the ratio of each provider's total 34 35 enrollment for all sites to the total enrollment of all providers. This 36 formula shall be applied to the total amount provided herein.

(bbb) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and 38 shall be available, including income from invested funds, for purposes awarding grants to operators of adult homes, enriched housing programs and residences through the enhancing abilities and life experi-40 41 ence (EnAbLe) program to provide for the installation, operation and maintenance of air conditioning in resident rooms, consistent with this 43 paragraph, in an amount up to two million dollars for the period April 44 first, two thousand six through March thirty-first, two thousand seven, 45 up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period April 46 first, two thousand seven through March thirty-first, two thousand 47 eight, up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand eight through March thirty-first, two thousand nine, up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the period 49 50 April first, two thousand nine through March thirty-first, two thousand ten, and up to three million eight hundred thousand dollars for the 51 52 period April first, two thousand ten through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven. Residents shall not be charged utility cost for the use 54 of air conditioners supplied under the EnAbLe program. All such air 55 conditioners must be operated in occupied resident rooms consistent with 56 requirements applicable to common areas.

1 (ccc) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for the deposit to the credit of the state special 3 revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of increases in the rates for certified home health agencies, long 7 term home health care programs, AIDS home care programs, hospice programs and managed long term care plans and approved managed long term 9 care operating demonstrations as defined in section forty-four hundred 10 three-f of this chapter for recruitment and retention of health care 11 workers pursuant to subdivisions nine and ten of section thirty-six hundred fourteen of this chapter from the tobacco control and insurance 12 13 initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following 14 amounts:

(i) twenty-five million dollars for the period June first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six;

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- (ii) fifty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand seven through December thirty-first, two thousand seven;
- (iii) fifty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight;
- (iv) fifty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through December thirty-first, two thousand nine;
- (v) fifty million dollars for the period January first, two thousand ten through December thirty-first, two thousand ten;
- (vi) twelve million five hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand eleven;
- (vii) up to fifty million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand fourteen;
- (viii) up to fifty million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand fourteen through March thirty-first, two thousand seventeen; [and]
- (ix) up to fifty million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand seventeen through March thirty-first, thousand twenty; and
- (x) up to fifty million dollars each state fiscal year for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three.
- (ddd) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for the deposit to the credit of the state special revenue funds - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for purposes of funding the state share of increases in the medical assistance rates for providers for purposes of enhancing the provision, quality and/or efficiency of home care services pursuant to subdivision eleven of section thirty-six hundred fourteen of this chapter from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following period in the amount of eight million dollars for the period April first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six.

(eee) Funds shall be reserved and accumulated from year to year and shall be available, including income from invested funds, to the Center for Functional Genomics at the State University of New York at Albany, for the purposes of the Adirondack network for cancer education and 56 research in rural communities grant program to improve access to health care and shall be made available from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established for the following period in the amount of up to five million dollars for the period January first, two thousand six through December thirty-first, two thousand six.

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- (fff) Funds shall be made available to the empire state stem cell trust fund established by section ninety-nine-p of the state finance law within amounts appropriated up to fifty million dollars annually and shall not exceed five hundred million dollars in total.
- (ggg) Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for the purpose of supporting the state 14 share of Medicaid expenditures for hospital translation services as authorized pursuant to paragraph (k) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) sixteen million dollars for the period July first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and
 - (ii) fourteen million seven hundred thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through November thirtieth, two thousand nine.
 - Funds shall be deposited by the commissioner, within amounts appropriated, and the state comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to receive for deposit to the credit of the state special revenue fund - other, HCRA transfer fund, medical assistance account, or any successor fund or account, for the purpose of supporting the state share of Medicaid expenditures for adjustments to inpatient rates of payment for general hospitals located in the counties of Nassau and Suffolk as authorized pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred seven-c of this article from the tobacco control and initiatives pool established for the following periods in the following amounts:
 - (i) two million five hundred thousand dollars for the period April first, two thousand eight through December thirty-first, two thousand eight; and
- 38 (ii) two million two hundred ninety-two thousand dollars for the period January first, two thousand nine through November thirtieth, two 39 40 thousand nine.
 - (iii) Funds shall be reserved and set aside and accumulated from year to year and shall be made available, including income from investment funds, for the purpose of supporting the New York state medical indemnity fund as authorized pursuant to title four of article twenty-nine-D of this chapter, for the following periods and in the following amounts, provided, however, that the commissioner is authorized to seek waiver authority from the federal centers for medicare and Medicaid for the purpose of securing Medicaid federal financial participation for such program, in which case the funding authorized pursuant to this paragraph shall be utilized as the non-federal share for such payments:

Thirty million dollars for the period April first, two thousand eleven through March thirty-first, two thousand twelve.

2. (a) For periods prior to January first, two thousand five, 54 commissioner is authorized to contract with the article forty-three insurance law plans, or such other contractors as the commissioner shall designate, to receive and distribute funds from the tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool established pursuant to this section. In the event contracts with the article forty-three insurance law plans or other commissioner's designees are effectuated, the commissioner shall conduct annual audits of the receipt and distribution of such funds. The reasonable costs and expenses of an administrator as approved by the commissioner, not to exceed for personnel services on an annual basis five hundred thousand dollars, for collection and distribution of funds pursuant to this section shall be paid from such funds.

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- (b) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of section one hundred twelve or one hundred sixty-three of the state finance law or any other law, at the discretion of the commissioner without a competitive bid or request for proposal process, contracts in effect for administration of pools established pursuant to sections twenty-eight hundred seven-k, 14 twenty-eight hundred seven-1 and twenty-eight hundred seven-m of this article for the period January first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine through December thirty-first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine may be extended to provide for administration pursuant to this section and may be amended as may be necessary.
 - 15. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 12 of section 367-b of the social services law, as amended by section 7 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
 - (a) For the purpose of regulating cash flow for general hospitals, the department shall develop and implement a payment methodology to provide for timely payments for inpatient hospital services eligible for case based payments per discharge based on diagnosis-related groups provided during the period January first, nineteen hundred eighty-eight through March thirty-first two thousand [twenty] twenty-three, by such hospitals which elect to participate in the system.
- § 16. Paragraph (o) of subdivision 9 of section 3614 of the public 29 30 health law, as added by section 11 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws 31 2017, is amended and three new paragraphs (p), (q) and (r) are added 32 to read as follows:
 - (o) for the period April first, two thousand nineteen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, up to one hundred million dollars[-]:
 - (p) for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-one, up to one hundred million dollars;
 - (q) for the period April first, two thousand twenty-one through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-two, up to one hundred million dollars;
 - (r) for the period April first, two thousand twenty-two through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, up to one hundred million dollars.
 - § 17. Paragraph (s) of subdivision 1 of section 367-q of the social services law, as added by section 12 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended and three new paragraphs (t), (u) and (v) are added to read as follows:
 - (s) for the period April first, two thousand nineteen through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, twenty-eight million five hundred thousand dollars[-];
- 51 (t) for the period April first, two thousand twenty through March 52 thirty-first, two thousand twenty-one, up to twenty-eight million five 53 hundred thousand dollars;
- 54 (u) for the period April first, two thousand twenty-one through March 55 thirty-first, two thousand twenty-two, up to twenty-eight million five hundred thousand dollars;

- (v) for the period April first, two thousand twenty-two through March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, up to twenty-eight million five hundred thousand dollars.
- § 18. Section 5 of chapter 517 of the laws of 2016, amending the public health law relating to payments from the New York state medical indemnity fund, as amended by section 4 of part K of chapter 57 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:
- § 5. This act shall take effect on the forty-fifth day after it shall have become a law, provided that the amendments to subdivision 4 of section 2999-j of the public health law made by section two of this act shall take effect on June 30, 2017 and shall expire and be deemed repealed December 31, [2020] 2021.
- 13 § 19. Section 2807-g and paragraph (e) of subdivision 1 of section 14 2807-l of the public health law are REPEALED.
- 15 § 20. This act shall take effect April 1, 2020, provided, however, if 16 this act shall become a law after such date it shall take effect imme-17 diately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and 18 after April 1, 2020, and further provided, that:
 - (a) the amendments to sections 2807-j and 2807-s of the public health law made by sections two, eight, eleven and twelve of this act shall not affect the expiration of such sections and shall expire therewith;
- 22 (b) the amendments to subdivision 6 of section 2807-t of the public 23 health law made by section thirteen of this act shall not affect the 24 expiration of such section and shall be deemed to expire therewith; and
 - (c) the amendments to paragraph (i-1) of subdivision 1 of section 2807-v of the public health law made by section fourteen of this act shall not affect the repeal of such paragraph and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

29 PART B

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- 30 Section 1. Subdivision 9 of section 2803 of the public health law is 31 REPEALED.
- \S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

34 PART C

- 35 Section 1. Section 3235-a of the insurance law is amended by adding 36 two new subsections (e) and (f) to read as follows:
- 37 (e)(1) An insurer shall pay an early intervention program service 38 claim to a provider through the state fiscal agent, designated pursuant to section two thousand five hundred fifty-seven of the public health 39 law, that participates in the insurer's provider network in accordance 40 41 with subsection (a) of section thirty-two hundred twenty-four-a of this 42 article where the insurer's obligation to pay is reasonably clear, even 43 though there may be a disagreement about whether the early intervention 44 program service was medically necessary.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of article forty-nine of this chapter and article forty-nine of the public health law, following payment
 of the early intervention program service claim, an insurer may initiate
 a non-expedited external appeal pursuant to title two of article fortynine of this chapter or title two of article forty-nine of the public
 health law or pursue a determination from an independent third-party
 review agent agreed upon by the insurer and the provider, which determination shall be binding, in order to determine whether the early inter-

vention program service was medically necessary. The insurer shall notify the state fiscal agent as designated pursuant to section two thousand five hundred fifty-seven of the public health law of the external appeal agent's or independent third-party review agent's deter-mination. If the external appeal agent or the independent third-party review agent determines that the early intervention program service provided was not medically necessary, in whole or in part, the insurer may recoup, offset, or otherwise require a refund of any overpayment resulting from the determination. Such recoup, offset or other required refund shall be a charge to the appropriate municipality and state. The state fiscal agent designated pursuant to section two thousand five hundred fifty-seven of the public health law shall process the recoup-ment, offset, or refund submitted by the insurer within ninety days of receipt of the notification of the external appeal agent's or independ-ent third-party review agent's determination.

(3) If the external appeal agent or independent third-party review agent determines that the early intervention program services rendered by the provider were not medically necessary, in whole or in part, more than sixty percent of the time in any twelve-month period, the insurer may for the subsequent twelve-month period review the provider's early intervention program services claims for medical necessity prior to making payment, in accordance with title one of article forty-nine of this chapter or title one of article forty-nine of the public health law.

(4) Nothing in this subsection shall prohibit an insurer from requiring preauthorization for early intervention program services. A claim for an early intervention program service for which an insurer denied a preauthorization request shall not be subject to this subsection.

(f) For purposes of this section, "insurer" shall mean an insurer authorized to write accident and health insurance in this state, a corporation organized pursuant to article forty-three of this chapter, a municipal cooperative health benefit plan certified pursuant to article forty-seven of this chapter, or a health maintenance organization certified pursuant to article forty-four of the public health law.

35 § 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 2021 and shall apply to 36 health care services provided on and after such date.

37 PART D

Section 1. Subdivisions 1 and 3 of section 461-s of the social services law, subdivision 1 as amended by section 4 of part R of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016 and subdivision 3 as amended by section 6 of part A of chapter 57 of the laws of 2015, are amended to read as follows:

1. (a) The commissioner of health shall establish the enhanced quality of adult living program (referred to in this section as the "EQUAL program" or the "program") for [adult care facilities. The program shall be targeted at improving the quality of life for adult care facility residents by means of grants to facilities for specified purposes. The department of health, subject to the approval of the director of the budget, shall develop an allocation methodology taking into account the financial status and size of the facility as well as resident needs. On or before June first of each year, the department shall make available the application for EQUAL program funds] the following purposes:

(i) to support adult care facilities in which at least twenty-five percent of the resident population or twenty-five residents, whichever is less, are persons with serious mental illness, as defined by the

commissioner of health. The program shall be targeted at improving the quality of life for such adult care facility residents by means of grants to facilities to support mental hygiene training of staff employed by eligible adult care facilities, as set forth in this section, and independent skills training for residents who desire to transition from such facilities to the community. The department of health, subject to the approval of the director of the budget, shall develop an allocation methodology taking into account the financial status and size of the facility, resident needs, and the population of residents with serious mental illness; and

(ii) to support adult care facilities with the highest populations of residents who receive supplemental security income, as defined in subchapter XVI of chapter 7 of title 42 of the United States Code, or safety net assistance, as defined in section one hundred fifty-nine of this chapter. The program shall be targeted at improving the quality of life for such adult care facility residents by financing capital improvement projects that will enhance the physical environment of the facility and promote a higher quality of life for residents. Any capital related expense generated by such capital expenditure must receive approval by the department of health. The department of health, subject to the approval of the director of the budget, shall develop an allocation methodology taking into account the financial status and size of the facility, resident needs, and the population of residents who receive supplemental security income and safety net assistance.

(b) On or before June first of each year, the department shall make available the application for EQUAL program funds to eligible adult care facilities, as set forth in this section. Where a facility is eligible to apply for funds pursuant to both subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, such facility shall only be authorized to apply for those funds set forth in subparagraph (i) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision.

3. Prior to applying for EQUAL program funds, a facility shall receive approval of its expenditure plan from the residents' council for the facility. [The] Where an application is submitted pursuant to subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision one of this section the residents' council shall adopt a process to identify the priorities of the residents for the use of the program funds and document residents' top preferences by means that may include a vote or survey. [The] Such plan shall detail how program funds will be used to [improve] support sustainable enhancements to the physical environment of the facility [exthe quality of care and services rendered to residents and may include, but not be limited to, staff training, air conditioning in residents! areas, clothing, improvements in food quality, furnishings, equipment, security, and maintenance or repairs to the facility]. [The] For all applications, the facility's application for EQUAL program funds shall include a signed attestation from the president or chair-person of the residents' council or, in the absence of a residents' council, at least three residents of the facility, stating that the application [reflects the priorities of the residents of the facility | has been reviewed and approved by the residents' council. The department shall investigate reports of resident abuse and retaliation related to program applications and expenditures.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

55 PART E

- Section 1. Section 2807-bbb of the public health law is REPEALED.
- § 2. Subdivision 10 of section 2808 of the public health law is REPEALED.
- § 3. Subdivision 6 of section 3614 of the public health law, as added by chapter 563 of the laws of 1991, is REPEALED.
- § 4. Subdivision 4 of section 4012 of the public health law is REPEALED.
 - § 5. Article 27-G of the public health law is REPEALED.
- 9 § 6. Section 95-e of the state finance law, as added by chapter 301 of the laws of 2004, subdivision 2 as amended by chapter 483 of the laws of 10 2015, subdivision 2-a as added by section 27-i of part UU of chapter 11 of the laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows: 12
 - 95-e. The New York state autism awareness and research fund. 1. There is hereby established in the joint custody of the commissioner of taxation and finance and the comptroller, a special fund to be known as the New York state autism awareness and research fund.
- 2. Such fund shall consist of all revenues received pursuant to the provisions of section four hundred four-v of the vehicle and traffic law, as added by chapter three hundred one of the laws of two thousand four, all revenues received pursuant to section six hundred thirty-d of the tax law and all other moneys appropriated, credited, or transferred thereto from any other fund or source pursuant to law. Nothing contained in this section shall prevent the state from receiving grants, gifts or 24 bequests for the purposes of the fund as defined in this section and depositing them into the fund according to law.
 - 2-a. On or before the first day of February each year, the commissioner of [health] the office for people with developmental disabilities shall provide a written report to the temporary president of the senate, speaker of the assembly, chair of the senate finance committee, chair of the assembly ways and means committee, chair of the senate committee on health, chair of the assembly health committee, the state comptroller and the public. Such report shall include how the monies of the fund were utilized during the preceding calendar year, and shall include:
 - (i) the amount of money disbursed from the fund and the award process used for such disbursements;
 - (ii) recipients of awards from the fund;
 - (iii) the amount awarded to each;

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- (iv) the purposes for which such awards were granted; and
- (v) a summary financial plan for such monies which shall include estimates of all receipts and all disbursements for the current and succeeding fiscal years, along with the actual results from the prior fiscal year.
- (a) Monies of the fund shall be expended only for autism awareness projects or autism research projects approved by the [department of health] office for people with developmental disabilities in New York state provided, however, that no more than ten percent of monies from such fund shall be expended on the aggregate number of autism research projects approved in a fiscal year.
- (b) As used in this section, the term "autism research project" means scientific research approved by the [department of health] office for people with developmental disabilities into the causes and/or treatment autism, and the term "autism awareness project" means a project approved by the [department of health] office for people with developmental disabilities aimed toward educating the general public about the causes, symptoms, and treatments of autism.

- 4. Monies shall be payable from the fund on the audit and warrant of the comptroller on vouchers approved and certified by the commissioner of [health] the office for people with developmental disabilities.
- 5. To the extent practicable, the commissioner of [health] the office for people with developmental disabilities shall ensure that all monies received during a fiscal year are expended prior to the end of that fiscal year.
 - § 7. Article 27-J of the public health law is REPEALED.
- 9 § 8. Title E of the mental hygiene law is amended by adding a new 10 article 30 to read as follows:

ARTICLE 30

COMPREHENSIVE CARE CENTERS FOR EATING DISORDERS

13 <u>Section 30.01 Legislative findings.</u>

30.02 Definitions.

30.03 Comprehensive care centers for eating disorders; established.

30.04 Qualifying criteria.

30.05 State identification of comprehensive care centers for eating disorders; commissioner's written notice.

30.06 Restricted use of title.

§ 30.01 Legislative findings.

The legislature hereby finds that effective diagnosis and treatment for citizens struggling with eating disorders, a complex and potentially life-threatening condition, requires a continuum of interdisciplinary providers and levels of care. Such effective diagnosis and treatment further requires the coordination and comprehensive management of an individualized plan of care specifically oriented to the distinct needs of each individual.

The legislature further finds that, while there are numerous health care providers in the state with expertise in eating disorder treatment, there is no generally accessible, comprehensive system for responding to these disorders. Due to the lack of such a system the legislature finds that treatment, information/referral, prevention and research activities are fragmented and incomplete. In addition, due to the broad, multifaceted needs of individuals with eating disorders, insurance payments for the necessary plan of care and providers is usually fragmented as well, leaving citizens with insufficient coverage for essential services and, therefore, at risk of incomplete treatment, relapse, deterioration and potential death.

The legislature therefore declares that the state take positive action to facilitate the development and public identification of provider networks and care centers of excellence to provide a coordinated, comprehensive system for the treatment of such disorders, as well as to conduct community education, prevention, information/referral and research activities. The legislature further declares that health coverage by insurers and health maintenance organizations should include covered services provided through such centers and that, to the extent possible and practicable, health plan reimbursement should be structured in a manner to facilitate the individualized, comprehensive and integrated plans of care which such centers are required to provide.

51 § 30.02 Definitions.

For purposes of this article:

53 (a) "Eating disorder" is defined to include, but not be limited to,
54 conditions such as anorexia nervosa, bulimia and binge eating disorder,
55 identified as such in the ICD-9-CM International Classification of
56 Disease or the most current edition of the Diagnostic and Statistical

- Manual of Mental Disorders, or other medical and mental health diagnos-1 2 tic references generally accepted for standard use by the medical and 3 mental health fields.
- (b) "Comprehensive care centers for eating disorders" or "comprehen-4 5 sive care centers" means a provider-sponsored system of care, organized 6 by either corporate affiliation or clinical association for the common purpose of providing a coordinated, individualized plan of care for an 7 8 individual with an eating disorder, across a continuum that includes all 9 necessary non-institutional, institutional and practitioner services and treatments, from initial patient screening and evaluation, to treatment, 10 follow-up care and support. 11
- § 30.03 Comprehensive care centers for eating disorders; established. 12
- The commissioner shall provide for the public identification of 13 14 comprehensive care centers for persons with eating disorders for the 15 purposes of:
- 16 (a) Promoting the operation of a continuum of comprehensive, coordi-17 nated care for persons with eating disorders;
 - (b) Promoting ready access to information, referral and treatment services on eating disorders for consumers, health practitioners, providers and insurers, with access in every region of the state;
- (c) Promoting community education, prevention and patient entry into 22
 - (d) Promoting and coordinating regional and statewide research efforts into effective methods of education, prevention and treatment, including research on the various models of care.
 - § 30.04 Qualifying criteria.

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- (a) In order to qualify for state identification as a comprehensive care center for eating disorders pursuant to this article, applicants must demonstrate to the commissioner's satisfaction that, at a minimum:
- 1. The applicant can provide a continuum of care tailored to the specialized needs of individuals with eating disorders, with such continuum including at least the following levels of care:
- (i) Individual health, psychosocial and case management services, in both noninstitutional and institutional settings, from licensed and certified practitioners with demonstrated experience and expertise in providing services to individuals with eating disorders;
- (ii) Medical/surgical, psychiatric and rehabilitation care in a general hospital or a hospital licensed under this chapter; provided that, whenever practicable and appropriate, the service setting for any such care shall be oriented to the specific needs, treatment and recovery of persons with eating disorders;
- (iii) Residential care and services in a residential health care facility licensed under article twenty-eight of the public health law, or a facility licensed under article thirty-one of this chapter which will provide a program of care and service setting that is specifically oriented to the needs of individuals with eating disorders;
- 47 2. The care of individuals will be managed and coordinated at each 48 level and throughout the continuum of care;
 - 3. The applicant is able to conduct activities for community education, prevention, information/referral and research; and
- 51 4. The applicant meets such additional criteria as are established by the commissioner. 52
- 53 (b) Eligible applicants shall include but are not limited to providers 54 licensed under article twenty-eight of the public health law or article thirty-one of this chapter or health or mental health practitioners 55 56 licensed under title eight of the education law.

(c) The commissioner shall seek the recommendation of the commissioner of health prior to identifying an applicant as a comprehensive care center under this article.

§ 30.05 State identification of comprehensive care centers for eating disorders; commissioner's written notice.

- (a) The commissioner shall identify a sufficient number of comprehensive centers to ensure adequate access to services in all regions of the state, provided that, to the extent possible, the commissioner shall identify such care centers geographically dispersed throughout the state, and provided further, however, that the commissioner shall, to the extent possible, initially identify at least three such centers.
- (b) The commissioner's identification of a comprehensive care center for eating disorders under this article shall be valid for not more than a two year period from the date of issuance. The commissioner may reissue such identifications for subsequent periods of up to five years, provided that the comprehensive care center has notified the commissioner of any material changes in structure or operation based on its original application, or since its last written notice by the commissioner, and that the commissioner is satisfied that the center continues to meet the criteria required pursuant to this article.
- (c) The commissioner may suspend or revoke his or her written notice upon a determination that the comprehensive care center has not met, or would not be able to meet, the criteria required pursuant to this article, provided, however that the commissioner shall afford such center an opportunity for a hearing, in accordance section 31.17 of this chapter, to review the circumstances of and grounds for such suspension or revocation and to appeal such determination.
- § 30.06 Restricted use of title.

No person or entity shall claim, advertise or imply to consumers, health plans or other health care providers that such provider or practitioner is a state-identified comprehensive care center for eating disorders unless it is qualified pursuant to section 30.04 of this article.

- \S 9. Section 31.25 of the mental hygiene law, as added by chapter 24 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:
- § 31.25 Residential services for treatment of eating disorders.

The commissioner shall establish, pursuant to regulation, licensed residential providers of treatment and/or supportive services to children, adolescents, and adults with eating disorders, as that term is defined in section [twenty-seven hundred ninety-nine e of the public health law] 30.02 of this title. Such regulations shall be developed in consultation with representatives from each of the comprehensive care centers for eating disorders established pursuant to article [twenty-seven-J of the public health law] thirty of this chapter and licensed treatment professionals, such as physicians, psychiatrists, psychologists and therapists, with demonstrated expertise in treating patients with eating disorders.

- § 10. Paragraph 14 of subsection (k) of section 3221 of the insurance law, as added by chapter 114 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:
- (14) No group or blanket policy delivered or issued for delivery in this state which provides medical, major medical or similar comprehensive-type coverage shall exclude coverage for services covered under such policy when provided by a comprehensive care center for eating disorders pursuant to article [twenty-seven-J of the public health] thirty of the mental hygiene law; provided, however, that reimbursement

under such policy for services provided through such comprehensive care centers shall, to the extent possible and practicable, be structured in a manner to facilitate the individualized, comprehensive and integrated plans of care which such centers' network of practitioners and providers are required to provide.

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§ 11. Subsection (dd) of section 4303 of the insurance law, as added by chapter 114 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:

(dd) No health service corporation or medical service expense indemnity corporation which provides medical, major medical or similar comprehensive-type coverage shall exclude coverage for services covered under such policy when provided by a comprehensive care center for eating disorders pursuant to article [twenty seven J of the public health] thirty of the mental hygiene law; provided, however, that reimbursement by such corporation for services provided through such comprehensive care centers shall, to the extent possible and practicable, be structured in a manner to facilitate the individualized, comprehensive and integrated plans of care which such centers' network of practitioners and providers are required to provide.

12. Paragraph 27 of subsection (b) of section 4322 of the insurance law, as added by chapter 114 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:

(27) Services covered under such policy when provided by a comprehensive care center for eating disorders pursuant to article [twenty-seven-J of the public health | thirty of the mental hygiene law; provided, however, that reimbursement under such policy for services provided through such comprehensive care centers shall, to the extent possible and practicable, be structured in a manner to facilitate the individualized, comprehensive and integrated plans of care which such centers' network of practitioners and providers are required to provide.

§ 13. Subdivision 1 of section 154 of the labor law, as added by chapter 675 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:

The commissioner, in consultation with the commissioner of health and the commissioner of mental health, shall establish a child performer advisory board for the purpose of recommending guidelines for the employment of child performers and models under the age of eighteen and preventing eating disorders such as anorexia nervosa and bulimia nervosa amongst such persons. The advisory board shall consist of at least sixteen but no more than twenty members appointed by the commissioner, and shall include: representatives of professional organizations or unions representing child performers or models; employers representing child performers or models; physicians, nutritionists and mental health professionals with demonstrated expertise in treating patients with eating disorders; at least one representative from each of the compre-44hensive care centers for eating disorders established pursuant to article [twenty seven J of the public health] thirty of the mental hygiene law; advocacy organizations working to prevent and treat eating disorders; and other members deemed necessary by the commissioner. In addition, the commissioner of health and the commissioner of mental health, or their designees, shall serve on the advisory board. The members of the advisory board shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be reimbursed their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

14. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 54 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

55 PART F Section 1. Section 9 of part R of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, amending the public health law and other laws relating to electronic prescriptions, is amended to read as follows:

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- § 9. This act shall take effect immediately; provided however, that sections one and two of this act shall take effect on the first of June next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law and shall expire and be deemed repealed [four years after such effective date] June 1, 2023.
- § 2. Section 4 of chapter 19 of the laws of 1998, amending the social services law relating to limiting the method of payment for prescription drugs under the medical assistance program, as amended by section 11 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- § 4. This act shall take effect 120 days after it shall have become a law and shall expire and be deemed repealed March 31, [2020] 2023.
- § 3. Paragraph (e-1) of subdivision 12 of section 2808 of the public health law, as amended by section 12 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

17 (e-1) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law or regulation, 18 commissioner shall provide, in addition to payments established 19 20 pursuant to this article prior to application of this section, tional payments under the medical assistance program pursuant to title eleven of article five of the social services law for non-state operated 22 public residential health care facilities, including public residential 23 health care facilities located in the county of Nassau, the county of 24 25 Westchester and the county of Erie, but excluding public residential 26 health care facilities operated by a town or city within a county, in 27 aggregate annual amounts of up to one hundred fifty million dollars in additional payments for the state fiscal year beginning April first, two 28 29 thousand six and for the state fiscal year beginning April first, two 30 thousand seven and for the state fiscal year beginning April first, two 31 thousand eight and of up to three hundred million dollars in such aggre-32 gate annual additional payments for the state fiscal year beginning April first, two thousand nine, and for the state fiscal year beginning 33 34 April first, two thousand ten and for the state fiscal year beginning 35 April first, two thousand eleven, and for the state fiscal years begin-36 ning April first, two thousand twelve and April first, two thousand 37 thirteen, and of up to five hundred million dollars in such aggregate 38 annual additional payments for the state fiscal years beginning April first, two thousand fourteen, April first, two thousand fifteen and 39 April first, two thousand sixteen and of up to five hundred million 40 41 dollars in such aggregate annual additional payments for the state 42 fiscal years beginning April first, two thousand seventeen, April first, 43 two thousand eighteen, and April first, two thousand nineteen, and of up 44 to five hundred million dollars in such aggregate annual additional 45 payments for the state fiscal years beginning April first, two thousand 46 twenty, April first, two thousand twenty-one, and April first, two thou-47 sand twenty-two. The amount allocated to each eligible public residential health care facility for this period shall be computed in accord-48 49 ance with the provisions of paragraph (f) of this subdivision, provided, however, that patient days shall be utilized for such computation 50 51 reflecting actual reported data for two thousand three and each repre-52 sentative succeeding year as applicable, and provided further, however, that, in consultation with impacted providers, of the funds allocated 54 for distribution in the state fiscal year beginning April first, two thousand thirteen, up to thirty-two million dollars may be allocated in 55 accordance with paragraph (f-1) of this subdivision.

- § 4. Section 18 of chapter 904 of the laws of 1984, amending the public health law and the social services law relating to encouraging comprehensive health services, as amended by section 13 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- § 18. This act shall take effect immediately, except that sections six, nine, ten and eleven of this act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall have become a law, sections two, three, four and nine of this act shall expire and be of no further force or effect on or after March 31, [2020] 2023, section two of this act shall take effect on April 1, 1985 or seventy-five days following the submission of the report required by section one of this act, whichever is later, and sections eleven and thirteen of this act shall expire and be of no further force or effect on or after March 31, 1988.

- § 5. Section 4 of part X2 of chapter 62 of the laws of 2003, amending the public health law relating to allowing for the use of funds of the office of professional medical conduct for activities of the patient health information and quality improvement act of 2000, as amended by section 14 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- § 4. This act shall take effect immediately; provided that the provisions of section one of this act shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2003, and shall expire March 31, [2020] 2023 when upon such date the provisions of such section shall be deemed repealed.
- § 6. Subdivision (o) of section 111 of part H of chapter 59 of the laws of 2011, amending the public health law relating to the statewide health information network of New York and the statewide planning and research cooperative system and general powers and duties, as amended by section 15 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- (o) sections thirty-eight and thirty-eight-a of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed March 31, [2020] 2023;
- § 7. Section 32 of part A of chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, amending the elder law and other laws relating to reimbursement to participating provider pharmacies and prescription drug coverage, as amended by section 16 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- § 32. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2008; provided however, that sections one, six-a, nineteen, twenty, twenty-four, and twenty-five of this act shall take effect July 1, 2008; provided however that sections sixteen, seventeen and eighteen of this act shall expire April 1, [2020] 2023; provided, however, that the amendments made by section twenty-eight of this act shall take effect on the same date as section 1 of chapter 281 of the laws of 2007 takes effect; provided further, that sections twenty-nine, thirty, and thirty-one of this act shall take effect October 1, 2008; provided further, that section twenty-seven of this act shall take effect January 1, 2009; and provided further, that section twenty-seven of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed March 31, [2020] 2023; and provided, further, however, that the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 241 of the education law made by section twenty-nine of this act shall not affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith and provided 54 that the amendments to section 272 of the public health law made by section thirty of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

Subdivision 3 of section 2999-p of the public health law, as amended by section 17 of part I of chapter 57 of the laws of amended to read as follows:

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- The commissioner may issue a certificate of authority to an entity that meets conditions for ACO certification as set forth in regulations made by the commissioner pursuant to section twenty-nine hundred ninety-nine-q of this article. The commissioner shall not issue any new certificate under this article after December thirty-first, two thousand [twenty] twenty-four.
- § 9. Subdivision (a) of section 31 of part B of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, amending the social services law and other laws relating to authorizing the commissioner of health to apply federally established consumer price index penalties for generic drugs, and authorizing the commissioner of health to impose penalties on managed care plans for reporting late or incorrect encounter data, as amended by section 1 of part T of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
- 17 (a) section eleven of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed 18 March 31, [2020] 2022;
 - § 10. Subdivision 1-a of section 60 of part B of chapter 57 of the laws of 2015, amending the social services law and other laws relating to supplemental rebates, as added by section 5-b of part T of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
 - 1-a. section fifty-two of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed March 31, [2020] 2025;
 - § 11. Section 7 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2019, amending the public health law relating to waiver of certain regulations, amended to read as follows:
 - § 7. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2019, provided, however, that section two of this act shall expire on April 1, [2020] 2024.
 - Section 228 of chapter 474 of the laws of 1996, amending the education law and other laws relating to rates for residential health care facilities, as amended by chapter 49 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
 - § 228. 1. Definitions. (a) Regions, for purposes of this section, shall mean a downstate region to consist of Kings, New York, Richmond, Queens, Bronx, Nassau and Suffolk counties and an upstate region to consist of all other New York state counties. A certified home health agency or long term home health care program shall be located in the same county utilized by the commissioner of health for the establishment of rates pursuant to article 36 of the public health law.
 - (b) Certified home health agency (CHHA) shall mean such term as defined in section 3602 of the public health law.
 - (c) Long term home health care program (LTHHCP) shall mean such term as defined in subdivision 8 of section 3602 of the public health law.
 - (d) Regional group shall mean all those CHHAs and LTHHCPs, respectively, located within a region.
- (e) Medicaid revenue percentage, for purposes of this section, shall mean CHHA and LTHHCP revenues attributable to services provided to persons eligible for payments pursuant to title 11 of article 5 of the social services law divided by such revenues plus CHHA and LTHHCP revenues attributable to services provided to beneficiaries of Title XVIII of 54 the federal social security act (medicare).
- 55 (f) Base period, for purposes of this section, shall mean calendar 56 year 1995.

(g) Target period. For purposes of this section, the 1996 target period shall mean August 1, 1996 through March 31, 1997, the 1997 target period shall mean January 1, 1997 through November 30, 1997, the 1998 3 target period shall mean January 1, 1998 through November 30, 1998, the 1999 target period shall mean January 1, 1999 through November 30, 1999, the 2000 target period shall mean January 1, 2000 through November 30, 7 2000, the 2001 target period shall mean January 1, 2001 through November 8 30, 2001, the 2002 target period shall mean January 1, 2002 through 9 November 30, 2002, the 2003 target period shall mean January 1, 2003 10 through November 30, 2003, the 2004 target period shall mean January 1, 11 2004 through November 30, 2004, and the 2005 target period shall mean January 1, 2005 through November 30, 2005, the 2006 target period shall 12 mean January 1, 2006 through November 30, 2006, and the 2007 target 13 14 period shall mean January 1, 2007 through November 30, 2007 and the 2008 target period shall mean January 1, 2008 through November 30, 2008, and 15 16 the 2009 target period shall mean January 1, 2009 through November 30, 17 2009 and the 2010 target period shall mean January 1, 2010 through November 30, 2010 and the 2011 target period shall mean January 1, 2011 18 through November 30, 2011 and the 2012 target period shall mean January 19 20 2012 through November 30, 2012 and the 2013 target period shall mean 21 January 1, 2013 through November 30, 2013, and the 2014 target period shall mean January 1, 2014 through November 30, 2014 and the 2015 target 22 period shall mean January 1, 2015 through November 30, 2015 and the 2016 23 target period shall mean January 1, 2016 through November 30, 2016 and 24 25 the 2017 target period shall mean January 1, 2017 through November 30, 26 2017 and the 2018 target period shall mean January 1, 2018 through 27 November 30, 2018 and the 2019 target period shall mean January 1, through November 30, 2019 and the 2020 target period shall mean January 28 1, 2020 through November 30, 2020, and the 2021 target period shall mean 29 30 January 1, 2021 through November 30, 2021 and the 2022 target period 31 shall mean January 1, 2022 through November 30, 2022 and the 2023 target 32 period shall mean January 1, 2023 through November 30, 2023.

2. (a) Prior to February 1, 1997, for each regional group the commissioner of health shall calculate the 1996 medicaid revenue percentages for the period commencing August 1, 1996 to the last date for which such data is available and reasonably accurate.

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- (b) Prior to February 1, 1998, prior to February 1, 1999, prior to February 1, 2000, prior to February 1, 2001, prior to February 1, 2002, prior to February 1, 2003, prior to February 1, 2004, prior to February 1, 2005, prior to February 1, 2006, prior to February 1, 2007, prior to February 1, 2008, prior to February 1, 2009, prior to February 1, 2010, prior to February 1, 2011, prior to February 1, 2012, prior to February 1, 2013, prior to February 1, 2014, prior to February 1, 2015, prior to February 1, 2016, prior to February 1, 2017, prior to February 1, 2018, prior to February 1, 2019, [and] prior to February 1, 2020, prior to February 1, 2021, prior to February 1, 2022, and prior to February 1, 2023 for each regional group the commissioner of health shall calculate the prior year's medicaid revenue percentages for the period commencing January 1 through November 30 of such prior year.
- 3. By September 15, 1996, for each regional group the commissioner of health shall calculate the base period medicaid revenue percentage.
- 4. (a) For each regional group, the 1996 target medicaid revenue percentage shall be calculated by subtracting the 1996 medicaid revenue reduction percentages from the base period medicaid revenue percentages. The 1996 medicaid revenue reduction percentage, taking into account

regional and program differences in utilization of medicaid and medicare services, for the following regional groups shall be equal to:

(i) one and one-tenth percentage points for CHHAs located within the downstate region;

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- (ii) six-tenths of one percentage point for CHHAs located within the 6 upstate region;
 - (iii) one and eight-tenths percentage points for LTHHCPs located within the downstate region; and
 - (iv) one and seven-tenths percentage points for LTHHCPs located within the upstate region.
- (b) For 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 11 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 12 13 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 for each regional group, the target 14 medicaid revenue percentage for the respective year shall be calculated by subtracting the respective year's medicaid revenue reduction percent-15 16 age from the base period medicaid revenue percentage. The medicaid revenue reduction percentages for 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 17 $2004\,,\quad 2005\,,\ 2006\,,\ 2007\,,\ 2008\,,\ 2009\,,\ 2010\,,\ 2011\,,\ 2012\,,\ 2013\,,\ 2014\,,\ 2015\,,$ 18 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023, taking into 19 20 account regional and program differences in utilization of medicaid and medicare services, for the following regional groups shall be equal to 22 for each such year:
 - (i) one and one-tenth percentage points for CHHAs located within the downstate region;
 - (ii) six-tenths of one percentage point for CHHAs located within the upstate region;
 - (iii) one and eight-tenths percentage points for LTHHCPs located within the downstate region; and
 - (iv) one and seven-tenths percentage points for LTHHCPs located within the upstate region.
- (c) For each regional group, the 1999 target medicaid revenue percentage shall be calculated by subtracting the 1999 medicaid revenue reduction percentage from the base period medicaid revenue percentage. The 1999 medicaid revenue reduction percentages, taking into account 34 regional and program differences in utilization of medicaid and medicare services, for the following regional groups shall be equal to:
 - (i) eight hundred twenty-five thousandths (.825) of one percentage point for CHHAs located within the downstate region;
 - (ii) forty-five hundredths (.45) of one percentage point for CHHAs located within the upstate region;
 - (iii) one and thirty-five hundredths percentage points (1.35) for LTHHCPs located within the downstate region; and
 - (iv) one and two hundred seventy-five thousandths percentage points (1.275) for LTHHCPs located within the upstate region.
- 5. (a) For each regional group, if the 1996 medicaid revenue percentage is not equal to or less than the 1996 target medicaid revenue percentage, the commissioner of health shall compare the 1996 medicaid revenue percentage to the 1996 target medicaid revenue percentage to determine the amount of the shortfall which, when divided by the 1996 49 revenue reduction percentage, shall be called the 1996 50 51 reduction factor. These amounts, expressed as a percentage, shall not 52 exceed one hundred percent. If the 1996 medicaid revenue percentage is equal to or less than the 1996 target medicaid revenue percentage, the 54 1996 reduction factor shall be zero.
- (b) For 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 55 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

- [and], 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023, for each regional group, if the medicaid revenue percentage for the respective year is not equal to or less than the target medicaid revenue percentage for such respective 3 4 year, the commissioner of health shall compare such respective year's medicaid revenue percentage to such respective year's target medicaid revenue percentage to determine the amount of the shortfall which, when 7 divided by the respective year's medicaid revenue reduction percentage, shall be called the reduction factor for such respective year. These 9 amounts, expressed as a percentage, shall not exceed one hundred 10 percent. If the medicaid revenue percentage for a particular year is 11 equal to or less than the target medicaid revenue percentage for that year, the reduction factor for that year shall be zero. 12
 - 6. (a) For each regional group, the 1996 reduction factor shall be multiplied by the following amounts to determine each regional group's applicable 1996 state share reduction amount:

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- (i) two million three hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$2,390,000) for CHHAs located within the downstate region;
- (ii) seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) for CHHAs located within the upstate region;
- (iii) one million two hundred seventy thousand dollars (\$1,270,000) for LTHHCPs located within the downstate region; and
- (iv) five hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$590,000) for LTHHCPs located within the upstate region.

For each regional group reduction, if the 1996 reduction factor shall be zero, there shall be no 1996 state share reduction amount.

- (b) For 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023, for each regional group, the reduction factor for the respective year shall be multiplied by the following amounts to determine each regional group's applicable state share reduction amount for such respective year:
- (i) two million three hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$2,390,000) for CHHAs located within the downstate region;
- (ii) seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) for CHHAs located within the upstate region;
- (iii) one million two hundred seventy thousand dollars (\$1,270,000) for LTHHCPs located within the downstate region; and
- (iv) five hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$590,000) for LTHHCPs located within the upstate region.

For each regional group reduction, if the reduction factor for a particular year shall be zero, there shall be no state share reduction amount for such year.

- (c) For each regional group, the 1999 reduction factor shall be multiplied by the following amounts to determine each regional group's applicable 1999 state share reduction amount:
- (i) one million seven hundred ninety-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,792,500) for CHHAs located within the downstate region;
- (ii) five hundred sixty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$562,500) for CHHAs located within the upstate region;
- 50 (iii) nine hundred fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$952,500) 51 for LTHHCPs located within the downstate region; and
- (iv) four hundred forty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$442,500) for LTHHCPs located within the upstate region.
- For each regional group reduction, if the 1999 reduction factor shall be zero, there shall be no 1999 state share reduction amount.

7. (a) For each regional group, the 1996 state share reduction amount shall be allocated by the commissioner of health among CHHAs and LTHHCPs on the basis of the extent of each CHHA's and LTHHCP's failure to achieve the 1996 target medicaid revenue percentage, calculated on a provider specific basis utilizing revenues for this purpose, expressed as a proportion of the total of each CHHA's and LTHHCP's failure to achieve the 1996 target medicaid revenue percentage within the applicable regional group. This proportion shall be multiplied by the applicable 1996 state share reduction amount calculation pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision 6 of this section. This amount shall be called the 1996 provider specific state share reduction amount.

- (b) For 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 for each regional group, the state share reduction amount for the respective year shall be allocated by the commissioner of health among CHHAs and LTHHCPs on the basis of the extent of each CHHA's and LTHHCP's failure to achieve the target medicaid revenue percentage for the applicable year, calculated on a provider specific basis utilizing revenues for this purpose, expressed as a proportion of the total of each CHHA's and LTHHCP's failure to achieve the target medicaid revenue percentage for the applicable year within the applicable regional group. This proportion shall be multiplied by the applicable year's state share reduction amount calculation pursuant to paragraph (b) or (c) of subdivision 6 of this section. This amount shall be called the provider specific state share reduction amount for the applicable year.
- 8. (a) The 1996 provider specific state share reduction amount shall be due to the state from each CHHA and LTHHCP and may be recouped by the state by March 31, 1997 in a lump sum amount or amounts from payments due to the CHHA and LTHHCP pursuant to title 11 of article 5 of the social services law.
- (b) The provider specific state share reduction amount for 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 respectively, shall be due to the state from each CHHA and LTHHCP and each year the amount due for such year may be recouped by the state by March 31 of the following year in a lump sum amount or amounts from payments due to the CHHA and LTHHCP pursuant to title 11 of article 5 of the social services law.
- 9. CHHAs and LTHHCPs shall submit such data and information at such times as the commissioner of health may require for purposes of this section. The commissioner of health may use data available from third-party payors.
- 10. On or about June 1, 1997, for each regional group the commissioner of health shall calculate for the period August 1, 1996 through March 31, 1997 a medicaid revenue percentage, a reduction factor, a state share reduction amount, and a provider specific state share reduction amount in accordance with the methodology provided in paragraph (a) of subdivision 2, paragraph (a) of subdivision 5, paragraph (a) of subdivision 6 and paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of this section. The provider specific state share reduction amount calculated in accordance with this subdivision shall be compared to the 1996 provider specific state share reduction amount calculated in accordance with paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of this section. Any amount in excess of the amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of this section shall be due to the state from each CHHA and LTHHCP and may be recouped in

1 accordance with paragraph (a) of subdivision 8 of this section. If the amount is less than the amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of this section, the difference shall be refunded to the CHHA and LTHHCP by the state no later than July 15, 1997. CHHAs and LTHHCPs shall submit data for the period August 1, 1996 through March 31, 1997 to the commissioner of health by April 15, 1997.

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- 11. If a CHHA or LTHHCP fails to submit data and information as required for purposes of this section:
- (a) such CHHA or LTHHCP shall be presumed to have no decrease in medicaid revenue percentage between the applicable base period and applicable target period for purposes of the calculations pursuant to this section; and
- (b) the commissioner of health shall reduce the current rate paid to such CHHA and such LTHHCP by state governmental agencies pursuant to article 36 of the public health law by one percent for a period beginning on the first day of the calendar month following the applicable due date as established by the commissioner of health and continuing until the last day of the calendar month in which the required data and information are submitted.
- 12. The commissioner of health shall inform in writing the director of the budget and the chair of the senate finance committee and the chair the assembly ways and means committee of the results of the calculations pursuant to this section.
- § 13. Paragraph (f) of subdivision 1 of section 64 of chapter 81 of the laws of 1995, amending the public health law and other laws relating to medical reimbursement and welfare reform, as amended by chapter 49 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- (f) Prior to February 1, 2001, February 1, 2002, February 1, 2003, February 1, 2004, February 1, 2005, February 1, 2006, February 1, February 1, 2008, February 1, 2009, February 1, 2010, February 1, 2011, February 1, 2012, February 1, 2013, February 1, 2014, February 1, 2015, February 1, 2016, February 1, 2017, February 1, 2018, February 1, 2019 [and], February 1, 2020, February 1, 2021, February 1, 2022 and February 1, 2023, the commissioner of health shall calculate the result of the statewide total of residential health care facility days of care provided to beneficiaries of title XVIII of the federal social security act (medicare), divided by the sum of such days of care plus days of care provided to residents eligible for payments pursuant to title 11 of article 5 of the social services law minus the number of days provided to residents receiving hospice care, expressed as a percentage, for the period commencing January 1, through November 30, of the prior year respectively, based on such data for such period. This value shall be called the 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 statewide target percentage respectively.
- § 14. Subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of section 64 of chapter 81 of the laws of 1995, amending the public health law and other laws relating to medical reimbursement and welfare reform, as amended by chapter 49 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:
- (ii) If the 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 51 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 52 53 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 statewide target percentages are not for each year at least three percentage points higher than the 54 55 statewide base percentage, the commissioner of health shall determine the percentage by which the statewide target percentage for each year is

not at least three percentage points higher than the statewide base percentage. The percentage calculated pursuant to this paragraph shall be called the 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 3 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 statewide reduction percentage respectively. If the 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 7 8 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 statewide target percentage 9 for the respective year is at least three percentage points higher than 10 the statewide base percentage, the statewide reduction percentage for 11 the respective year shall be zero.

§ 15. Subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (b) of subdivision 4 of section 64 of chapter 81 of the laws of 1995, amending the public health law and other laws relating to medical reimbursement and welfare reform, as amended by chapter 49 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

17 The 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, (iii) 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 18 19 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 statewide reduction percentage shall be multi-20 plied by one hundred two million dollars respectively to determine the 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 22 2022 and 2023 statewide aggregate reduction amount. If the 1998 and the 23 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 24 25 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 [and], 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 statewide reduction percentage shall be zero respectively, 27 there shall be no 1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 28 29 [and] 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 reduction amount.

§ 16. Subdivision (i-1) of section 79 of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, amending the social services law and the public health law relating to adjustments of rates, as amended by chapter 49 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

(i-1) section thirty-one-a of this act shall be deemed repealed July 1, [2020] <u>2021</u>;

§ 17. Subdivision 1 of section 60 of part B of chapter 57 of the laws of 2015, amending the social services law and other laws relating to supplemental rebates, as amended by section 5-b of part T of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:

40 1. section one of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed March 41 31, [2023] <u>2026</u>;

42 18. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 43 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

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45 Section 1. The insurance law is amended by adding a new section 111 to 46 read as follows:

§ 111. Investigation by the superintendent with respect to prescription drugs. (a) Whenever it shall appear to the superintendent, either upon complaint or otherwise, that in the advertisement, purchase or sale within this state of any prescription drug, which is contemplated to be paid by a policy approved by the department for offering 52 within the state, has increased over the course of any twelve months by more than one hundred percent and if it is suspected that any person, 53 partnership, corporation, company, trust or association, or any agent or

employee thereof, shall have employed, or employs, or is about to employ 1 any device, scheme or artifice to defraud or for obtaining money or 2 3 property by means of any false pretense, representation or promise, or 4 that any person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or associ-5 ation, or any agent or employee thereof, shall have made, makes or 6 attempts to make within or from this state or shall have engaged in or 7 engages in or is about to engage in any practice or transaction or 8 course of business relating to the purchase, exchange, or sale of 9 prescription drugs which is fraudulent or in violation of law and which 10 has operated or which would operate as a fraud upon the purchaser, or 11 that any agent or employee thereof, has sold or offered for sale or is attempting to sell or is offering for sale any prescription drug for 12 13 which the price has increased one hundred percent over the prior calen-14 dar year, and the superintendent believes it to be in the public interest that an investigation be made, he or she may in their sole 15 16 discretion either require or permit such person, partnership, corpo-17 ration, company, trust or association, or any agent or employee thereof, to file with the department a statement in writing under oath or other-18 19 wise as to all the facts and circumstances concerning the price increase 20 which he or she believes it is to the public interest to investigate, 21 and for that purpose may prescribe forms upon which such statements shall be made. The superintendent may also require such other data and 22 information as he or she may deem relevant and may make such special and 23 24 independent investigations as he or she may deem necessary in connection with the matter. 25

(b) In addition to any other power granted by law, the superintendent, his or her deputy or other officer designated by the superintendent is empowered to subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, examine them under oath and require the production of any books or papers which he or she deems relevant or material to the inquiry. Such power of subpoena and examination shall not abate or terminate by reason of any action or proceeding brought by the attorney general.

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- 33 (c) No person shall be excused from attending such inquiry in pursuance to the mandates of a subpoena, or from producing a paper or 34 book, or from being examined or required to answer a question on the 35 36 ground of failure of tender or payment of a witness fee and/or mileage, 37 unless at the time of such appearance or production, as the case may be, 38 such witness makes demand for such payment as a condition precedent to the offering of testimony or production required by the subpoena and 39 unless such payment is not thereupon made. The provisions for payment of 40 witness fee and/or mileage shall not apply to any officer, director or 41 42 person in the employ of any person, partnership, corporation, company, 43 trust or association whose conduct or practices are being investigated.
 - (d) If a person subpoenaed to attend such inquiry fails to obey the command of a subpoena without reasonable cause, or if a person in attendance upon such inquiry shall without reasonable cause refuse to be sworn or to be examined or to answer a question or to produce a book or paper when ordered so to do by the officer conducting such inquiry, or if a person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or association fails to perform any act required by this section to be performed, he or she shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a civil penalty as set forth in subsection (e) of this section.
- (e) (1) If after an investigation authorized under this section the superintendent determines that any person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or association, or any agent or employee thereof, shall have employed any device, scheme or artifice to defraud or for obtaining

money or property by means of any false pretense, representation or 1 promise, or that any person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or 3 association, or any agent or employee thereof, shall have made within or from this state or shall have engaged in any practice or transaction or 4 5 course of business relating to the purchase, exchange, or sale of 6 prescription drugs which is fraudulent or in violation of law and which has operated as a fraud upon the purchaser, the superintendent may, after notice and a hearing, levy a civil penalty not to exceed the 7 8 9 greater of: (A) five thousand dollars for each offense; (B) a multiple 10 of two times the aggregate damages attributable to the offense; or (C) a 11 multiple of two times the aggregate economic gain attributable to the 12 offense.

- (2) If any person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or association, that fails to submit a written statement required by the superintendent under subsection (a) of this section or violates subsection (d) of this section, the superintendent may, after notice and a hearing, levy a civil penalty not to exceed to one thousand dollars per day that the failure continues.
- (f) If during an investigation authorized under this section the superintendent determines that any person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or association, or any agent or employee thereof is presently taking or is about to take any action in violation of subsection (e) of this section the superintendent may in addition to all other remedies as are provided by law maintain and prosecute an action against such person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or association, or any agent or employee thereof for the purpose of obtaining an injunction restraining such person, partnership, corporation, company, trust or association, or any agent or employee thereof from doing any acts in violation of the provisions of this section.
- 30 \S 2. The insurance law is amended by adding a new section 202 to read 31 as follows:
 - § 202. Drug accountability board. (a) A nine member drug accountability board is hereby created in the department.
 - (b) The members of the board shall be appointed by the superintendent and shall serve a three-year term. Members may be reappointed upon the completion of other terms. In making appointments to the board the superintendent shall give consideration to persons:
- 38 (1) licensed and actively engaged in the practice of medicine in the 39 state;
 - (2) licensed and actively practicing in pharmacy in the state;
 - (3) with expertise in drug utilization review who are health care professionals licensed under title eight of the education law and who are pharmacologists;
- 44 (4) that are consumers or consumer representatives of organizations 45 with a regional or statewide constituency and who have been involved in 46 activities related to health care consumer advocacy;
 - (5) who are health care economists;
 - (6) who are actuaries; and

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- (7) who are experts from the department of health.
- 50 (c) The superintendent shall designate a person from the department to serve as chairperson of the board.
- 52 (d) Members of the board and all its agents shall be deemed to be an 53 "employee" for purposes of section seventeen of the public officers law.
- 54 <u>(e) (1) The department shall have authority on all fiscal matters</u> 55 <u>relating to the board.</u>

- (2) The board may utilize or request assistance of any state agency or authority subject to the approval of the superintendent.
- (f) (1) Whenever the superintendent determines it would aid an investigation under section one hundred eleven of this chapter, the superintendent may refer a drug to the board for a report thereon to be prepared.
- (2) If a drug is referred to the board under paragraph one of this subsection the board shall determine:
- 9 (A) the drug's impact on the premium costs for commercial insurance in 10 this state, and the drug's affordability and value to the public;
- 11 (B) whether increases in the price of the drug over time were signif-12 icant and unjustified;
- 13 (C) whether the drug may be priced disproportionately to its therapeu-14 tic benefits; and
- 15 (D) any other question the superintendent may certify to the board in 16 aid of an investigation under section one hundred eleven of this chap-17 ter.
 - (3) In formulating its determinations, the board may consider:
- (A) publicly available information relevant to the pricing of the 19 20 <u>drug;</u>
- 21 (B) information supplied by the department relevant to the pricing of 22 the drug;
 - (C) information relating to value-based pricing;
 - (D) the seriousness and prevalence of the disease or condition that is treated by the drug;
 - (E) the extent of utilization of the drug;

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- (F) the effectiveness of the drug in treating the conditions for which it is prescribed, or in improving a patient's health, quality of life, or overall health outcomes;
- 30 (G) the likelihood that use of the drug will reduce the need for other 31 medical care, including hospitalization;
 - (H) the average wholesale price, wholesale acquisition cost, retail price of the drug, and the cost of the drug to the Medicaid program minus rebates received by the state;
- 35 (I) in the case of generic drugs, the number of pharmaceutical manufacturers that produce the drug; 36
 - (J) whether there are pharmaceutical equivalents to the drug;
- 38 (K) information supplied by the manufacturer, if any, explaining the relationship between the pricing of the drug and the cost of development 39 of the drug and/or the therapeutic benefit of the drug, or that is 40 41 otherwise pertinent to the manufacturer's pricing decision; any such 42 information provided shall be considered confidential and shall not be 43 disclosed by the drug utilization review board in a form that identifies 44 a specific manufacturer or prices charged for drugs by such manufactur-45 er; and
- (L) information from the department of health, including from the drug 47 utilization review board.
 - (4) Following its review, the board shall report its findings to the superintendent. Such report shall include the determinations required by paragraph two of this subsection and any other information required by the superintendent.
- (q) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the papers and informa-52 tion considered by the board and any report thereof shall be confiden-53 tial and not subject to disclosure. The superintendent, in his or her 54 sole discretion, may determine that the release of the board's report 55 56 would not harm an ongoing investigation and would be in the public

interest, and thereafter may release the report or any portion thereof to the public.

- (h) The superintendent may call a public hearing on the determinations of the board, notice of such hearing shall be given to the manufacturer of the drug and shall be published on the website of the department for not less than fifteen days before the hearing.
- § 3. The superintendent of financial services may promulgate any regulations necessary to interpret the provisions of this act, including but not limited to regulations relating to the operations of the drug accountability board.
- § 4. This act shall take effect immediately. 11

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Section 1. Subdivisions 1 and 4 of section 6841 of the education law, 13 14 as added by chapter 414 of the laws of 2019, are amended to read as 15 follows:

- 1. A registered pharmacy technician may, under the direct personal supervision of a licensed pharmacist, assist such licensed pharmacist, as directed, in compounding, preparing, labeling, or dispensing of drugs used to fill valid prescriptions or medication orders [ex], and a registered pharmacy technician employed by a facility licensed in accordance with article twenty-eight of the public health law, or a pharmacy owned and operated by such a facility may assist a licensed pharmacist as directed in compounding, preparing, and labeling in anticipation of a valid prescription or medication order for a patient to be served by the facility, in accordance with article one hundred thirty-seven of this title where such tasks require no professional judgment. Such professional judgment shall only be exercised by a licensed pharmacist. A registered pharmacy technician may only practice [in a facility licensed in accordance with article twenty-eight of the public health law, or a 30 pharmacy owned and operated by such a facility, in a registered pharmacy under the direct personal supervision of a licensed pharmacist employed [in] by such a facility or pharmacy. Such facility or pharmacy shall be responsible for ensuring that the registered pharmacy technician has received appropriate training to ensure competence before he or she begins assisting a licensed pharmacist in compounding, preparing, labeling, or dispensing of drugs, in accordance with this article and article one hundred thirty-seven of this title. For the purposes of this article, direct personal supervision means supervision of procedures based on instructions given directly by a supervising licensed pharmacist who remains in the immediate area where the procedures are being performed, authorizes the procedures and evaluates the procedures performed by the registered pharmacy technicians and a supervising licensed pharmacist shall approve all work performed by the registered pharmacy technician prior to the actual dispensing of any drug.
 - 4. No licensed pharmacist shall obtain the assistance of more than $[rac{\mathsf{two}}{}]$ $\underline{\mathsf{four}}$ registered pharmacy technicians in the performance of [licensed tasks] compounding or preparation of sterile products within their scope of practice. No licensed pharmacist shall obtain the assistance of more than four registered pharmacy technicians or [four] six unlicensed persons, in the performance of the activities that do not require licensure, the total of such persons shall not exceed [four] six individuals at any one time. Pharmacy interns shall be exempt from such ratios, but shall be supervised in accordance with commissioner's regulations. Individuals who are responsible for the act of placing drugs

1 which are in unit-dose packaging into medication carts as part of an approved unit-dose drug distribution system for patients in institutional settings shall be exempt from such ratio, provided that such individuals are not also engaged in performing the activities set forth in subdivision one or paragraph b, c, d, e, f, g, h, or i of subdivision two of this section. The licensed pharmacist shall provide the degree of supervision of such persons as may be appropriate to ensure compliance with the relevant provisions of regulations of the commissioner.

- § 2. Subdivision 2 of section 6832 of the education law, as added by chapter 414 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:
- [Except for a licensed pharmacist employed by a facility licensed in accordance with article twenty-eight of the public health law or a pharmacy owned and operated by such a facility, as defined in article one hundred thirty-seven-A of this title, no | No licensed pharmacist shall obtain the assistance of more than four registered pharmacy technicians or six unlicensed persons, in the performance of the activities that do not require licensure, the total of such persons shall not exceed [four] six individuals at any one time. Pharmacy interns shall be exempt from such ratios, but shall be supervised in accordance with the commissioner's regulations. Individuals who are responsible for the act of placing drugs which are in unit-dose packaging into medication carts as part of an approved unit-dose drug distribution system for patients in institutional settings shall be exempt from such ratio, provided that such individuals are not also engaged in performing the activities set forth in paragraph (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h) (i) of subdivision one of this section. The licensed pharmacist shall provide the degree of supervision of such persons as may be appropriate to ensure compliance with the relevant provisions of regulations of the commissioner.
- 30 \S 3. This act shall take effect on the same date and in the same 31 manner as chapter 414 of the laws of 2019 takes effect.

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Section 1. Subdivision 7 of section 6527 of the education law, as amended by chapter 46 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:

- 7. A licensed physician may prescribe and order a patient specific order or non-patient specific regimen to a licensed pharmacist, pursuant to regulations promulgated by the commissioner, and consistent with the public health law, for administering immunizations to prevent influenza, pneumococcal, acute herpes zoster, meningococcal, tetanus, diphtheria or pertussis disease or, for patients eighteen years of age and older, any other immunizations recommended by the advisory committee on immunizations practices of the centers for disease control and prevention, and medications required for emergency treatment of anaphylaxis. Nothing in this subdivision shall authorize unlicensed persons to administer immunizations, vaccines or other drugs.
- § 2. Subdivision 7 of section 6909 of the education law, as amended by chapter 46 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 7. A certified nurse practitioner may prescribe and order a patient specific order or non-patient specific regimen to a licensed pharmacist, pursuant to regulations promulgated by the commissioner, and consistent with the public health law, for administering immunizations to prevent influenza, pneumococcal, acute herpes zoster, meningococcal, tetanus, diphtheria or pertussis disease or, for patients eighteen years of age

and older, any other immunizations recommended by the advisory committee on immunization practices of the centers for disease control and prevention, and medications required for emergency treatment of anaphylaxis. Nothing in this subdivision shall authorize unlicensed persons to administer immunizations, vaccines or other drugs.

- § 3. Section 6801-a of the education law, as amended by chapter 238 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- § 6801-a. Collaborative drug therapy management [demonstration program]. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:
- a. "Board" shall mean the state board of pharmacy as established by section sixty-eight hundred four of this article.
- b. "Clinical services" shall mean the collection and interpretation of patient data for the purpose of initiating, modifying and monitoring drug therapy with associated accountability and responsibility for outcomes in a direct patient care setting.
- c. "Collaborative drug therapy management" shall mean the performance of clinical services by a pharmacist relating to the review, evaluation and management of drug therapy to a patient, who is being treated by a physician, physician assistant, or nurse practitioner for a specific disease or associated disease states, in accordance with a written agreement or protocol with a voluntarily participating physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or facility and in accordance with the policies, procedures, and protocols of the facility. Such agreement or protocol as entered into by the physician and a pharmacist, may include[, and shall be limited to]:
- (i) [adjusting or managing] prescribing in order to adjust or manage a drug regimen of a patient, pursuant to a patient specific order or nonpatient specific protocol made by the patient's physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or facility, which may include adjusting drug strength, frequency of administration or route of administration[-Adjusting the drug regimen shall not include substituting or selecting a [different] drug which differs from that initially prescribed by the patient's physician [unless such substitution is expressly], physician assistant or nurse practitioner as authorized in the written order or protocol. The pharmacist shall be required to immediately document in the patient record changes made to the patient's drug therapy and shall use any reasonable means or method established by the facility or practice to notify the patient's other treating physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners and other professionals as required by the facility or the collaborative practice agreement, provided, however, that the pharmacist shall appropriately consider clinical benefit and cost to the patient and/or payer in discharging these responsibilities [with whom he or she does not have a written agreement or protocol regarding such changes. The patient's physician may prohibit, by written instruction, any adjustment or change in the patient's drug regimen by the pharmacist];
- (ii) evaluating and [, only if specifically] as authorized by the protocol and only to the extent necessary to discharge the responsibilities set forth in this section, ordering disease state laboratory tests related to the drug therapy management for the specific disease or disease [state] states specified within the written agreement or protocol; and
- (iii) [enly if specifically] as authorized by the written agreement or protocol and only to the extent necessary to discharge the responsibilities set forth in this section, ordering or performing routine patient

monitoring functions as may be necessary in the drug therapy management[, including the collecting and reviewing of patient histories, and ordering or checking patient vital signs, including pulse, temperature, blood pressure and respiration].

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d. "Facility" shall mean[+ (i)] a [teaching hospital or] general hospital, [including any] diagnostic center, treatment center, or hospital-based outpatient department as defined in section twenty-eight hundred one of the public health law[; or (ii)], a residential health care facility, a nursing home with an on-site pharmacy staffed by a licensed pharmacist or any facility as defined in section twenty-eight hundred one of the public health law or other entity that provides direct patient care under the auspices of a medical director; provided, however, for the purposes of this section the term "facility" shall not include dental clinics, dental dispensaries, residential health care facilities and rehabilitation centers.

For the purposes of this section, [a "teaching hospital" shall mean a hospital licensed pursuant to article twenty-eight of the public health law that is eligible to receive direct or indirect graduate medical education payments pursuant to article twenty-eight of the public health law.] a "practice" shall mean a place or situation in which physicians, physician assistants and nurse practitioners either alone or in group practices provide diagnostic and treatment care for patients.

- e. "Physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner" shall mean the physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner selected by or assigned to a patient, who has primary responsibility for the treatment and care of the patient for the disease and associated disease states that are the subject of the collaborative drug therapy management.
- "Written agreement or protocol" shall mean a written document, pursuant to and consistent with any applicable state or federal requirements, that addresses a specific disease or associated disease states and that describes the nature and scope of collaborative drug therapy management to be undertaken by the pharmacists, in collaboration with the participating physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or **facility** in accordance with the provisions of this section.
- 2. a. A pharmacist who meets the experience requirements of paragraph b of this subdivision and who is [employed by or otherwise affiliated with a facility certified by the department to engage in collaborative drug therapy management and who is either employed by or otherwise affiliated with a facility or is participating with a practicing physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner shall be permitted to enter into a written agreement or protocol with a physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or facility authorizing collaborative drug therapy management, subject to the limitations set forth in this section, within the scope of such employment $[ex]_{\perp}$ affiliation or participation. Only pharmacists so certified may engage in collaborative drug therapy management as defined in this section.
 - b. A participating pharmacist must[+

(i)(A) have been awarded either a master of science in clinical pharmacy or a doctor of pharmacy degree;

(B) maintain a current unrestricted license[+], and

(C) have a minimum of two years experience, of which at least one year of such experience shall include clinical experience in a health facility, which involves consultation with physicians with respect to 54 drug therapy and may include a residency at a facility involving such consultation; or

(ii)(A) have been awarded a bachelor of science in pharmacy;

(B) maintain a current unrestricted license; and

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(C) within the last seven years, have a minimum of three years experience, of which at least one year of such experience shall include clinical experience in a health facility, which involves consultation with physicians with respect to drug therapy and may include a residency at a facility involving such consultation; and

(iii) meet any additional education, experience, or other requirements set forth by the department in consultation with the board. shall satisfy any two of the following criteria:

(i) certification in a relevant area of practice including but not limited to ambulatory care, critical care, geriatric pharmacy, nuclear pharmacy, nutrition support pharmacy, oncology pharmacy, pediatric pharmacy, pharmacotherapy, or psychiatric pharmacy, from a national accrediting body as approved by the department;

(ii) postgraduate residency through an accredited postgraduate program requiring at least fifty percent of the experience be in direct patient care services with interdisciplinary terms; or

(iii) have provided clinical services to patients for at least one year either:

(A) under a collaborative practice agreement or protocol with a physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or facility; or

(B) has documented experience in provision of clinical services to patients for at least one year or one thousand hours, and deemed acceptable to the department upon recommendation of the board of pharmacy.

c. Notwithstanding any provision of law, nothing in this section shall prohibit a licensed pharmacist from engaging in clinical services associated with collaborative drug therapy management, in order to gain experience necessary to qualify under [clause (C) of subparagraph (i) or (ii) of paragraph b clause (B) of subparagraph (iii) of paragraph b of this subdivision, provided that such practice is under the supervision of a pharmacist that currently meets the referenced requirement, and that such practice is authorized under the written agreement or protocol with the physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or facility.

d. Notwithstanding any provision of this section, nothing herein shall authorize the pharmacist to diagnose disease. In the event that a treating physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner may disagree with the exercise of professional judgment by a pharmacist, the judgment of the treating physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner shall prevail.

3. [The physician who is a party to a written agreement or protocol authorizing collaborative drug therapy management shall be employed by or otherwise affiliated with the same facility with which the pharmacist is also employed or affiliated.

4. The existence of a written agreement or protocol on collaborative drug therapy management and the patient's right to choose to not participate in collaborative drug therapy management shall be disclosed to any patient who is eligible to receive collaborative drug therapy management. Collaborative drug therapy management shall not be utilized unless the patient or the patient's authorized representative consents, in writing, to such management. If the patient or the patient's authorized representative consents, it shall be noted on the patient's medical record. If the patient or the patient's authorized representative who consented to collaborative drug therapy management chooses to no longer 54 participate in such management, at any time, it shall be noted on the patient's medical record. In addition, the existence of the written agreement or protocol and the patient's consent to such management shall

be disclosed to the patient's primary physician and any other treating physician or healthcare provider.

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5- A pharmacist who is certified by the department to engage in collaborative drug therapy management may enter into a written collaborative practice agreement or protocol with a physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner or practice as an independent health care provider or as an employee of a pharmacy or other health care provider. In a facility, the physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner and the pharmacist who are parties to a written agreement or protocol authorizing collaborative drug therapy management shall be employed by or be otherwise affiliated with the facility.

4. Participation in a written agreement or protocol authorizing collaborative drug therapy management shall be voluntary, and no patient, physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner, pharmacist, or facility shall be required to participate.

[6. Nothing in this section shall be deemed to limit the scope of practice of pharmacy nor be deemed to limit the authority of pharmacists and physicians to engage in medication management prior to the effective date of this section and to the extent authorized by law.]

- § 4. Section 8 of chapter 563 of the laws of 2008, amending the education law and the public health law relating to immunizing agents to be administered to adults by pharmacists, as amended by section 3 of part DD of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
- § 8. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law [and shall expire and be deemed repealed July 1,
- § 5. Section 5 of chapter 116 of the laws of 2012, amending the education law relating to authorizing a licensed pharmacist and certified nurse practitioner to administer certain immunizing agents, as amended by section 4 of part DD of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
- This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law[, provided, however, that the provisions of sections one, two and four of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed July 1, 2020 provided, that:
- (a) the amendments to subdivision 7 of section 6527 of the education law made by section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such subdivision and shall be deemed to be repealed therewith;
- (b) the amendments to subdivision 7 of section 6909 of the education law, made by section two of this act shall not affect the repeal of such subdivision and shall be deemed to be repealed therewith;
- (c) the amendments to subdivision 22 of section 6802 of the education law made by section three of this act shall not affect the repeal of such subdivision and shall be deemed to be repealed therewith; and
- (d) the amendments to section 6801 of the education law made by section four of this act shall not affect the expiration of such section and shall be deemed to expire therewith].
- § 6. Section 4 of chapter 274 of the laws of 2013, amending the education law relating to authorizing a licensed pharmacist and certified nurse practitioner to administer meningococcal disease immunizing agents, is amended to read as follows:
- 4. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall 54 have become a law[+ provided, that:
- (a) the amendments to subdivision 7 of section 6527 of the education 56 law, made by section one of this act shall not affect the expiration and

reversion of such subdivision, as provided in section 6 of chapter 116 of the laws of 2012, and shall be deemed to expire therewith; and

- (b) the amendments to subdivision 7 of section 6909 of the education law, made by section two of this act shall not affect the expiration and reversion of such subdivision, as provided in section 6 of chapter 116 of the laws of 2012, and shall be deemed to be expire therewith; and
- (c) the amendments to subdivision 22 of section 6802 of the education law made by section three of this act shall not affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith].
- § 7. Section 5 of chapter 21 of the laws of 2011, amending the education law relating to authorizing pharmacists to perform collaborative drug therapy management with physicians in certain settings, as amended by section 5 of part DD of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
- § 5. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after it shall have become a law[, provided, however, that the provisions of sections two, three, and four of this act shall expire and be deemed repealed July 1, 2020; provided, however, that the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 6801 of the education law made by section one of this act shall be subject to the expiration and reversion of such subdivision pursuant to section 8 of chapter 563 of the laws of 2008, when 22 upon such date the provisions of section one-a of this act shall take effect; provided, further, that effective immediately, the 23 addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary 24 for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.
- 27 § 8. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 28 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020; provided, 29 however, that section three of this act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become a law.

31 PART J

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Section 1. Subsection (j) of section 3217-b of the insurance law, as added by chapter 297 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows: (j) (1) [Am] No insurer shall [met] by contract, written policy or procedure, or by any other means, deny payment to a general hospital certified pursuant to article twenty-eight of the public health law for a claim for medically necessary inpatient services [resulting from an emergency admission], observation services, or emergency department services provided by a general hospital solely on the basis that the general hospital did not [timely notify] comply with certain administrative requirements of such insurer [that the services had been provided] with respect to those services.

(2) Nothing in this subsection shall preclude a general hospital and 44 an insurer from agreeing to **certain administrative** requirements [**for**] relating to payment for inpatient services, observation services, or emergency department services, including but not limited to timely notification that medically necessary inpatient services [resulting from an emergency admission] have been provided and to reductions in payment for failure to comply with certain administrative requirements including timely [notification; provided, however that: [(i)] (A) any 51 requirement for timely notification must provide for a reasonable exten-52 sion of timeframes for notification for [emergency] services provided on 53 weekends or federal holidays, [(ii)] (B) any agreed to reduction in 54 payment for failure to meet administrative requirements, including timely [notify] notification shall not exceed the lesser of two thousand dollars or twelve percent of the payment amount otherwise due for the services provided, and [(iii)] (C) any agreed to reduction in payment for failure to meet administrative requirements including timely [notify] notification shall not be imposed if the patient's insurance coverage could not be determined by the hospital after reasonable efforts at the time the [inpatient] services were provided.

- (3) Nothing in this subsection shall preclude an insurer from denying payment for a claim: (A) based on a reasonable belief of fraud or intentional misconduct, or abusive billing; (B) when required by a state or federal government program or coverage that is provided by this state or a municipality thereof to its respective employees, retirees or members; or (C) that it believes is fraudulently submitted, is a duplicate claim, or is for services for a benefit that is not covered under the insured's policy or for a patient determined to be ineligible for coverage.
- (4) For purposes of this subsection, an "administrative requirement" shall not include requirements: (A) imposed on an insurer or provider pursuant to federal or state laws, regulations or guidance; or (B) established by the state or federal government applicable to insurers offering benefits under a state or federal government program.
- (5) The prohibition on denials set forth in this subsection shall not apply to claims for services for which a request for preauthorization was denied by the insurer prior to delivery of the service.
- § 2. Subsection (k) of section 4325 of the insurance law, as added by chapter 297 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:
- (k) (1) [A] No corporation organized under this article shall [not] by written contract, written policy or procedure, or by any other means, deny payment to a general hospital certified pursuant to article twenty-eight of the public health law for a claim for medically necessary inpatient services [resulting from an emergency admission], observation services, or emergency department services provided by a general hospital solely on the basis that the general hospital did not [timely notify] comply with certain administrative requirements of such [insurer that the services had been provided] corporation with respect to those services.
- (2) Nothing in this subsection shall preclude a general hospital and a corporation from agreeing to <u>certain administrative</u> requirements [for] relating to payment for inpatient services, observation services, or emergency department services, including, but not limited to timely notification that medically necessary inpatient services [resulting from an emergency admission] have been provided and to reductions in payment for failure to comply with certain administrative requirements including timely [notify] notification; provided, however that: [(i)] (A) any requirement for timely notification must provide for a reasonable extension of timeframes for notification for [emergency] services provided on weekends or federal holidays, [(ii)] (B) any agreed to reduction in payment for failure to meet administrative requirements including timely [notify] notification shall not exceed the lesser of two thousand dollars or twelve percent of the payment amount otherwise due for the services provided, and [(iii)] (C) any agreed to reduction in payment for failure to meet administrative requirements including timely notification shall not be imposed if the patient's insurance coverage could not be determined by the hospital after reasonable efforts at the time the [inpatient] services were provided.
- (3) Nothing in this subsection shall preclude a corporation from denying payment for a claim: (A) based on a reasonable belief of fraud or

intentional misconduct, or abusive billing; (B) when required by a state or federal government program or coverage that is provided by this state or a municipality thereof to its respective employees, retirees or members; or (C) that it believes is fraudulently submitted, is a duplicate claim or is for services for a benefit that is not covered under the insured's contract or for a patient determined to be ineligible for coverage.

- (4) For purposes of this subsection, an "administrative requirement" shall not include requirements: (A) imposed on a corporation or provider pursuant to federal or state laws, regulations or guidance; (B) established by the state or federal government applicable to corporations offering benefits under a state or federal government program.
- (5) The prohibition on denials set forth in this subsection shall not apply to claims for services for which a request for preauthorization was denied by the corporation prior to delivery of the service.
- § 3. Subdivision 8 of section 4406-c of the public health law, as added by chapter 297 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:
- 8. (a) [A] No health care plan shall [not] by contract, written policy or procedure, or by any other means, deny payment to a general hospital certified pursuant to article twenty-eight of this chapter for a claim for medically necessary inpatient services [resulting from an emergency admission], observation services, or emergency department services provided by a general hospital solely on the basis that the general hospital did not [timely notify such health care plan that the services had been provided] comply with certain administrative requirements of such health care plan with respect to those services.
- (b) Nothing in this subdivision shall preclude a general hospital and a health care plan from agreeing to certain administrative requirements [for relating to payment for inpatient services, observation services, or emergency department services, including, but not limited to, timely notification that medically necessary inpatient services [resulting from an emergency admission] have been provided and to reductions in payment for failure to comply with certain administrative requirements including timely [notification; provided, however that: (i) any requirement for timely notification must provide for a reasonable extension of timeframes for notification for [emergency] services provided on weekends or federal holidays, (ii) any agreed to reduction in payment for failure to meet administrative requirements, including timely [notify] notification shall not exceed the lesser of two thousand dollars or twelve percent of the payment amount otherwise due for the service provided, and (iii) any agreed to reduction in payment for failure to meet administrative requirements including timely notification shall not be imposed if the patient's coverage could not be determined by the hospital after reasonable efforts at the time the [inpatient] services were provided.
- (c) Nothing in this subdivision shall preclude a health care plan from denying payment for a claim: (i) based on a reasonable belief of fraud or intentional misconduct, or abusive billing; (ii) when required by a state or federal government program or coverage that is provided by this state or a municipality thereof to its respective employees, retirees or members; (iii) that it believes is fraudulently submitted, is a duplicate claim, or is for services for a benefit that is not covered under the insured's contract or for a patient determined to be ineligible for coverage.
- (d) For purposes of this subdivision, an "administrative requirement" shall not include requirements: (i) imposed on a health care plan or

provider pursuant to federal or state laws, regulations or guidance; or (ii) established by the state or federal government applicable to health care plans offering benefits under a state or federal government program.

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- (e) The prohibition on denials set forth in this subdivision shall not apply to claims for services for which a request for preauthorization was denied by the health care plan prior to delivery of the service.
- § 4. Subsection (b) of section 3224-a of the insurance law, as amended by chapter 237 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:
- (b) In a case where the obligation of an insurer or an organization or corporation licensed or certified pursuant to article forty-three or forty-seven of this chapter or article forty-four of the public health law to pay a claim or make a payment for health care services rendered is not reasonably clear due to a good faith dispute regarding the eligibility of a person for coverage, the liability of another insurer or corporation or organization for all or part of the claim, the amount of the claim, the benefits covered under a contract or agreement, or the manner in which services were accessed or provided, but not with respect to cases as set forth in subsection (a) of this section, an insurer or organization or corporation shall pay any undisputed portion of the claim in accordance with this subsection and notify the policyholder, covered person or health care provider in writing, and through the internet or other electronic means for claims submitted in that manner, within thirty calendar days of the receipt of the claim:
- (1) that it is not obligated to pay the claim or make the medical payment, stating the specific reasons why it is not liable; or
- (2) to request all additional information needed to determine liability to pay the claim or make the health care payment; and
- (3) of the specific type of plan or product the policyholder or covered person is enrolled in; provided that nothing in this section shall authorize discrimination based on the source of payment.

Upon receipt of the information requested in paragraph two of this subsection or an appeal of a claim or bill for health care services denied pursuant to paragraph one of this subsection, an insurer or organization or corporation licensed or certified pursuant to article forty-three or forty-seven of this chapter or article forty-four of the public health law shall comply with subsection (a) of this section; provided, that if the insurer or organization or corporation licensed or certified pursuant to article forty-three or forty-seven of this chapter or article forty-four of the public health law determines that payment or additional payment is due on the claim, such payment shall be made to the policyholder or covered person or health care provider within fifteen days of the determination and shall include interest on the amount to be paid in accordance with subsection (c) of this section, which shall be computed from the date thirty days after initial receipt of the claim if transmitted electronically or forty-five days after initial receipt of the claim if transmitted by paper or facsimile.

- § 5. Subsection (i) of section 3224-a of the insurance law, as added by chapter 297 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:
- (i) Except where the parties have developed a mutually agreed upon process for the reconciliation of coding disputes that includes a review of submitted medical records to ascertain the correct coding for payment, a general hospital certified pursuant to article twenty-eight 54 of the public health law shall, upon receipt of payment of a claim for which payment has been adjusted based on a particular coding to a 55 patient including the assignment of diagnosis and procedure, have the

opportunity to submit the affected claim with medical records supporting the hospital's initial coding of the claim within thirty days of receipt of payment. Upon receipt of such medical records, an insurer or an 3 4 organization or corporation licensed or certified pursuant to article forty-three or forty-seven of this chapter or article forty-four of the public health law shall review such information to ascertain the correct 7 coding for payment based on national coding quidelines accepted by the centers for Medicare and Medicaid services or the American medical asso-9 ciation, including ICD-10 guidelines, and process the claim, including 10 the correct coding, in accordance with the timeframes set forth in subsection (a) of this section. In the event the insurer, organization, 11 or corporation processes the claim consistent with its initial determi-12 13 nation, such decision shall be accompanied by a statement of the insur-14 er, organization or corporation setting forth the specific reasons why 15 the initial adjustment was appropriate. An insurer, organization, or 16 corporation that increases the payment based on the information submit-17 ted by the general hospital, [but fails to do so in accordance with the timeframes set forth in subsection (a) of this section, | shall pay to 18 the general hospital interest on the amount of such increase at the rate 19 20 set by the commissioner of taxation and finance for corporate taxes 21 pursuant to paragraph one of [subdivision] subsection (e) of section one thousand ninety-six of the tax law, to be computed from [the end of the 22 forty-five day period after resubmission of the additional medical 23 record information] the date thirty days after initial receipt of the 24 25 claim if transmitted electronically or forty-five days after initial 26 receipt of the claim if transmitted by paper or facsimile. Provided, 27 however, a failure to remit timely payment shall not constitute a violation of this section. Neither the initial or subsequent processing 28 the claim by the insurer, organization, or corporation shall be 29 30 deemed an adverse determination as defined in section four thousand nine 31 hundred of this chapter if based solely on a coding determination. Noth-32 ing in this subsection shall apply to those instances in which the 33 insurer or organization, or corporation has a reasonable suspicion of fraud or abuse. 34

§ 6. Section 3224-a of the insurance law is amended by adding a new subsection (k) to read as follows:

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- (k) The superintendent, in conjunction with the commissioner of health, shall convene a health care administrative simplification workgroup. The workgroup shall consist of stakeholders, including but not limited to, insurers, hospitals, physicians and consumers or their representatives, to study and evaluate mechanisms to reduce health care administrative costs and complexities through standardization, simplification and technology. Areas to be examined by the workgroup shall include claims submission and payment, claims attachments, preauthorization practices, provider credentialing and insurance eligibility verification. The workgroup shall report on its findings and recommendations to the superintendent, the commissioner of health, the speaker of the assembly and the temporary president of the senate within one year of the effective date of this subsection.
- § 7. The insurance law is amended by adding a new section 345 to read as follows:

§ 345. Health care claims reports. An insurer authorized to write accident and health insurance in the state, a corporation organized pursuant to article forty-three of this chapter, or a health maintenance organization certified pursuant to article forty-four of the public health law shall report to the superintendent quarterly and annually on

health care claims payment performance with respect to comprehensive health insurance coverage. The reports shall be submitted in the manner 3 and form prescribed by the superintendent after consultation with repre-4 sentatives of insurers and health care providers but at minimum shall 5 include the number and dollar value of health care claims by major line 6 of business and categorized as follows: health care claims received, health care claims paid, health care claims pended and health care 7 8 claims denied during the respective quarter or year. The data shall be 9 provided in the aggregate and by major category of health care provider. The reports shall be due to the superintendent no later than forty-five 10 11 days after the end of the respective quarter or year and shall be made publicly available including on the department's website. The super-12 intendent, in conjunction with the commissioner of health, may promul-13 14 gate regulations requiring additional reporting requirements on insur-15 ers, corporations, or health maintenance organizations or health care 16 providers to assess the effectiveness of the payment policies set forth 17 in this section, which may be informed by the administrative simplification workgroup authorized by subsection (k) of section three thousand 18 19 two hundred twenty-four-a of this chapter.

§ 8. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 2 of section 4903 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 371 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:

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- (a) A utilization review agent shall make a utilization review determination involving health care services which require pre-authorization and provide notice of a determination to the enrollee or enrollee's designee and the enrollee's health care provider by telephone and in writing within three business days of receipt of the necessary information, or for inpatient rehabilitation services provided by a hospital or skilled nursing facility, within one business day of receipt of the necessary information. To the extent practicable, such written notification to the enrollee's health care provider shall be transmitted electronically, in a manner and in a form agreed upon by the parties. notification shall identify; (i) whether the services are considered in-network or out-of-network; (ii) and whether the enrollee will be held harmless for the services and not be responsible for any payment, other than any applicable co-payment or co-insurance; (iii) as applicable, the dollar amount the health care plan will pay if the service is out-ofnetwork; and (iv) as applicable, information explaining how an enrollee may determine the anticipated out-of-pocket cost for out-of-network health care services in a geographical area or zip code based upon the difference between what the health care plan will reimburse for out-ofnetwork health care services and the usual and customary cost for outof-network health care services.
- § 9. Paragraph 1 of subsection (b) of section 4903 of the insurance law, as amended by chapter 371 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) A utilization review agent shall make a utilization review determination involving health care services which require pre-authorization and provide notice of a determination to the insured or insured's designee and the insured's health care provider by telephone and in writing within three business days of receipt of the necessary information, or for inpatient rehabilitation services provided by a hospital or skilled nursing facility, within one business day of receipt of the necessary information. To the extent practicable, such written notification to the enrollee's health care provider shall be transmitted electronically, in a manner and in a form agreed upon by the parties. The notification

shall identify: (i) whether the services are considered in-network or out-of-network; (ii) whether the insured will be held harmless for the 3 services and not be responsible for any payment, other than any applicable co-payment, co-insurance or deductible; (iii) as applicable, the dollar amount the health care plan will pay if the service is out-ofnetwork; and (iv) as applicable, information explaining how an insured 7 may determine the anticipated out-of-pocket cost for out-of-network health care services in a geographical area or zip code based upon the 9 difference between what the health care plan will reimburse for out-of-10 network health care services and the usual and customary cost for out-11 of-network health care services.

§ 10. Subdivision 3 of section 4904 of the public health law, amended by chapter 586 of the laws of 1998 and paragraph (b) as further amended by section 104 of part A of chapter 62 of the laws of 2011, amended to read as follows:

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- 3. A utilization review agent shall establish a standard appeal process which includes procedures for appeals to be filed in writing or by telephone. A utilization review agent must establish a period of no less than forty-five days after receipt of notification by the enrollee of the initial utilization review determination and receipt of all necessary information to file the appeal from said determination. The utilization review agent must provide written acknowledgment of the filing of the appeal to the appealing party within fifteen days of such filing and shall make a determination with regard to the appeal within [sixty] thirty days of the receipt of necessary information to conduct the appeal and, upon overturning the adverse determination, shall comply with subsection (a) of section three thousand two hundred twenty-four-a of the insurance law as applicable. The utilization review agent shall notify the enrollee, the enrollee's designee and, where appropriate, the enrollee's health care provider, in writing, of the appeal determination within two business days of the rendering of such determination. The notice of the appeal determination shall include:
- (a) the reasons for the determination; provided, however, that where the adverse determination is upheld on appeal, the notice shall include the clinical rationale for such determination; and
- (b) a notice of the enrollee's right to an external appeal together with a description, jointly promulgated by the commissioner and the superintendent of financial services as required pursuant to subdivision five of section forty-nine hundred fourteen of this article, of the external appeal process established pursuant to title two of this article and the time frames for such external appeals.
- § 11. Subsection (c) of section 4904 of the insurance law, as amended by chapter 586 of the laws of 1998, is amended to read as follows:
- (c) A utilization review agent shall establish a standard appeal process which includes procedures for appeals to be filed in writing or by telephone. A utilization review agent must establish a period of no less than forty-five days after receipt of notification by the insured of the initial utilization review determination and receipt of all necessary information to file the appeal from said determination. The utilization review agent must provide written acknowledgment of the filing of the appeal to the appealing party within fifteen days of such filing and shall make a determination with regard to the appeal within [sixty] thirty days of the receipt of necessary information to conduct the 54 appeal and, upon overturning the adverse decision, shall comply with subsection (a) of section three thousand two hundred twenty-four-a of this chapter as applicable. The utilization review agent shall notify

the insured, the insured's designee and, where appropriate, the insured's health care provider, in writing of the appeal determination within two business days of the rendering of such determination.

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- 8 (2) a notice of the insured's right to an external appeal together 9 with a description, jointly promulgated by the superintendent and the 10 commissioner of health as required pursuant to subsection (e) of section 11 four thousand nine hundred fourteen of this article, of the external 12 appeal process established pursuant to title two of this article and the 13 time frames for such external appeals.
 - § 12. Subsection (a) of section 4803 of the insurance law is amended by adding a new paragraph 3 to read as follows:
- 16 (3) A newly-licensed physician, a physician who has recently relocated 17 to this state from another state and has not previously practiced in this state, or a physician who has changed his or her corporate 18 19 relationship such that it results in the issuance of a new tax identifi-20 cation number under which such physician's services are billed for, who 21 is employed by a general hospital or diagnostic and treatment center licensed pursuant to article twenty-eight of the public health law, or a 22 facility licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one or article 23 24 thirty-two of the mental hygiene law, and whose other employed physi-25 cians participate in the in-network portion of an insurer's network, shall be deemed "provisionally credentialed" and may participate in the 26 27 in-network portion of an insurer's network upon: (A) the insurer's receipt of the hospital and physician's completed sections of the insur-28 29 er's credentialing application; and (B) the insurer being notified in 30 writing that the health care professional has been granted hospital 31 privileges pursuant to the requirements of section twenty-eight hundred 32 five-k of the public health law. However, a provisionally credentialed 33 physician shall not be designated as an insured's primary care physician until such time as the physician has been fully credentialed by the 34 35 insurer. An insurer shall not be required to make any payments to the 36 licensed general hospital, the licensed diagnostic and treatment center 37 or a facility licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one or 38 article thirty-two of the mental hygiene law for the service provided by 39 a provisionally credentialed physician, until and unless the physician is fully credentialed by the insurer, provided, however, that upon being 40 41 fully credentialed, the licensed general hospital, the licensed diagnos-42 tic and treatment center or a facility licensed under article sixteen, 43 article thirty-one or article thirty-two of the mental hygiene law shall 44 be paid for all services that the credentialed physician provided to the 45 insurer's insureds from the date the physician fully met the require-46 ments to be provisionally credentialed pursuant to this paragraph. 47 Should the application ultimately be denied by the insurer, the insurer shall not be liable for any payment to the licensed general hospital, 48 the licensed diagnostic and treatment center or a facility licensed 49 under article sixteen, article thirty-one or article thirty-two of the 50 51 mental hygiene law for the services provided by the provisionally 52 credentialed health care professional that exceeds any out-of-network 53 benefits payable under the insured's contract with the insurer; and the 54 licensed general hospital, the licensed diagnostic and treatment center or a facility licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one or 55 article thirty-two of the mental hygiene law shall not pursue reimburse-

ment from the insured, except to collect the copayment or coinsurance or deductible amount that otherwise would have been payable had the insured received services from a health care professional participating in the in-network portion of an insurer's network.

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§ 13. Subdivision 1 of section 4406-d of the public health law is amended by adding a new paragraph (c) to read as follows:

7 (c) A newly-licensed physician, a physician who has recently relocated 8 to this state from another state and has not previously practiced in 9 this state, or a physician who has changed his or her corporate 10 relationship such that it results in the issuance of a new tax identification number under which such physician's services are billed for, who 11 is employed by a general hospital or diagnostic and treatment center 12 13 licensed pursuant to article twenty-eight of this chapter, or a facility 14 licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one or article thirty-two of the mental hygiene law, and whose other employed physicians partic-15 16 ipate in the in-network portion of a health care plan's network, shall 17 be deemed "provisionally credentialed" and may participate in the in-network portion of a health care plan's network upon: (i) the health 18 19 care plan's receipt of the hospital and physician's completed sections 20 of the insurer's credentialing application; and (ii) the health care 21 plan being notified in writing that the health care professional has been granted hospital privileges pursuant to the requirements of section 22 twenty-eight hundred five-k of this chapter. However, a provisionally 23 credentialed physician shall not be designated as an enrollee's primary 24 25 care physician until such time as the physician has been fully creden-26 tialed by the health care plan. A health care plan shall not be required 27 to make any payments to the licensed general hospital, the licensed diagnostic and treatment center or a facility licensed under article 28 29 sixteen, article thirty-one or article thirty-two of the mental hygiene 30 law for the service provided by a provisionally credentialed physician, 31 until and unless the physician is fully credentialed by the health care plan, provided, however, that upon being fully credentialed, the 32 licensed general hospital, the licensed diagnostic and treatment center 33 or a facility licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one or 34 35 article thirty-two of the mental hygiene law shall be paid for all services that the credentialed physician provided to the health care 36 plan's insureds from the date the physician fully met the requirements 37 to be provisionally credentialed pursuant to this paragraph. Should the 38 application ultimately be denied by the health care plan, the health 39 care plan shall not be liable for any payment to the licensed general 40 41 hospital, the licensed diagnostic and treatment center or a facility 42 licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one or article thirty-two 43 of the mental hygiene law for the services provided by the provisionally 44 credentialed health care professional that exceed any out-of-network 45 benefits payable under the insured's contract with the health care plan; 46 and the licensed general hospital, the licensed diagnostic and treatment center or a facility licensed under article sixteen, article thirty-one 47 48 or article thirty-two of the mental hygiene law shall not pursue reimbursement from the insured, except to collect the copayment or coin-49 50 surance or deductible amount that otherwise would have been payable had 51 the insured received services from a health care professional partic-52 ipating in the in-network portion of a health care plan's network. 53

§ 14. Paragraphs 1 and 2 of subsection (a) of section 605 of the financial services law, as amended by chapter 377 of the laws of 2019, are amended to read as follows:

- (1) When a health care plan receives a bill for emergency services from a non-participating physician or hospital, including a bill for inpatient services which follow an emergency room visit, the health care plan shall pay an amount that it determines is reasonable for the emergency services, including inpatient services which follow an emergency room visit, rendered by the non-participating physician or hospital, in accordance with section three thousand two hundred twenty-four-a of the insurance law, except for the insured's co-payment, coinsurance or deductible, if any, and shall ensure that the insured shall incur no greater out-of-pocket costs for the emergency services, including inpa-tient services which follow an emergency room visit, than the insured would have incurred with a participating physician or hospital [pursuant to subsection (c) of section three thousand two hundred forty-one of the 14 insurance law]. If an insured assigns benefits to a non-participating physician or hospital in relation to emergency services, including inpa-tient services which follow an emergency room visit, provided by such non-participating physician or hospital, the non-participating physician or hospital may bill the health care plan for the [emergency] services rendered. Upon receipt of the bill, the health care plan shall pay the non-participating physician or hospital the amount prescribed by this section and any subsequent amount determined to be owed to the hospital in relation to the emergency services provided, including inpatient services which follow an emergency room visit.
 - (2) A non-participating physician or hospital or a health care plan may submit a dispute regarding a fee or payment for emergency services, including inpatient services which follow an emergency room visit, for review to an independent dispute resolution entity.

- § 15. Paragraph 1 of subsection (b) of section 605 of the financial services law, as amended by chapter 377 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:
- (1) A patient that is not an insured or the patient's physician may submit a dispute regarding a fee for emergency services, including inpatient services which follow an emergency room visit, for review to an independent dispute resolution entity upon approval of the superintendent.
- § 16. Subsection (d) of section 605 of the financial services law is REPEALED and subsection (e) is relettered subsection (d).
- § 17. Section 606 of the financial services law, as added by section 26 of part H of chapter 60 of the laws of 2014, is amended to read as follows:
 - § 606. Hold harmless and assignment of benefits [for surprise bills] for insureds. (a) When an insured assigns benefits for a surprise bill in writing to a non-participating physician that knows the insured is insured under a health care plan, the non-participating physician shall not bill the insured except for any applicable copayment, coinsurance or deductible that would be owed if the insured utilized a participating physician.
 - (b) When an insured assigns benefits for emergency services, including inpatient services which follow an emergency room visit, to a non-participating physician or hospital that knows the insured is insured under a health care plan, the non-participating physician or hospital shall not bill the insured except for any applicable copayment, coinsurance or deductible that would be owed if the insured utilized a participating physician or hospital.
- § 18. The civil practice law and rules is amended by adding a new section 213-d to read as follows:

- 213-d. Actions to be commenced within three years; medical debt. An action on a medical debt by a hospital licensed under article twentyeight of the public health law or a health care professional authorized under title eight of the education law shall be commenced within three years of treatment.
- 6 § 19. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that 7 sections one through eleven of this act shall apply to services performed on or after January 1, 2021; and provided further, however, that sections twelve and thirteen of this act shall apply to credential-10 ing applications received on or after July 1, 2020.

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- 12 Section 1. Paragraphs (n), (p) and (q) of subdivision 1 of section 2995-a of the public health law, as added by chapter 542 of the laws of 13 14 2000, are amended and three new paragraphs (r), (s) and (t) are added to 15 read as follows:
- 16 (n) (i) the location of the licensee's primary practice setting iden-17 tified as such; [and]
- (ii) [the names of any licensed physicians with whom the licensee 18 19 shares a group practice, as defined in subdivision five of section two hundred thirty-eight of this chapter] hours of operation of the 20 21 <u>licensee's primary practice setting</u>;
 - (iii) availability of assistive technology at the licensee's primary practice setting; and
 - (iv) whether the licensee is accepting new patients;
 - (p) whether the licensee participates in the medicaid or medicare program or any other state or federally financed health insurance program; [and]
 - (q) health care plans with which the licensee has contracts, employment, or other affiliation[+] provided that the reporting and accuracy of such information shall not be the responsibility of the physician, but shall be included and updated by the department utilizing provider network participation information, or other reliable sources of information submitted by the health care plans;
 - (r) the physician's website and social media accounts;
 - (s) the names of any licensed physicians with whom the licensee shares a group practice, as defined in subdivision five of section two hundred thirty-eight of this chapter; and
 - (t) workforce research and planning information as determined by the commissioner.
- 40 Section 2995-a of the public health law is amended by adding a 41 new subdivision 1-b to read as follows:
- 1-b. (a) For the purposes of this section, a physician licensed and registered to practice in this state may authorize a designee to regis-44 ter, transmit, enter or update information on his or her behalf, provided that:
 - (i) the designee so authorized is employed by the physician or the same professional practice or is under contract with such practice;
 - (ii) the physician takes reasonable steps to ensure that such designee is sufficiently competent in the profile requirements;
- 50 (iii) the physician remains responsible for ensuring the accuracy of 51 the information provided and for any failure to provide accurate infor-52 mation; and
- (iv) the physician shall notify the department upon terminating the 53 54 authorization of any designee, in a manner determined by the department.

- (b) The commissioner shall grant access to the profile in a reasonably prompt manner to designees authorized by physicians and establish a mechanism to prevent designees terminated pursuant to subparagraph (iv) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision from accessing the profile in a reasonably prompt manner following notification of termination.
- § 3. Subdivision 4 of section 2995-a of the public health law, as amended by section 3 of part A of chapter 57 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- 4. Each physician shall periodically report to the department on forms and in the time and manner required by the commissioner any other information as is required by the department for the development of profiles under this section which is not otherwise reasonably obtainable. In addition to such periodic reports and providing the same information, each physician shall update his or her profile information within the six months prior to [the expiration date of such physician's registration period | submission of the re-registration application, as a condition of registration renewal [under article one hundred thirty one] pursuant to section sixty-five hundred twenty-four of the education law. Except for optional information provided and information required under subparagraph (iv) of paragraph (n) and paragraphs (q) and (t) of subdivision one of this section, physicians shall notify the department of any change in the profile information within thirty days of such change.
- § 4. Subdivision 6 of section 2995-a of the public health law, as added by chapter 542 of the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
- 6. A physician may elect to have his or her profile omit certain information provided pursuant to paragraphs (k), (1), (m), $[\frac{(n)}{(n)}]$ (r) and (s) of subdivision one of this section. Information provided pursuant to paragraph (t) of subdivision one of this section shall be omitted from a physician's profile and shall be exempt from disclosure under article six of the public officers law. In collecting information for such profiles and disseminating the same, the department shall inform physicians that they may choose not to provide such information required pursuant to paragraphs (k), (1), (m), $[\frac{(n)}{n}]$ and (g)of subdivision one of this section.
- 35 § 5. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after 36 it shall have become a law.

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Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 6502 of the education law, as amended by chapter 599 of the laws of 1996, is amended and two new subdivisions 1-a and 1-b are added to read as follows:

1. [A] Except pursuant to subdivision one-a of this section, a license shall be valid during the life of the holder unless revoked, annulled or suspended by the board of regents [or in the case of physicians, physicians practicing under a limited permit, physician's assistants, specialist's assistants and medical residents, the licensee is stricken from the roster of such licensees by the board of regents on the order of the state board for professional medical conduct in the department of health. A licensee must register with the department and meet the requirements prescribed in section 3-503 of the general obligations law to practice in this state].

1-a. In the case of physicians, physicians practicing under a limited 52 permit, physician assistants, specialist assistants and medical residents, a license shall be valid during the life of the holder unless:

(i) the licensee is stricken from the roster of such licensees by the board of regents on the order of the state board for professional medical conduct in the department of health; or

- (ii) the licensee has failed to register with the department for two consecutive registration periods, in which case the licensee shall be immediately stricken from the roster of such licensees by the board of regents.
- 1-b. A licensee must register with the department and meet the requirements prescribed in section 3-503 of the general obligations law to practice in this state.
- § 2. Section 6524 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 6-a to read as follows:
- (6-a) Fingerprints and criminal history record check: consent to submission of fingerprints for purposes of conducting a criminal history record check. The commissioner shall submit to the division of criminal justice services two sets of fingerprints of applicants for licensure pursuant to this article, and the division of criminal justice services processing fee imposed pursuant to subdivision eight-a of section eight hundred thirty-seven of the executive law and any fee imposed by the federal bureau of investigation. The division of criminal justice services and the federal bureau of investigation shall forward such criminal history record to the commissioner in a timely manner. For the purposes of this section, the term "criminal history record" shall mean a record of all convictions of crimes and any pending criminal charges maintained on an individual by the division of criminal justice services and the federal bureau of investigation. All such criminal history records sent to the commissioner pursuant to this subdivision shall be confidential pursuant to the applicable federal and state laws, rules and regulations, and shall not be published or in any way disclosed to persons other than the commissioner, unless otherwise authorized by law;
- § 3. Paragraph (c) of subdivision 9 and subdivisions 20, 28, and 31 of section 6530 of the education law, as added by chapter 606 of the laws of 1991, are amended and a new subdivision 51 is added to read as follows:
- (c) Having been found guilty in an adjudicatory proceeding of violating a state or federal statute or regulation, pursuant to a final decision or determination, and when no appeal is pending, or after resolution of the proceeding or a complaint alleging a violation of a state or federal statute or regulation by stipulation or agreement, and when the violation would constitute professional misconduct pursuant to this section;
- 20. Conduct [in the practice of medicine] which evidences moral unfit-43 ness to practice medicine;
 - 28. Failing to respond within [thirty] ten days to written communications from the department of health and to make available any relevant records with respect to an inquiry or complaint about the licensee's professional misconduct. The period of [thirty] ten days shall commence on the date when such communication was delivered personally to the licensee. If the communication is sent from the department of health by registered or certified mail, with return receipt requested, to the address appearing in the last registration, the period of [thirty] ten days shall commence on the date of delivery to the licensee, as indicated by the return receipt;
- 31. Willfully harassing, abusing, or intimidating a patient [either]
 55 or a patient's caregiver or surrogate physically or verbally;

- 51. Except for good cause shown, failing to notify the department of health within twenty-four hours of having been charged with a crime in any jurisdiction or of any event meeting the definitions of professional misconduct set forth in subdivision nine of this section.
- § 4. Section 6532 of the education law, as added by chapter 606 of the laws of 1991, is amended to read as follows:
- § 6532. Enforcement, administration and interpretation of this arti-The board $[\mathbf{ef}]$ for professional medical conduct and the department of health shall enforce, administer and interpret this article. Before issuing a declaratory ruling pursuant to section two hundred four of the state administrative procedure act with respect to this article, the department of health shall fully consult with the department of education. [Neither the commissioner of education, the board of regents nor the] The commissioner of health may promulgate any rules or regulations concerning this article.
- § 5. Subdivision 4 of section 206 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 602 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:
 - 4. The commissioner may:

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- (a) issue subpoenas, compel the attendance of witnesses and compel them to testify in any matter or proceeding before him, and may also require a witness to attend and give testimony in a county where he resides or has a place of business without the payment of any fees;
- (b) require, in writing, the production of any and all relevant documents in the possession or control of an individual or entity subject to an investigation or inquiry under this chapter. Unless a shorter period is specified in such writing, as determined for good cause by the commissioner, the required documents shall be produced no later than ten days after the delivery of the writing. Failure by the subject individual or entity to produce to the department the required documents within the ten day or otherwise specified period shall be a violation or failure within the meaning of paragraph (d) of this subdivision. Each additional day of non-production shall be a separate violation or failure;
- (c) annul or modify an order, regulation, by-law or ordinance of a local board of health concerning a matter which in his judgment affects the public health beyond the territory over which such local board of health has jurisdiction;
- [(c)] (d) assess any penalty prescribed for a violation of or a failure to comply with any term or provision of this chapter or of any lawful notice, order or regulation pursuant thereto, not exceeding two thousand dollars for every such violation or failure, which penalty may be assessed after a hearing or an opportunity to be heard;
- [(d)] (e) assess civil penalties against a public water system which provides water to the public for human consumption through pipes or other constructed conveyances, as further defined in the state sanitary code or, in the case of mass gatherings, the person who holds or promotes the mass gathering as defined in subdivision five of section two hundred twenty-five of this article not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars per day, for each violation of or failure to comply with any term or provision of the state sanitary code as it relates to public water systems that serve a population of five thousand or more persons or any mass gatherings, which penalty may be assessed after a hearing or an opportunity to be heard: and
- (f) seek to obtain a warrant based on probable cause that a licensee 54 has committed professional misconduct or a crime from a judicial officer authorized to issue a warrant. Such warrant shall authorize the commissioner and any person authorized by him to have the authority to inspect

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- § 6. Subdivision 1 of section 230 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 537 of the laws of 1998, is amended to read as follows:
- 7 1. A state board for professional medical conduct is hereby created in 8 the department in matters of professional misconduct as defined in 9 sections sixty-five hundred thirty and sixty-five hundred thirty-one of 10 the education law. Its physician members shall be appointed by the 11 commissioner at least eighty-five percent of whom shall be from among nominations submitted by the medical society of the state of New York, 12 13 the New York state osteopathic society, the New York academy of medi-14 cine, county medical societies, statewide specialty societies recognized 15 by the council of medical specialty societies, and the hospital associ-16 ation of New York state. Its lay members shall be appointed by the 17 commissioner with the approval of the governor. The board of regents shall also appoint twenty percent of the members of the board. Not less 18 than sixty-seven percent of the members appointed by the board of 19 20 regents shall be physicians. Not less than eighty-five percent of the physician members appointed by the board of regents shall be from among nominations submitted by the medical society of the state of New York, 22 the New York state osteopathic society, the New York academy of medi-23 24 cine, county medical societies, statewide medical societies recognized 25 by the council of medical specialty societies, and the hospital associ-26 ation of New York state. Any failure to meet the percentage thresholds 27 stated in this subdivision shall not be grounds for invalidating any action by or on authority of the board for professional medical conduct 28 or a committee or a member thereof. The board for professional medical 29 30 conduct shall consist of not fewer than eighteen physicians licensed in 31 the state for at least five years, two of whom shall be doctors of 32 osteopathy, not fewer than two of whom shall be physicians who dedicate a significant portion of their practice to the use of non-conventional 33 medical treatments who may be nominated by New York state medical asso-34 35 ciations dedicated to the advancement of such treatments, at least one 36 of whom shall have expertise in palliative care, and not fewer than 37 seven lay members. An executive secretary shall be appointed by the 38 chairperson and shall be a licensed physician. Such executive secretary shall not be a member of the board, shall hold office at the pleasure 39 of, and shall have the powers and duties assigned and the annual salary 40 fixed by[the chairperson. The chairperson shall also assign such 41 secretaries or other persons to the board as are necessary | the commis-42 sioner. 43
 - § 7. Clause (C) of subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 10 of section 230 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 477 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:
- (C) If the director determines that the matter shall be submitted to an investigation committee, an investigation committee shall be convened [within ninety days of any interview of the licensee]. The director shall present the investigation committee with relevant documentation including, but not limited to: (1) a copy of the original complaint; (2) the report of the interviewer and the stenographic record if one was taken; (3) the report of any medical or scientific expert; (4) copies of 54 reports of any patient record reviews; and (5) the licensee's 55 submissions.

Subparagraph (v) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 10 of section 230 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 477 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:

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- (v) The files of the office of professional medical conduct relating to the investigation of possible instances of professional misconduct shall be confidential and not subject to disclosure at the request of any person, except as provided by law in a pending disciplinary action or proceeding. The provisions of this paragraph shall not prevent the office from sharing information concerning investigations within the department and, pursuant to subpoena, with other duly authorized public agencies responsible for professional regulation or criminal prosecution. Nothing in this subparagraph shall affect the duties of notification set forth in subdivision nine-a of this section or prevent the 14 publication of charges or of the findings, conclusions, determinations, or order of a hearing committee pursuant to paragraphs (d) or (g) of this subdivision. In addition, the commissioner may, in his or her sole discretion, disclose [the] any information [when, in his or her professional judgment, disclosure of such information would avert or minimize a public health threat | relating to the investigation of possible instances of professional misconduct. Any such disclosure shall not affect the confidentiality of other information in the files of the office of professional medical conduct related to the investigation.
 - § 9. Subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of paragraph (d) of subdivision 10 of section 230 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 477 of the laws of 2008, are amended to read as follows:
 - (i) A copy of the charges and the notice of the hearing shall be served on the licensee either: (A) personally [by the board] at least thirty days before the hearing [+]; (B) [If personal service cannot be made after due diligence and such fact is certified under eath, a copy of the charges and the notice of hearing shall be served] by registered or certified mail to the licensee's [last known] current residential or practice address [by the board] mailed at least fifteen days before the hearing; (C) by registered or certified mail to the licensee's most recent mailing address pursuant to section sixty-five hundred two of the education law or the licensee's most recent mailing address on file with the department of education pursuant to the notification requirement set forth in subdivision five of such section, mailed at least forty-five days before the hearing; or (D) by first class mail to an attorney, licensed to practice in the state, who has appeared on behalf of the licensee and who has been provided with written authorization of the licensee to accept service, mailed at least thirty days before the hearing.
 - (ii) The charges shall be made public, consistent with subparagraph (iv) of paragraph (a) of this subdivision, [no earlier than five business days immediately after they are served, and the charges shall be accompanied by a statement advising the licensee that such publication will occur; [provided, however, that] charges may be made public immediately upon issuance of the commissioner's order in the case of summary action taken pursuant to subdivision twelve of this section and no prior notification of such publication need be made to the licensee.
 - § 10. Subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (m) of subdivision 10 of section 230 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 606 of the laws of 1991, is amended to read as follows:
 - (ii) Administrative warning and consultation. If the director of the office of professional medical conduct, after obtaining the concurrence of a majority of a committee on professional conduct, and after consul-

tation with the executive secretary, determines that there is substantial evidence of professional misconduct of a minor or technical nature or of substandard medical practice which does not constitute profes-3 sional misconduct, the director may issue an administrative warning and/or provide for consultation with a panel of one or more experts, chosen by the director. Panels of one or more experts may include, but 7 shall not be limited to, a peer review committee of a county medical society or a specialty board. Administrative warnings and consultations 9 shall be [confidential and] made public, but shall not constitute an adjudication of guilt or be used as evidence that the licensee is guilty 10 11 of the alleged misconduct. However, in the event of a further allegation similar misconduct by the same licensee, the matter may be reopened 12 13 and further proceedings instituted as provided in this section.

§ 11. Paragraph (p) of subdivision 10 of section 230 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 599 of the laws of 1996, is amended to read as follows:

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- 16 17 (p) Convictions of crimes or administrative violations. Except for 18 good cause shown, a licensee shall notify the department within twentyfour hours of having been charged with a crime in any jurisdiction or of 19 20 any event meeting the definitions of professional misconduct set forth 21 in subdivision nine of section sixty-five hundred thirty of the education law. In cases of professional misconduct based solely upon a 22 violation of subdivision nine of section sixty-five hundred thirty of 23 the education law, the director may direct that charges be prepared and 24 25 served and may refer the matter to a committee on professional conduct 26 its review and report of findings, conclusions as to guilt, and 27 determination. In such cases, the notice of hearing shall state that the licensee shall file a written answer to each of the charges and allega-28 29 tions in the statement of charges no later than ten days prior to the hearing, and that any charge or allegation not so answered shall be 30 31 deemed admitted, that the licensee may wish to seek the advice of coun-32 sel prior to filing such answer that the licensee may file a brief and 33 affidavits with the committee on professional conduct, that the licensee 34 may appear personally before the committee on professional conduct, may 35 be represented by counsel and may present evidence or sworn testimony in his or her behalf, and the notice may contain such other information as may be considered appropriate by the director. The department may also 38 present evidence or sworn testimony and file a brief at the hearing. A stenographic record of the hearing shall be made. Such evidence or sworn 39 40 testimony offered to the committee on professional conduct shall be 41 strictly limited to evidence and testimony relating to the nature and 42 severity of the penalty to be imposed upon the licensee. Where the 43 charges are based on the conviction of state law crimes in other juris-44 dictions, evidence may be offered to the committee which would show that 45 the conviction would not be a crime in New York state. The committee on 46 professional conduct may reasonably limit the number of witnesses whose 47 testimony will be received and the length of time any witness will be permitted to testify. The determination of the committee shall be served upon the licensee and the department in accordance with the provisions 49 of paragraph (h) of this subdivision. A determination pursuant to this 50 subdivision may be reviewed by the administrative review board for 51 52 professional medical conduct.
- 12. Subdivision 12 of section 230 of the public health law, as 54 amended by chapter 627 of the laws of 1996, paragraph (a) as amended by chapter 477 of the laws of 2008 and paragraph (b) as amended by section

3 of part CC of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:

12. Summary action. (a) Whenever the commissioner, (i) after being 3 4 presented with information indicating that a licensee is causing, engaging in or maintaining a condition or activity which has resulted in the transmission or suspected transmission, or is likely to lead to the 7 transmission, of communicable disease as defined in the state sanitary code or HIV/AIDS, by the state and/or a local health department and if in the commissioner's opinion it would be prejudicial to the interests 9 10 the people to delay action until an opportunity for a hearing can be 11 provided in accordance with the prehearing and hearing provisions of this section; [ex] (ii) after requiring that a licensee produce docu-12 13 ments in accordance with subdivision four of section two hundred six of 14 this chapter, and such licensee has failed to produce the required docu-15 ments within ten days, or within such shorter period as may have been 16 specified in the commissioner's written demand for documents; or (iii) 17 after an investigation and a recommendation by a committee on professional conduct of the state board for professional medical conduct, 18 19 based upon a determination that a licensee is causing, engaging in or 20 maintaining a condition or activity which in the commissioner's opinion 21 [constitutes an imminent danger] presents a risk to the health of the people, and that it therefore appears to be prejudicial to the interests 22 of the people to delay action until an opportunity for a hearing can be 23 provided in accordance with the prehearing and hearing provisions of 24 this section; the commissioner may order the licensee, by written 25 26 notice, to discontinue such dangerous condition or activity or take 27 certain action immediately and for a period of [ninety] one hundred twenty days from the date of service of the order. Within [tem] thirty 28 29 days from the date of service of the said order, the state board for 30 professional medical conduct shall commence and regularly schedule such 31 hearing proceedings as required by this section, provided, however, that 32 the hearing shall be completed within [ninety] one hundred twenty days 33 the date of service of the order. To the extent that the issue of [imminent danger] risk to the health of the people can be proven without 34 35 the attorney representing the office of professional medical conduct 36 putting in its entire case, the committee of the board shall first 37 determine whether by a preponderance of the evidence the licensee is 38 causing, engaging in or maintaining a condition or activity which [constitutes an imminent danger] presents a risk to the health of the 39 people. The attorney representing the office of professional medical 40 41 conduct shall have the burden of going forward and proving by a prepon-42 derance of the evidence that the licensee's condition, activity or prac-43 tice [constitutes an imminent danger] presents a risk to the health of the people. The licensee shall have an opportunity to be heard and to 44 45 present proof. When both the office and the licensee have completed 46 their cases with respect to the question of [imminent danger] risk to 47 the health of the people, the committee shall promptly make a recommendation to the commissioner on the issue of [imminent danger] risk to the 48 health of the people and determine whether the summary order should be 49 50 left in effect, modified or vacated, and continue the hearing on all the 51 remaining charges, if any, in accordance with paragraph (f) of subdivi-52 sion ten of this section. Within ten days of the committee's recommendation, the commissioner shall determine whether or not to adopt the 54 committee's recommendations, in whole or in part, and shall leave in 55 effect, modify or vacate his summary order. The state board for professional medical conduct shall make every reasonable effort to avoid any

1 delay in completing and determining such proceedings. If, at the conclusion of the hearing, (i) the hearing committee of the board finds the licensee guilty of one or more of the charges which are the basis for the summary order, (ii) the hearing committee determines that the summary order continue, and (iii) the ninety day term of the order has not expired, the summary order shall remain in full force and effect until a final decision has been rendered by the committee or, if review is sought, by the administrative review board. A summary order shall be public upon issuance.

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(b) When a licensee has pleaded or been found guilty or convicted of committing an act constituting a felony under New York state law or federal law, or the law of another jurisdiction which, if committed within this state, would have constituted a felony under New York state law, or when a licensee has been charged with committing an act constituting a felony under New York state or federal law or the law of another jurisdiction, where the licensee's alleged conduct, which, if committed within this state, would have constituted a felony under New York state law, and [in the commissioner's opinion the licensee's alleged conduct constitutes an imminent danger] where the licensee's alleged conduct may present a risk to the health of the people, or when the duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another jurisdiction has made a finding substantially equivalent to a finding that the practice of medicine by the licensee in that jurisdiction [gonstitutes an immi- $\frac{nent\ danger}{}$] $\frac{presents\ a\ risk}{}$ to the health of its people, or when a licensee has been disciplined by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another jurisdiction for acts which if committed in this state would have constituted the basis for summary action by the commissioner pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subdivision, the commissioner, after a recommendation by a committee of professional conduct of the state board for professional medical conduct, may order the licensee, by written notice, to discontinue or refrain from practicing medicine in whole or in part or to take certain actions authorized pursuant to this title immediately. The order of the commissioner shall constitute summary action against the licensee and become public upon issuance. The summary suspension shall remain in effect until the final conclusion of a hearing which shall commence within ninety days of the date of service of the commissioner's order, end within [ninety] one hundred eighty days thereafter and otherwise be held in accordance with paragraph (a) of this subdivision, provided, however, that when the commissioner's order is based upon a finding substantially equivalent to 40 41 a finding that the practice of medicine by the licensee in another jurisdiction [constitutes an imminent danger] presents a risk to the health of its people, the hearing shall commence within thirty days 43 after the disciplinary proceedings in that jurisdiction are finally 44 concluded. If, at any time, the felony charge is dismissed, withdrawn or reduced to a non-felony charge, the commissioner's summary order shall

- § 13. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 of section 2803-e of the public health law, as amended by chapter 294 of the laws of 1985, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) Hospitals and other facilities approved pursuant to this article shall make a report or cause a report to be made within thirty days of the occurrence of any of the following: the suspension, restriction, termination or curtailment of the training, employment, association or professional privileges or the denial of the certification of completion 56 of training of an individual licensed pursuant to the provisions of

title eight of the education law or of a medical resident with such facility for reasons related in any way to alleged mental or physical impairment, incompetence, malpractice or misconduct or impairment of 3 patient safety or welfare; the voluntary or involuntary resignation or withdrawal of association or of privileges with such facility to avoid the imposition of disciplinary measures; notification by the hospital or 7 facility, to any entity providing personnel to perform professional services to such hospital or facility, that the entity shall not assign 9 a particular individual to provide such services to the hospital or facility, for reasons related in any way to alleged mental or physical 10 11 impairment, incompetence, malpractice or misconduct or impairment of patient safety or welfare; or the receipt of information which indicates 12 13 that any professional licensee or medical resident has been convicted of 14 a crime; the denial of staff privileges to a physician if the reasons stated for such denial are related to alleged mental or physical impair-15 16 ment, incompetence, malpractice, misconduct or impairment of patient 17 safety or welfare.

§ 14. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 18 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020. 19

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21 Section 1. Paragraphs 56 and 57 of subdivision (b) of schedule I of 22 section 3306 of the public health law, as added by section 4 of part BB 23 of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, are amended to read as follows:

- (56) [3,4-dichloro-N-{(1-dimethylamino) cyclohexylmethyl}benzamide] 3,4-dichloro-N-{(1-dimethylamino)cyclohexylmethyl}benzamide. Some trade or other names: AH-7921.
- 27 (57) [N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylagetamide (Agetyl Fentanyl) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylacetamide. Some trade or 28 29 other names: Acetyl Fentanyl.
- § 2. Subdivision (b) of schedule I of section 3306 of the public 31 health law is amended by adding twenty-four new paragraphs 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80 and 81 to read as follows:
 - (58) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylbutyramide. Other name: Butyryl Fentanyl.
 - (59) N-{1-{2-hydroxy-2-(thiophen-2-yl)ethyl}piperidin-4-yl}-N-phenylpropionamide. Other name: Beta-Hydroxythiofentanyl.
 - (60) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylfuran-2-carboxamide. Other name: Furanyl Fentanyl.
 - (61) 3,4-Dichloro-N-{2-(dimethylamino) cyclohexyl}-N-methylbenzamide. Other name: U-47700.
- 42 (62) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylacrylamide. Other names: 43 Acryl Fentanyl or Acryloylfentanyl.
- 44 (63) N-(4-fluorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)isobutyramide. 45 Other names: 4-fluoroisobutyryl fentanyl, para-fluoroisobutyryl fenta-46 nyl.
 - N-(2-fluorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)propionamide. Other names: ortho-fluorofentanyl or 2-fluorofentanyl.
- 49 (65) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenyltetrahydrofuran-2-carbox-50 amide. Other name: tetrahydrofuranyl fentanyl.
- 51 (66) 2-methoxy-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylacetamide. Other 52 name: methoxyacetyl fentanyl.
- 53 (67) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylcyclopropanecarboxamide. Other name: cyclopropyl fentanyl.

- 1 (68) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylpentanamide. Other name: 2 Valeryl fentanyl.
- 3 (69) N-(4-fluorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)butyramide. Other 4 name: para-fluorobutyrylfentanyl.
 - (70) N-(4-methoxyphenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)butyramide.
- 6 Other name: para-methoxybutyryl fentanyl.

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- 7 (71) N-(4-chlorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)isobutyramide. 8 Other name: para-chloroisobutyryl fentanyl.
- 9 (72) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylisobutyramide. Other name: 10 isobutyryl fentanyl.
- 11 (73) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylcyclopentanecarboxamide. 12 Other name: cyclopentyl fentanyl.
- 13 (74) N-(2-fluorophenyl)-2-methoxy-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)acetam-14 ide. Other name: Ocfentanil.
- 15 (75) 1-cyclohexyl-4-(1,2-diphenylethyl)piperazine. Other name: MT-45.
- 16 (76) N-(1-(2-fluorophenethyl)piperidin-4-yl)-N-(2-fluorophenyl)propion-17 amide. Some trade or other names: 2'-fluoro ortho-fluorofentanyl.
- 18 (77) N-(2-methylphenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)acetamide. Some 19 trade or other names: ortho-methyl acetylfentanyl.
- 20 (78) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N,3-diphenylpropanamide. Some 21 trade or other names: beta'-phenyl fentanyl; hydrocinnamoyl fentanyl.
- 22 (79) N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylthiophene-2-carboxamide. 23 Some trade or other names: thiofuranyl fentanyl.
- 24 (80) (E)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylbut-2-enamide. Some 25 trade or other names: crotonyl fentanyl.
- 26 (81) Fentanyl-related substances, their isomers, esters, ethers, salts
 27 and salts of isomers, esters and ethers. Fentanyl-related substance
 28 means any substance not otherwise listed in this section, that is struc29 turally related to fentanyl by one or more of the following modifica30 tions:
- 31 (i) Replacement of the phenyl portion of the phenethyl group by any 32 monocycle, whether or not further substituted in or on the monocycle;
 - (ii) Substitution in or on the phenethyl group with alkyl, alkenyl, alkoxyl, hydroxyl, halo, haloalkyl, amino or nitro groups;
 - (iii) Substitution in or on the piperidine ring with alkyl, alkenyl, alkoxyl, ester, ether, hydroxyl, halo, haloalkyl, amino or nitro groups;
- 37 <u>(iv) Replacement of the aniline ring with any aromatic monocycle</u>
 38 <u>whether or not further substituted in or on the aromatic monocycle;</u>
 39 <u>and/or</u>
 - (v) Replacement of the N-propionyl group by another acyl group.
 - § 3. Subdivision (c) of schedule II of section 3306 of the public health law is amended by adding two new paragraphs 29 and 30 to read as follows:
 - (29) Thiafentanil.
 - (30) Norfentanyl.
 - § 4. Section 3308 of the public health law is amended by adding a new subdivision 7 to read as follows:
 - 7. The commissioner may, by regulation, classify as a schedule I controlled substance in section three thousand three hundred six of this article any substance listed in Schedule I of the federal schedules of controlled substances in 21 USC § 812 or 21 CFR § 1308.11.
- § 5. Severability clause. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivi-53 sion, section or part of this act shall be adjudged by any court of 54 competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, 55 impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in
- 56 its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section

1 or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered. It is hereby declared to be the intent of the legislature that this act would have been enacted even if such 3 invalid provisions had not been included herein.

§ 6. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law.

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8 Section 1. The public health law is amended by adding a new section 9 2803-z to read as follows:

- § 2803-z. 1. Every general hospital and nursing home shall establish and implement an antibiotic stewardship program that meets or exceeds 11 federal Medicare and Medicaid conditions of participation for antimicrobial stewardship programs in health care facilities. Additionally, such program shall incorporate an ongoing process to measure the impact of the program, including review, at least annually, of antimicrobial utilization data with development of response plans for high or increasing utilization.
 - 2. Every general hospital and nursing home shall establish and implement training regarding antimicrobial resistance and infection prevention and control, or ensure that such training has taken place, in addition to or within existing infection control training programs, for all individuals licensed or certified pursuant to title eight of the education law who provide direct patient care.
 - 3. The commissioner shall make such rules and regulations as may be necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of this section.
 - § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

31 PART O

Section 1. Subdivisions 1, 4-b, and 7 of section 2805-i of the public health law, subdivision 1 as amended by section 1 of part HH of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, paragraph (c) of subdivision 1 as amended by chapter 681 of the laws of 2019, subdivisions 4-b and 7 as added by chapter 1 of the laws of 2000, subparagraph 1 of paragraph (b) and paragraph (c) of subdivision 4-b as amended by chapter 292 of the laws of 2008, and subdivision 7 as renumbered by chapter 407 of the laws of 2018, are amended to read as follows:

- 1. [Every When an alleged victim of a sexual offense seeks services from a hospital with an emergency department, such hospital [providing treatment to alleged victims of a sexual offense | shall be responsible
- (a) maintaining sexual offense evidence and the chain of custody as provided in subdivision two of this section;
- (b) contacting a rape crisis or victim assistance organization, if any, providing victim assistance to the geographic area served by that hospital to establish the coordination of non-medical services to sexual offense victims who request such coordination and services;
- (c) offering and making available appropriate HIV post-exposure treat-51 ment therapies; including a full regimen of HIV post-exposure prophylaxis, in cases where it has been determined, in accordance with guidelines

issued by the commissioner, that a significant exposure to HIV has occurred. With the consent of the victim of a sexual assault, the hospital emergency room department shall provide or arrange for an appointment for medical follow-up related to HIV post-exposure prophylaxis and other care as appropriate, and inform the victim that payment assistance for such care may be available from the office of victim services pursuant to the provisions of article twenty-two of the executive law; [and]

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- (d) ensuring sexual assault survivors are not billed for sexual assault forensic exams and are notified orally and in writing of the option to decline to provide private health insurance information and have the office of victim services reimburse the hospital for the exam pursuant to subdivision thirteen of section six hundred thirty-one of the executive law[-];
- (e) ensuring that the victim, absent exigent circumstances, is met by a sexual assault forensic examiner within sixty minutes of arriving at the hospital and that the victim, upon consent, is promptly examined by such sexual assault forensic examiner in a private room designated for such examinations;
- (1) the term examination means the sexual assault medical forensic examination, which may include, upon consent of the victim, gathering information from the victim for the medical forensic history; a medical examination; coordinating treatment of injuries, documentation of biological and physical findings, and collection of evidence from the victim using the sexual offense evidence collection kit; documentation of findings; information, treatment, and referrals for sexually transmitted infections, pregnancy, suicidal ideation, alcohol and substance abuse, and other nonacute medical concerns; and assessment for additional treatment and services.
- (2) the sexual assault forensic examiner shall be a nurse practitioner, physician assistant, registered nurse or physician specially trained and certified in forensic examination of sexual offense victims and the preservation of forensic evidence in such cases, pursuant to regulations promulgated by the commissioner. A sexual assault forensic examiner shall be available on a twenty-four hour a day basis every day of the year.
- (3) during the examination, an obstetrician/gynecologist or other appropriate medical doctor shall be readily available to the forensic examiner if there is a need for more specialized medical evaluation or treatment.
- (4) promptly after the examination is completed, the victim shall be permitted to shower, be provided with a change of clothing, and receive follow-up information, counseling, medical treatment and referrals for same;
- (f) designating a qualified staff person to exercise administrative and clinical oversight of the treatment of sexual assault patients who seek care in the hospital's emergency department, and develop policies and procedures to guarantee sufficient staffing to meet the requirements of this section;
- (g) ensuring that all emergency department personnel receive training 50 regarding standards of care for assessment and treatment of victims of 51 sexual assault. Such training shall be provided by October first, two 52 thousand twenty and at least annually thereafter;
- 53 (h) beginning March first, two thousand twenty-one, and annually ther-54 eafter, hospitals with an emergency department shall provide an attestation to the department, which shall:

- (1) detail the number of duly trained and certified sexual assault forensic examiners available to the hospital, pursuant to paragraph (e) of this subdivision;
- (2) list the name and contact information of the staff person who has been designated by the hospital to oversee the treatment of sexual assault patients, pursuant to paragraph (f) of this subdivision; and
- (3) affirm that the hospital has completed trainings regarding standards of care for assessment and treatment of victims of sexual assault, pursuant to paragraph (q) of this subdivision; and
- 10 <u>(i) a hospital without an emergency department shall establish a</u>
 11 <u>protocol for the transfer of sexual assault victims to a hospital with</u>
 12 <u>an emergency department. The protocol must address all patient needs,</u>
 13 <u>including, but not limited to:</u>
- 14 (1) requirements to obtain consent from the sexual assault victim for 15 the transfer;
 - (2) measures to ensure minimal delay in care;
 - (3) procedures to prevent loss of evidence; and
- 18 (4) protocols for providing care if the sexual assault victim declines
 19 a transfer to a hospital with an emergency department. Such a protocol
 20 may include having a sexual assault forensic examiner come to the hospi21 tal.
 - [4-b. (a) The commissioner shall, with the consent of the directors of interested hospitals in the state and in consultation with the commissioner of the division of criminal justice services, designate hospitals in the state as the sites of a twenty-four hour sexual assault forensic examiner program. The hospital sites shall be designated in urban, suburban and rural areas to give as many state residents as possible ready access to the sexual assault forensic examiner program. The commissioner, in consultation with the commissioner of the division of criminal justice services, shall consider the following criteria when designating these sexual assault forensic examiner program sites:
 - (1) the location of the hospital;

- (2) the hospital's capacity to provide on-site comprehensive medical services to victims of sexual offenses;
- (3) the capacity of the hospital site to coordinate services for victims of sexual offenses including medical treatment, rape crisis counseling, psychological support, law enforcement assistance and forensic evidence collection;
- (4) the hospital's capacity to provide access to the sexual assault forensic examiner site for disabled victims;
 - (5) the hospital's existing services for victims of sexual offenses;
- (6) the capacity of the hospital site to collect uniform data and insure confidentiality of such data; and
- (7) the hospital's compliance with state and federally mandated standards of medical care.
- (b) Each sexual assault forensic examiner program site designated pursuant to this subdivision shall comply with the requirements of subdivisions one, two and three of this section, and shall also provide treatment to the victim as follows:
- (1) The victim shall, absent exigent circumstances, be met by a sexual assault forensic examiner within sixty minutes of arriving at the hospital, who shall be a nurse practitioner, physician assistant, registered nurse or physician specially trained in forensic examination of sexual offense victims and the preservation of forensic evidence in such cases and certified as qualified to provide such services pursuant to regulations promulgated by the commissioner. Such program shall assure that

such a specially-trained forensic examiner is on-call and available on a twenty-four hour a day basis every day of the year.

- (2) An examination of the victim shall be performed promptly by such forensic examiner in a private room designated for such examinations. An obstetrician/gynecologist or other appropriate medical doctor shall be readily available to the forensic examiner if there is a need for more specialized medical evaluation or treatment.
- (3) Promptly after the examination is completed, the victim shall be permitted to shower, be provided with a change of clothing, and receive follow-up information, counseling, medical treatment and referrals for 11 same.
- (c) Nothing in this subdivision shall affect the existence or contin-13 ued existence of any program in this state through which a trained nurse 14 practitioner, physician assistant, registered nurse or physician is 15 providing appropriate forensic examinations and related services to 16 **survivors of sexual assault.**]
- 7. On or before November thirtieth, two thousand [two] twenty-three, the commissioner shall make a report to the governor, the temporary president of the senate and the speaker of the assembly concerning the 20 <u>use and effectiveness of</u> sexual assault forensic [examiner program 21 established under subdivision four b of this section examiners in 22 providing treatment to alleged victims of a sexual offense, as set forth in subdivision one of this section. Such report shall include an evalu-24 ation of [the efficacy of such program in obtaining useful forensic 25 evidence in sexual offense cases and assuring hospitals' ability to 26 **provide** quality treatment to [sex] sexual offense victims. [Such report 27 shall also recommend whether this program should be expanded and shall estimate the financial cost, if any, of such expansion. 28
- § 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2020; provided, however, that if chapter 681 of the laws of 2019 shall not have taken effect on or before such date then the amendments to paragraph (c) of subdivision one of section 2805-i of the public health law made by section one of 33 this act shall take effect on the same date and in the same manner as 34 such chapter. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or 35 repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of 36 this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed 37 on or before such effective date.

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Section 1. Subdivisions 1 and 4 of section 1119 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 61 of the laws of 1989, are amended to read as follows:

- 1. At the time of submitting a plan for approval as required by this article, a filing fee computed at the rate of [twelve dollars and fifty cents | fifty dollars per lot shall be paid to the department or to the city, county or part-county health district wherein such plans are filed.
- 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of this title the commissioner [of health] is empowered to make administrative arrangements with the commissioner of environmental conservation for joint or cooperative 50 administration of this title and title fifteen of article seventeen of 51 the environmental conservation law, such that only one plan must be 52 filed and only one fee totaling [twenty-five] one hundred dollars per 53 lot must be paid.

- § 2. Subdivision 4 of section 1393 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 439 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:
- 4. The fee for a permit shall be [two] eight hundred dollars, except that no fee shall be charged in the case of a children's overnight, summer day or traveling summer day camp operated by a person, firm, corporation or association for charitable, philanthropic or religious purposes.
- § 3. Subdivision 2 of section 3551 of the public health law, as added by chapter 378 of the laws of 1990, is amended to read as follows:
- 2. The department shall license each applicant who submits an application on a form prescribed by the commissioner and meets the requirements of this article and any rules or regulations promulgated pursuant to this article, upon payment of a registration fee of [thirty] one hundred twenty dollars.
- § 4. Subdivision 1 of section 3554 of the public health law, as added by chapter 378 of the laws of 1990, is amended to read as follows:
- 1. The commissioner shall inspect each tanning facility licensed under this article and each ultraviolet radiation device used, offered, or made available for use in such facility, not less than biennially. The commissioner may establish a fee for such inspection, which shall not exceed [fifty] two hundred dollars per ultraviolet radiation device; provided, however, that no facility shall be required to pay any such fee on more than one occasion in any biennial registration period. The commissioner may appoint and designate, from time to time, persons to make the inspections authorized by this article.
- § 5. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 2 of section 905 of the labor law, as added by chapter 166 of the laws of 1991, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) The commissioner of health shall assess a fee of no more than [twenty] fifty dollars for each asbestos safety program completion certificate requested by the training sponsor for each full asbestos safety program and a fee of no more than [twelve] thirty dollars for each asbestos safety program completion certificate requested by the training sponsor for each refresher training asbestos safety program, provided, however, that in no event shall the cost of such certificates be assessed by the sponsor against the participants.
 - § 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

39 PART Q

Section 1. The public health law is amended by adding three new 41 sections 1399-mm-1, 1399-mm-2, and 1399-mm-3 to read as follows:

§ 1399-mm-1. Sale of flavored products prohibited. 1. For the purposes of this section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(a) "Flavored" shall mean any electronic cigarette, liquid nicotine, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, with a distinguishable taste or aroma, other than the taste or aroma of tobacco, imparted either prior to or during consumption of such product or a component part thereof, including but not limited to tastes or aromas relating to any fruit, chocolate, vanilla, honey, candy, cocoa, dessert, alcoholic beverage, mint, wintergreen, menthol, herb or spice, or any concept flavor that imparts a taste or aroma that is distinguishable from tobacco flavor but may not relate to any particular known flavor. An electronic cigarette, liquid nicotine, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected

to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, shall be presumed to be flavored if a product's retailer, manufacturer, or a manufacturer's agent or employee has made a statement or claim directed to consumers or the public, whether expressed or implied, that such product or device has a distinguishable taste or aroma other than the taste or aroma of tobacco.

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- (b) "Liquid nicotine" shall have the same meaning as set forth in section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-cc of this article.
- 9 2. No person shall sell or offer for sale at retail in the state any
 10 flavored electronic cigarette, flavored liquid nicotine, or other
 11 flavored vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with
 12 or for the consumption of nicotine.
 - 3. Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not more than one hundred dollars for each individual package of flavored electronic cigarette, flavored liquid nicotine, or other flavored vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine sold or offered for sale, provided, however, that with respect to a manufacturer, it shall be an affirmative defense to a finding of violation pursuant to this section that such sale or offer of sale, as applicable, occurred without the knowledge, consent, authorization, or involvement, direct or indirect, of such manufacturer. Violations of this section shall be enforced pursuant to section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-ff of this article, except that any person may submit a complaint to an enforcement officer that a violation of this section has occurred.
 - § 1399-mm-2. Sale in pharmacies. No tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, shall be sold in a pharmacy or in a retail establishment that contains a pharmacy operated as a department as defined by paragraph (f) of subdivision two of section sixty-eight hundred eight of the education law.
 - § 1399-mm-3. Carrier oils. 1. For the purposes of this section "carrier oils" shall mean any ingredient of a vapor product intended to control the consistency or other physical characteristics of such vapor product, to control the consistency or other physical characteristics of vapor, or to facilitate the production of vapor when such vapor product is used in an electronic cigarette. "Carrier oils" shall not include any product approved by the United States food and drug administration as a drug or medical device or manufactured and dispensed pursuant to title five-A of article thirty-three of this chapter.
 - 2. The commissioner is authorized to promulgate rules and regulations governing the sale and distribution of carrier oils. Such regulations may, to the extent deemed by the commissioner as necessary for the protection of public health, prohibit or restrict the selling, offering for sale, possessing with intent to sell, or distributing of carrier oils.
- 3. The provisions of this section shall not apply where preempted by federal law. Furthermore, the provisions of this section shall be severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, or provision is declared to be invalid, or is preempted by federal law or regulation, the validi-ty of the remainder of this section shall not be affected thereby. If any provision of this section is declared to be inapplicable to any specific category, type, or kind of carrier oil, the provisions of this section shall nonetheless continue to apply with respect to all other carrier oils.

§ 2. Section 1399-n of the public health law is amended by adding a new subdivision 3-a to read as follows:

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- 3 3-a. "Indoor area" means any area with a full or partial roof cover-4 ing; provided, however, that with respect to facilities licensed pursu-5 ant to article thirteen of the racing, pari-mutuel wagering and breeding 6 law only, "indoor area" shall mean an area with a roof or ceiling in 7 place, including a fixed or movable roof or ceiling, where the total 8 actual area of the wall surfaces exceeds seventy-five percent of the 9 total notional wall area, and which allow the free flow of air without 10 the assistance of mechanical ventilation, as defined by the commissioner. The commissioner may determine and enforce a lower percentage of 11 total actual area to notional wall area, as deemed necessary to protect 12 the public health and the intent of this article; provided, however, 13 14 that the maximum percentage determined is no lower than fifty percent of the total notional wall area. The commissioner shall promulgate such 15 16 rules and regulations as are necessary to define notional wall area, 17 mechanical ventilation, and related building specifications needed to make a determination of whether or not a structure falls within the 18 19 <u>definition</u> of indoor area.
 - § 3. Section 6808 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 9 to read as follows:
 - 9. No tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, as such terms are defined by section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-aa of the public health law, shall be sold or offered for sale at a registered pharmacy or an establishment where a pharmacy department is located.
 - § 4. Section 1399-aa of the public health law is amended by adding five new subdivisions 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 to read as follows:
 - 14. "Price reduction instrument" means any coupon, voucher, rebate, card, paper, note, form, statement, ticket, image, or other issue, whether in paper, digital, or any other form, used for commercial purposes to receive an article, product, service, or accommodation without charge or at a discounted price.
 - 15. "Tobacco menu" means a booklet, pamphlet, or other listing of tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, or electronic cigarettes offered for sale by a retail dealer which includes the price of such products. A tobacco menu may contain pictures of and advertisements for tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, or electronic cigarettes.
- 41 <u>16. "Menu cover page" means the front cover of a tobacco menu or, if</u> 42 <u>there is no front cover, the first page of such tobacco menu.</u>
- 17. "Vapor products" means any noncombustible liquid or gel, regard-less of the presence of nicotine therein, that is manufactured into a finished product for use in an electronic cigarette. "Vapor product" shall not include any product approved by the United States food and drug administration as a drug or medical device, or manufactured and dispensed pursuant to title five-A of article thirty-three of this chapter.
- 18. "Vapor products dealer" means a person licensed by the commissioner of tax and finance to sell vapor products in this state.
- 52 § 5. The section heading and subdivisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 of section 53 1399-ll of the public health law, the section heading and subdivisions 54 2, 3, and 4 as added by chapter 262 of the laws of 2000, and subdivision 55 1 as amended by chapter 342 of the laws of 2013, are amended to read as 56 follows:

Unlawful shipment or transport of cigarettes and electronic cigarettes. 1. It shall be unlawful for any person engaged in the busi-3 ness of selling cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, to ship or cause to be shipped any cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for 7 the consumption of nicotine, to any person in this state who is not: (a) 9 a person licensed as a cigarette tax agent or wholesale dealer under 10 article twenty of the tax law or registered retail dealer under section 11 four hundred eighty-a of the tax law; (b) an export warehouse proprietor pursuant to chapter 52 of the internal revenue code or an operator of a 12 13 customs bonded warehouse pursuant to section 1311 or 1555 of title 19 of 14 the United States Code; [ex] (c) a vapor products dealer registered with 15 the commissioner of taxation and finance pursuant to article twenty-eight-C of the tax law; or (d) a person who is an officer, 16 17 employee or agent of the United States government, this state or a department, agency, instrumentality or political subdivision of the 18 United States or this state and presents himself or herself as such, 19 20 when such person is acting in accordance with his or her official 21 duties. For purposes of this subdivision, a person is a licensed or registered agent or dealer described in paragraph (a) of this subdivi-22 sion if his or her name appears on a list of licensed or registered 23 agents or dealers published by the department of taxation and finance, 24 25 or if such person is licensed or registered as an agent or dealer under 26 article twenty of the tax law.

2. It shall be unlawful for any common or contract carrier to knowingly transport cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to any person in this state reasonably believed by such carrier to be other than a person described in paragraph (a), (b) [ex], (c), or (d) of subdivision one of this section. For purposes of the preceding sentence, if cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine are transported to a home or residence, it shall be presumed that the common or contract carrier knew that such person was not a person described in paragraph (a), (b) [ex], (c), or (d) of subdivision one of this section. It shall be unlawful for any other person to knowingly transport cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to any person in this state, other than to a person described in paragraph (a), (b) [ex], (c), or (d) of subdivision one of this section. Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to prohibit a person other than a common or contract carrier from transporting not more than eight hundred cigarettes at any one time to any person in this state.

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3. When a person engaged in the business of selling cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine ships or causes to be shipped any cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to any 54 person in this state, other than in the cigarette manufacturer's original container or wrapping, the container or wrapping must be plainly and visibly marked with the [words "cigarettes", "electronic cigarettes", or "liquid nicotine", as applicable.

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- 4. Whenever a police officer designated in section 1.20 of the criminal procedure law or a peace officer designated in subdivision four of section 2.10 of such law, acting pursuant to his or her special duties, shall discover any cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine which have been or which are being shipped or transported in violation of this section, such person is hereby empowered and authorized to seize and take possession of such cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, and such cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine shall be subject to a forfeiture action pursuant to the procedures provided for in article thirteen-A of the civil practice law and rules, as if such article specifically provided for forfeiture of cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine, and/or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine seized pursuant to this section as a pre-conviction forfeiture crime.
- § 6. Section 1399-bb of the public health law, as amended by chapter 508 of the laws of 2000, the section heading as amended by chapter 4 of the laws of 2018, subdivision 2 as amended by chapter 13 of the laws of 2003, and paragraphs (b), (c), and (f) of subdivision 2 and subdivisions 4 and 5 as amended by chapter 100 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:
- § 1399-bb. Distribution of tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes or herbal cigarettes without charge. 1. No person engaged in the business of selling or otherwise distributing tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes for commercial purposes, or any agent or employee of such person, shall knowingly, in furtherance of such business:
- (a) distribute without charge any tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes to any individual, provided that the distribution of a package containing tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes in violation of this subdivision shall constitute a single violation without regard to the number of items in the package; or
- (b) distribute [coupons] price reduction instruments which are redeemable for tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes to any individual, provided that this subdivision shall not apply to coupons contained in newspapers, magazines or other types of publications, coupons obtained through the purchase of tobacco products electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes or 54 obtained at locations which sell tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal

cigarettes provided that such distribution is confined to a designated area or to coupons sent through the mail.

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- 1-a. No person engaged in the business of selling or otherwise distributing tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine for commercial purposes, or any agent or employee of such person, shall knowingly, in furtherance of such business:
- (a) honor or accept a price reduction instrument in any transaction related to the sale of tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to a consumer;
- (b) sell or offer for sale any tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to a consumer through any multi-package discount or otherwise provide to a consumer any tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine for less than the listed price in exchange for the purchase of any other tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine by such consumer;
- (c) sell, offer for sale, or otherwise provide any product other than a tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to a consumer for less than the listed price in exchange for the purchase of a tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine by such consumer; or
- (d) sell, offer for sale, or otherwise provide a tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to a consumer for less than the listed price.
- 2. The prohibitions contained in subdivision one of this section shall not apply to the following locations:
- (a) private social functions when seating arrangements are under the control of the sponsor of the function and not the owner, operator, manager or person in charge of such indoor area;
- (b) conventions and trade shows; provided that the distribution is confined to designated areas generally accessible only to persons over the age of twenty-one;
- (c) events sponsored by tobacco, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarette manufacturers provided that the distribution is confined to designated areas generally accessible only to persons over the age of twenty-one;
- (d) bars as defined in subdivision one of section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-n of this chapter;
- (e) tobacco businesses as defined in subdivision eight of section 54 thirteen hundred ninety-nine-aa of this article;
- (f) factories as defined in subdivision nine of section thirteen 55 56 hundred ninety-nine-aa of this article and construction sites; provided

that the distribution is confined to designated areas generally accessible only to persons over the age of twenty-one.

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- 3. No person shall distribute tobacco products, electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes at the locations set forth in paragraphs (b), (c) and (f) of subdivision two of this section unless such person gives five days written notice to the enforcement officer.
- 4. No person engaged in the business of selling or otherwise distributing electronic liquids, electronic cigarettes, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine for commercial purposes, or any agent or employee of such person, shall knowingly, in furtherance of such business, distribute without charge any electronic cigarettes to any individual under twenty-one years of age.
- 5. The distribution of tobacco products, electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarettes pursuant to subdivision two of this section or the distribution without charge of electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, shall be made only to an individual who demonstrates, through (a) a driver's license or [other photographic] non-driver identification card issued by [a government entity or educational institution the commissioner of motor vehicles, the federal government, any United States territory, commonwealth, or possession, the District of Columbia, a state government within the United States, or a provincial government of the dominion of Canada, (b) a valid passport issued by the United States government or the government of any other country, or (c) an identification card issued by the armed forces of the United States, indicating that the individual is at least twenty-one years of age. Such identification need not be required of any individual who reasonably appears to be at least twenty-five years of age; provided, 34 however, that such appearance shall not constitute a defense in any proceeding alleging the sale of a tobacco product, electronic cigarette, electronic liquid, other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine, or herbal cigarette or the distribution without charge of electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to an individual.
 - 7. Subdivision 7 of section 1399-cc of the public health law, as amended by chapter 100 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read follows:
- 7. (a) No person operating a place of business wherein tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, liquid nicotine, shisha or electronic cigarettes are sold or offered for sale shall sell, permit to be sold, offer for sale or display for sale any tobacco product, herbal cigarettes, liquid nicotine, shisha or electronic cigarettes in any manner, unless such products and cigarettes are stored for sale $[\frac{(a)}{(a)}]$ (i) behind a counter in an area accessible only to the personnel of such business, or (ti) in a locked container; provided, however, such restriction shall not apply to tobacco businesses, as defined in subdivision eight of section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-aa of this article, and to plac-54 es to which admission is restricted to persons twenty-one years of age or older.

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- (b) In addition to the requirements set forth in paragraph (a) of this subdivision, no retailer of tobacco and/or vapor products shall permit the display of any tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine in a manner that permits a consumer to view any such item prior to purchase, except: (i) at the direct request of a customer at least twenty-one years of age, where such retailer allows such customer to handle such item, packaged or otherwise, for the purpose of inspecting such item prior to purchase; or
- (ii) where such items are temporarily visible during the restocking, sale, or carriage into or out of the premises of such items.
- (c) No tobacco and/or vapor products retailer shall display or permit the display of any tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine for any longer than necessary to complete the purposes identified in subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of paragraph (b) of this subdivision.
- (d) No tobacco and/or vapor products retailer shall store any tobacco menu in a location where it is visible to customers or accessible to customers without the assistance of such retailer. A tobacco menu shall also contain a menu cover page that shall prevent the inadvertent viewing of promotional material or other material contained within such tobacco menu.
- (e) No tobacco and/or vapor products retailer shall provide any tobacco menu or tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine to any individual who has not demonstrated, through identification which meets the requirements of subdivision three of this section, that such individual is at least twenty-one years of age. Such identification need not be required of any individual who reasonably appears to be over the age of twentyfive, provided, however, that such appearance shall not constitute a defense in any proceeding alleging the sale of such item to an individual under twenty-one years of age. It shall be an affirmative defense to a violation of this subdivision that the tobacco and/or vapor products retailer successfully performed a transaction scan of an individual's identification and that a tobacco menu, tobacco product, herbal cigarette, electronic liquid, electronic cigarette, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine was provided to such individual in reasonable reliance upon such identification and transaction scan.
- (f) After a customer has completed viewing a tobacco menu, the retailer of tobacco and/or vapor products shall immediately return such tobacco menu to its storage location.
- (g) Unless required otherwise by rule or regulation of the department, the menu cover page of a tobacco menu shall be blank or contain only the words "Tobacco Menu" and shall not contain any advertising or other promotional material.
- \S 8. The general business law is amended by adding a new section 396bbb to read as follows:
- § 396-bbb. Restrictions on electronic cigarette and electronic liquid advertisements. 1. No manufacturer, distributor, and/or retailer of 54 electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption 55 of nicotine shall advertise or disseminate, or cause to be advertised or

- disseminated, any advertising for electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine other than in publications, whether for periodic or limited distribution, that such manufacturer, distributor, and/or retailer demonstrates is an adult publication.
- 2. Advertising of electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine by a manufacturer, distributor, and/or retailer in an audio or video format, including but not limited to advertising on websites and social media platforms, shall be limited as follows:
- (a) audio formats shall be limited to words only, with no music or sound effects; and
- (b) video formats shall be limited to static black text only on a white background, and any audio with such videos shall be limited to words only, with no music or sound effects.
- 3. No manufacturer, distributor, and/or retailer of electronic cigarettes, electronic liquids, or other vapor products intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine shall advertise or cause to be advertised, disseminate or cause to be disseminated, false or misleading statements. Such false or misleading statements include but shall not be limited to statements indicating or suggesting to a reasonable person: (a) that an electronic cigarette, an electronic liquid, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine is a smoking cessation product, unless such electronic cigarette, electronic liquid, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine is approved by the United States food and drug administration as such; or (b) that an electronic cigarette, an electronic liquid, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine is safe, unless such electronic cigarette, electronic liquid, or other vapor product intended or reasonably expected to be used with or for the consumption of nicotine has received marketing approval from the United States food and drug administration.
- 4. For the purposes of this section "adult publication" shall mean a newspaper, magazine, periodical, website, social media platform, or other publication:
- (a) whose readers younger than twenty-one years of age constitute fifteen percent or less of the total readership or viewership, as measured by competent and reliable survey evidence; and
- (b) that is read or viewed by fewer than two million persons younger than twenty-one years of age as measured by competent and reliable survey evidence.
- § 9. The public health law is amended by adding a new article 17 to read as follows:

ARTICLE 17

INGREDIENT DISCLOSURES FOR

VAPOR PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES

Section 1700. Definitions.

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1701. Disclosure.

1702. Penalties.

§ 1700. Definitions. As used in this article, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

1. "Vapor products" shall have the same meaning as defined by section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-aa of this chapter.

- 2. "Electronic cigarette" or "e-cigarette" shall have the same meaning as defined by section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-aa of this chapter.
 - 3. "Ingredient" shall mean all of the following:

- (a) any intentional additive present in any quantity in a vapor product;
- (b) a byproduct or contaminant, present in a vapor product in any quantity equal to or greater than one-half of one percent of the content of such product by weight, or other amount determined by the commissioner:
- (c) a byproduct present in a vapor product in any quantity less than one-half of one percent of the content of such product by weight, provided such element or compound has been published as a chemical of concern on one or more lists identified by the commissioner; and
- (d) a contaminant present in a vapor product in a quantity determined by the commissioner and less than one-half of one percent of the content of such product by weight, provided such element or compound has been published as a chemical of concern on one or more lists identified by the commissioner.
- 4. "Intentionally added ingredient" shall mean any element or compound that a manufacturer has intentionally added to a vapor product at any point in such product's supply chain, or at any point in the supply chain of any raw material or ingredient used to manufacture such product.
- 5. "Byproduct" shall mean any element or compound in the finished vapor product, or in the vapor produced during consumption of a vapor product, which: (a) was created or formed during the manufacturing process as an intentional or unintentional consequence of such manufacturing process at any point in such product's supply chain, or at any point in the supply chain of any raw material or ingredient used to manufacture such product; or (b) is created or formed as an intentional or unintentional consequence of the use of an e-cigarette or consumption of a vapor product. "Byproduct" shall include, but is not limited to, an unreacted raw material, a breakdown product of an intentionally added ingredient, a breakdown product of any component part of an e-cigarette, or a derivative of the manufacturing process.
- 6. "Contaminant" shall mean any element or compound made present in a vapor product as an unintentional consequence of manufacturing. Contaminants include, but are not limited to, elements or compounds present in the environment which were introduced into a product, a raw material, or a product ingredient as a result of the use of an environmental medium, such as naturally occurring water, or other materials used in the manufacturing process at any point in a product's supply chain, or at any point in the supply chain of any raw material or ingredient used to manufacture such product.
- 7. "Manufacturer" shall mean any person, firm, association, partner-ship, limited liability company, or corporation which produces, prepares, formulates, or compounds a vapor product or e-cigarette, or whose brand name is affixed to such product. In the case of a vapor product or e-cigarette imported into the United States, "manufacturer" shall mean the importer or first domestic distributor of such product if the entity that manufactures such product or whose brand name is affixed to such product does not have a presence in the United States.
- § 1701. Disclosure. 1. Manufacturers of vapor products or e-cigarettes distributed, sold, or offered for sale in this state, whether at retail or wholesale, shall furnish to the commissioner for public record and post on such manufacturer's website, in a manner prescribed by the

commissioner that is readily accessible to the public and machine readable, information regarding such products pursuant to rules or requ-<u>lations</u> which shall be promulgated by the commissioner.

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- (a) For each vapor product, the information posted pursuant to this subdivision shall include, but shall not be limited to:
- (i) a list naming each ingredient of such vapor product in descending order of predominance by weight in such product, except that ingredients present at a weight below one percent may be listed following other ingredients without respect to the order of predominance by weight;
- 10 (ii) the nature and extent of investigations and research performed by 11 or for the manufacturer concerning the effects on human health of such product or its ingredients; 12
- (iii) where applicable, a statement disclosing that an ingredient of 13 14 such product is published as a chemical of concern on one or more lists identified by the commissioner; and 15
 - (iv) for each ingredient published as a chemical of concern on one or more lists identified by the commissioner, an evaluation of the availability of potential alternatives and potential hazards posed by such alternatives.
 - (b) For each e-cigarette capable of being re-filled by a final consumer, the information posted pursuant to this subdivision shall include, but shall not be limited to:
 - (i) a list naming each byproduct that may be introduced into vapor produced during the normal use of such e-cigarette;
 - (ii) the nature and extent of investigations and research performed by or for the manufacturer concerning the effects on human health of such product or such ingredients;
 - (iii) where applicable, a statement disclosing that an ingredient is published as a chemical of concern on one or more lists identified by the commissioner; and
- (iv) for each ingredient published as a chemical of concern on one or 32 more lists identified by the commissioner, an evaluation of the availability of potential alternatives and potential hazards posed by such 33 34 alternatives.
 - 2. Manufacturers shall furnish the information required to be posted pursuant to subdivision one of this section on or before January first, two thousand twenty-one, and every two years thereafter. In addition, such manufacturers shall furnish such information prior to the sale of any new vapor product or e-cigarette, when the formulation of a currently disclosed product is changed such that the predominance of the ingredients in such product is changed, when any list of chemicals of concern identified by the commissioner pursuant to this article is changed to include an ingredient present in a vapor product or e-cigarette subject to this article, or at such other times as may be required by the commissioner.
 - 3. The information required to be posted pursuant to subdivision one of this section shall be made available to the public by the commissioner and manufacturers, in accordance with this section, with the exception of those portions which a manufacturer determines, subject to the approval of the commissioner, are related to a proprietary process the disclosure of which would compromise such manufacturer's competitive position. The commissioner shall not approve any exceptions under this subdivision with respect to any ingredient published as a chemical of concern on one or more lists identified by the commissioner.
- 55 § 1702. Penalties. Notwithstanding any other provision of this chap-56 ter, any manufacturer who violates any of the provisions of, or who

fails to perform any duty imposed by, this article or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder, shall be liable, in the case of a first violation, for a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars. In the case of a second or any subsequent violation, the liability shall be for a civil penalty not to exceed ten thousand dollars for each such violation.

- § 10. Subdivision 2 and paragraphs (e) and (f) of subdivision 3 of section 1399-ee of the public health law, as amended by chapter 162 of the laws of 2002, are amended to read as follows:
- 2. If the enforcement officer determines after a hearing that a violation of this article has occurred, he or she shall impose a civil penalty of a minimum of [three hundred] one thousand dollars, but not to exceed $[\begin{array}{c} \underline{\text{one}} \end{array}]$ $\underline{\text{two}}$ thousand dollars for a first violation, and a minimum 14 one thousand five hundred dollars, but not to exceed [ene] three thousand [five hundred] dollars for each subsequent violation, unless a different penalty is otherwise provided in this article. The enforcement officer shall advise the retail dealer that upon the accumulation of three or more points pursuant to this section the department of taxation and finance shall suspend the dealer's registration. If the enforcement 19 20 officer determines after a hearing that a retail dealer was selling tobacco products while their registration was suspended or permanently 22 revoked pursuant to subdivision three or four of this section, he or she shall impose a civil penalty of twenty-five hundred dollars. 23
 - (e) Suspension. If the department determines that a retail dealer has accumulated three points or more, the department shall direct the commissioner of taxation and finance to suspend such dealer's registration for [six months] one year. The three points serving as the basis for a suspension shall be erased upon the completion of the [six month] one year penalty.
 - (f) Surcharge. A two hundred fifty dollar surcharge to be assessed for every violation will be made available to enforcement officers and shall be used solely for compliance checks to be conducted to determine compliance with this section.
 - 11. Paragraph 1 of subdivision h of section 1607 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 162 of the laws of 2002, is amended to read as follows:
 - 1. A license shall be suspended for a period of [six months] one year upon notification to the division by the commissioner of health of a lottery sales agent's accumulation of three or more points pursuant to subdivision three of section thirteen hundred ninety-nine-ee of the public health law.
 - § 12. Section 1399-x of the public health law is REPEALED.
- § 13. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020; provided, however, that 44 section one of this act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment 46 and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

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Section 1. The director of the division of the budget may direct the 50 commissioner of health to distribute enhanced federal medical assistance 52 percentage payments, as described in subsections (y) and (z) of section 1905 of the federal social security act, to social services districts 54 only in such amounts as is necessary to ensure that such districts, in the aggregate, do not pay a greater percentage of the non-federal share of expenditures under the state's plan for medical assistance, maintained pursuant to section 363-a of the social services law, as compared to the percentage paid by such districts during the calendar year of 2009.

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- § 2. 1. Each year beginning calendar year 2020, each social services district ("district") shall certify to the department of health, in a manner to be determined by the department of health in consultation with the director of the division of the budget, whether such district has adopted a budget with respect to such district's fiscal year that begins on January first of the then current calendar year that does not exceed the tax levy limit established pursuant to section 3-c of the general municipal law or, for the City of New York, shall certify that the most recently adopted budget for such city does not exceed the tax levy limit that would have applied to such budget had the provisions of section 3-c of the general municipal law applied to such city; provided, however, that for the purposes of this subdivision, such tax levy limit shall be determined by substituting equivalent local expenditures for the exclusions provided by subparagraphs (ii), (iii) and (iv) of paragraph (g) of subdivision 2 of such section.
- 2. (a) Districts other than the City of New York shall make the annual certification required by subdivision one of this section by April 20, 2020, and for years beginning 2021 and thereafter, by January fifteenth of such year.
- (b) The City of New York shall make the annual certification required by subdivision one of this section by July fifteenth of each year.
- 27 3. For each district that does not certify that such district has limited the increase in real property taxes by the real property tax cap 28 29 by the date specified in subdivision two of this section, the department 30 of health shall calculate the savings in medical assistance expenditures 31 that such district realized, or would have realized, for the district's 32 prior fiscal year as a result of application of section 1 of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2005, as amended by section 1 of part F of 33 chapter 56 of the laws of 2012 and any subsequent amendments thereto 34 35 ("medicaid local share cap"). Notwithstanding section 1 of part C of 36 chapter 58 of the laws of 2005, as amended, such district's actual 37 savings during the district's then current fiscal year shall be limited 38 to the savings calculated in the manner prescribed in this subdivision 39 for each year that the district does not limit the increase in real property taxes by the real property tax cap pursuant to subdivision two 40 41 of this section ("limited local share savings"). The district shall be 42 liable for and remit to the state the difference between the district's 43 limited local share savings and the savings that the district would have 44 realized as a result of application of the medicaid local share cap, 45 pursuant to a schedule determined by the commissioner of health in 46 consultation with the director of the division of the budget; provided, 47 however, that the commissioner of health may, in consultation with the director of the division of the budget, reduce such liability to the 48 49 extent necessary to achieve compliance with section 1905 of the federal social security act or any other legal requirements imposed on the 50 51 subject matter hereof. Such remittances shall be separate from, 52 shall not affect or be affected by, any voluntary local share contrib-53 utions made by any district, including the City of New York.
 - 4. The director of the division of the budget may grant a waiver to any district that does not provide the certification required pursuant to subdivision two of this section upon a showing by such district of

financial hardship in a form and manner prescribed by the division of the budget. In evaluating an application for a financial hardship waiver, the director of the division of the budget shall consider changes in state or federal aid payments and other extraordinary costs, including the occurrence of a disaster as defined in paragraph a of subdivision two of section twenty of the executive law, repair and maintenance of infrastructure, annual growth of tax receipts, including personal income, business, and other taxes, prepayment of debt service and other expenses or such other factors that such director may determine.

- § 3. Section 363-c of the social services law is amended by adding two new subdivisions 4 and 5 to read as follows:
- 4. Notwithstanding any laws or regulations to the contrary, all social services districts, providers and other recipients of medical assistance program funds shall make available to the commissioner or the director of the division of budget in a prompt fashion all fiscal and statistical records and reports, other contemporaneous records demonstrating their right to receive payment, and all underlying books, records, documentation and reports, which may be requested by the commissioner or the director of the division of the budget as may be determined necessary to manage and oversee the Medicaid program.
- 5. For the state fiscal year beginning April first, two thousand twenty-one and every state fiscal year thereafter, notwithstanding the provisions of section three hundred sixty-eight-a of this title, and notwithstanding section one of part C of chapter fifty-eight of the laws of two thousand five, as amended by section one of part F of chapter fifty-six of the laws of two thousand twelve, and any subsequent amendments thereto, if the amount the department of health reimbursed any social services district during the prior state fiscal year for expenditures made by or on behalf of such social services districts for medical assistance for needy persons exceeds one hundred three percent of the amount reimbursed during the preceding state fiscal year, the social services district shall be liable for and remit to the state one hundred percent of such excess amount, after first deducting therefrom any federal funds properly received or to be received on account thereof, pursuant to a schedule determined by the commissioner of health in consultation with the director of the division of budget. Provided, however, that this subdivision shall not apply only to the extent that it conflicts with or would achieve less savings to the state than the application of subdivision one of this section.
- 40 \S 4. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 41 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

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Section 1. Subdivision 7 of section 2802 of the public health law is 44 amended by adding a new paragraph (b-1) to read as follows:

(b-1) At such time as the commissioner's written contingent approval is granted, or written approval in instances where no contingencies were applied to such approval, each applicant shall pay an additional surcharge equal to three percent of the total capital value of the application.

- § 2. Paragraph (d) of subdivision 7 of section 2802 of the public health law, as amended by section 87 of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:
- 53 (d) <u>(i)</u> The fees and charges [paid by an applicant pursuant to]
 54 <u>imposed by</u> this subdivision [for any application for construction of a

hospital approved in accordance with this section shall be deemed allowable capital costs in the determination of reimbursement rates established pursuant to this article. The cost of such fees and charges shall not be subject to reimbursement ceiling or other penalties used by the commissioner for the purpose of establishing reimbursement rates pursuant to this article. Shall not apply to any application for which all development, design, and construction costs are being solely funded by state grants of any kind, except that such fees and charges may be imposed in such circumstances under criteria that may be adopted in regulation by the commissioner, with the approval of the director of the budget.

- (ii) The commissioner, with the approval of the director of the budget, is authorized to exempt certain applications that meet criteria established by the commissioner in regulation from the surcharge imposed by paragraph (b-1) of this subdivision.
- (e) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the fees and charges paid by an applicant pursuant to this subdivision shall not be eligible for reimbursement by the state, including the state Medicaid program.
- (f) All fees pursuant to this section shall be payable to the department [of health] for deposit into the special revenue funds other, miscellaneous special revenue fund 339, certificate of need account.
- 23 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 24 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

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Section 1. Section 40 of chapter 266 of the laws of 1986, amending the civil practice law and rules and other laws relating to malpractice and professional medical conduct, as amended by section 4 of part F of chapter 57 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:

29 30 40. The superintendent of financial services shall establish rates 31 for policies providing coverage for physicians and surgeons medical malpractice for the periods commencing July 1, 1985 and ending June 30, 32 33 [2020] 2021; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision 34 of law, the superintendent shall not establish or approve any increase in rates for the period commencing July 1, 2009 and ending June 30, 36 2010. The superintendent shall direct insurers to establish segregated 37 accounts for premiums, payments, reserves and investment income attributable to such premium periods and shall require periodic reports by the 38 39 insurers regarding claims and expenses attributable to such periods to 40 monitor whether such accounts will be sufficient to meet incurred claims 41 and expenses. On or after July 1, 1989, the superintendent shall impose a surcharge on premiums to satisfy a projected deficiency that is 42 43 attributable to the premium levels established pursuant to this section 44 for such periods; provided, however, that such annual surcharge shall not exceed eight percent of the established rate until July 1, [2020] 45 2021, at which time and thereafter such surcharge shall not exceed twen-47 ty-five percent of the approved adequate rate, and that such annual 48 surcharges shall continue for such period of time as shall be sufficient 49 to satisfy such deficiency. The superintendent shall not impose such 50 surcharge during the period commencing July 1, 2009 and ending June 30, On and after July 1, 1989, the surcharge prescribed by this 52 section shall be retained by insurers to the extent that they insured physicians and surgeons during the July 1, 1985 through June 30, [2020] 54 2021 policy periods; in the event and to the extent physicians and

surgeons were insured by another insurer during such periods, all or a pro rata share of the surcharge, as the case may be, shall be remitted 3 to such other insurer in accordance with rules and regulations to be promulgated by the superintendent. Surcharges collected from physicians and surgeons who were not insured during such policy periods shall be apportioned among all insurers in proportion to the premium written by 7 each insurer during such policy periods; if a physician or surgeon was insured by an insurer subject to rates established by the superintendent 9 during such policy periods, and at any time thereafter a hospital, 10 health maintenance organization, employer or institution is responsible 11 for responding in damages for liability arising out of such physician's surgeon's practice of medicine, such responsible entity shall also 12 13 remit to such prior insurer the equivalent amount that would then be 14 collected as a surcharge if the physician or surgeon had continued to 15 remain insured by such prior insurer. In the event any insurer that 16 provided coverage during such policy periods is in liquidation, the property/casualty insurance security fund shall receive the portion of 17 surcharges to which the insurer in liquidation would have been entitled. 18 19 The surcharges authorized herein shall be deemed to be income earned for 20 the purposes of section 2303 of the insurance law. The superintendent, 21 in establishing adequate rates and in determining any projected deficiency pursuant to the requirements of this section and the insurance 22 law, shall give substantial weight, determined in his discretion and 23 24 judgment, to the prospective anticipated effect of any regulations 25 promulgated and laws enacted and the public benefit of stabilizing 26 malpractice rates and minimizing rate level fluctuation during the peri-27 od of time necessary for the development of more reliable statistical 28 experience as to the efficacy of such laws and regulations affecting 29 medical, dental or podiatric malpractice enacted or promulgated in 1985, 30 1986, by this act and at any other time. Notwithstanding any provision 31 of the insurance law, rates already established and to be established by 32 the superintendent pursuant to this section are deemed adequate if 33 rates would be adequate when taken together with the maximum authorized 34 annual surcharges to be imposed for a reasonable period of time whether 35 or not any such annual surcharge has been actually imposed as of the 36 establishment of such rates.

Section 20 of part H of chapter 57 of the laws of 2017, amending the New York Health Care Reform Act of 1996 and other laws relating to extending certain provisions thereto, as amended by section 6 of part F of chapter 57 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:

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§ 20. Notwithstanding any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, only physicians or dentists who were eligible, and for whom the superintendent of financial services and the commissioner of health, or their designee, purchased, with funds available in the hospital excess liability pool, a full or partial policy for excess coverage or equivalent excess coverage for the coverage period ending the thirtieth of June, two thousand [nineteen, twenty, shall be eligible to apply for such coverage for the coverage period beginning the first of July, two thousand [nineteen;] twenty; provided, however, if the total number of physicians or dentists for whom such excess coverage or equivalent excess coverage was purchased for the policy year ending the thirtieth June, two thousand [nineteen] twenty exceeds the total number of physicians or dentists certified as eligible for the coverage period 54 beginning the first of July, two thousand [nineteen,] twenty, then the 55 general hospitals may certify additional eligible physicians or dentists in a number equal to such general hospital's proportional share of the

1 total number of physicians or dentists for whom excess coverage or equivalent excess coverage was purchased with funds available in the hospital excess liability pool as of the thirtieth of June, two thousand 3 [nineteen,] twenty, as applied to the difference between the number of eligible physicians or dentists for whom a policy for excess coverage or equivalent excess coverage was purchased for the coverage period ending 7 the thirtieth of June, two thousand [nineteen] twenty and the number of such eligible physicians or dentists who have applied for excess cover-9 age or equivalent excess coverage for the coverage period beginning the 10 first of July, two thousand [nineteen] twenty.

§ 3. This act shall take effect April 1, 2020, provided, however, if this act shall become a law after such date it shall take effect imme-12 13 diately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and 14 after April 1, 2020.

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16 Section 1. The insurance law is amended by adding a new article 29 to 17 read as follows:

18 ARTICLE 29 19

PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS

20 Section 2901. Definitions.

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- 2902. Acting without a registration.
- 22 2903. Registration requirements for pharmacy benefit managers.
- 2904. Reporting requirements for pharmacy benefit managers. 23
- 24 2905. Acting without a license.
- 25 2906. Licensing of a pharmacy benefit manager.
 - 2907. Revocation or suspension of a registration or license of a pharmacy benefit manager.
- 28 2908. Penalties for violations.
 - 2909. Stay or suspension of superintendent's determination.
 - 2910. Revoked registrations or licenses.
- 31 2911. Change of address.
- 32 <u>2912. Duties.</u>
 - 2913. Applicability of other laws.
- 34 2914. Assessments.
 - § 2901. Definitions. For purposes of this article:
- 36 (a) "Health plan" means an insurance company that is an authorized insurer under this chapter, a company organized pursuant to article 37 38 forty-three of this chapter, a municipal cooperative health benefit plan 39 established pursuant to article forty-seven of this chapter, an entity 40 certified pursuant to article forty-four of the public health law 41 including those providing services pursuant to title eleven of article five of the social services law, an institution of higher education 42 certified pursuant to section one thousand one hundred twenty-four of 43 44 this chapter, the state insurance fund, and the New York state health 45 insurance plan established under article eleven of the civil service 46 law.
- 47 (b) "Pharmacy benefit management services" means the management or administration of prescription drug benefits pursuant to a contract with 48 49 a health plan, directly or through another entity, and regardless of whether the pharmacy benefit manager and the health plan are related, or 50 51 associated by ownership, common ownership, organization or otherwise; 52 including the procurement of prescription drugs to be dispensed to patients, or the administration or management of prescription drug bene-53 fits, including but not limited to, any of the following:

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- (2) claims processing, retail network management, or payment of claims to pharmacies for dispensing prescription drugs;
- 4 (3) clinical or other formulary or preferred drug list development or 5 management:
 - (4) negotiation or administration of rebates, discounts, payment differentials, or other incentives, for the inclusion of particular prescription drugs in a particular category or to promote the purchase of particular prescription drugs;
- 10 <u>(5) patient compliance, therapeutic intervention, or generic substi-</u>
 11 tution programs;
 - (6) disease management;
 - (7) drug utilization review or prior authorization;
- 14 (8) adjudication of appeals or grievances related to prescription drug 15 coverage;
 - (9) contracting with network pharmacies; and
 - (10) controlling the cost of covered prescription drugs.
 - (c) "Pharmacy benefit manager" means any entity, including a wholly owned or partially owned or controlled subsidiary of a pharmacy benefits manager, that contracts to provide pharmacy benefit management services on behalf of a health plan.
- 22 (d) "Controlling person" means any person or other entity who or which 23 directly or indirectly has the power to direct or cause to be directed 24 the management, control or activities of a pharmacy benefit manager.
 - (e) "Covered individual" means a member, participant, enrollee, contract holder or policy holder or beneficiary of a health plan.
 - § 2902. Acting without a registration. (a) No person, firm, association, corporation or other entity may act as a pharmacy benefit manager on or after June first, two thousand twenty and prior to January first, two thousand twenty-two, without having a valid registration as a pharmacy benefit manager filed with the superintendent in accordance with this article and any regulations promulgated thereunder.
 - (b) Any person, firm, association, corporation or other entity that violates this section shall, in addition to any other penalty provided by law, be liable for restitution to any health plan, pharmacy, or covered individual harmed by the violation and shall also be subject to a penalty not exceeding the greater of: (1) one thousand dollars for the first violation and two thousand five hundred dollars for each subsequent violation; or (2) the aggregate economic gross receipts attributable to all violations.
- 41 § 2903. Registration requirements for pharmacy benefit managers. (a) 42 Every pharmacy benefit manager that performs pharmacy benefit management 43 services on or after June first, two thousand twenty and prior to Janu-44 ary first, two thousand twenty-two shall register with the superinten-45 dent in a manner acceptable to the superintendent and shall pay a fee of 46 one thousand dollars for each year or fraction of a year in which the registration shall be valid. The superintendent shall require that the 47 pharmacy benefit manager disclose its officer or officers and director 48 or directors who are responsible for the business entity's compliance 49 with the financial services and insurance laws, rules and regulations of 50 51 this state. The registration shall detail the locations from which it 52 provides services, and a listing of any entities with which it has 53 contracts in New York state. The superintendent can reject a registra-54 tion application filed by a pharmacy benefit manager that fails to 55 comply with the minimum registration standards.

(b) For each business entity, the officer or officers and director or directors named in the application shall be designated responsible for the business entity's compliance with the financial services and insurance laws, rules and regulations of this state.

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- (c) Every registration will expire on December thirty-first, two thousand twenty-one regardless of when registration was first made.
- (d) Every pharmacy benefit manager that performs pharmacy benefit management services at any time prior to June first, two thousand twenty, shall make the registration and fee payment required by subsection (a) of this section on or before June first, two thousand twenty. Any other pharmacy benefit manager shall make the registration and fee payment required by subsection (a) of this section prior to performing pharmacy benefit management services.
- (e) Registrants under this section shall be subject to examination by the superintendent as often as the superintendent may deem it necessary. The superintendent may promulgate regulations establishing methods and procedures for facilitating and verifying compliance with the requirements of this article and such other regulations as necessary to enforce the provisions of this article.
- § 2904. Reporting requirements for pharmacy benefit managers. (a)(1) or before July first of each year, beginning in two thousand twentyone, every pharmacy benefit manager shall report to the superintendent, in a statement subscribed and affirmed as true under penalties of perjury, the information requested by the superintendent including, without <u>limitation:</u>
- (i) any pricing discounts, rebates of any kind, inflationary payments, credits, clawbacks, fees, grants, chargebacks, reimbursements, other financial or other reimbursements, incentives, inducements, refunds or other benefits received by the pharmacy benefit manager; and
- (ii) the terms and conditions of any contract or arrangement, including other financial or other reimbursements incentives, inducements or refunds between the pharmacy benefit manager and any other party relating to pharmacy benefit management services provided to a health plan including but not limited to, dispensing fees paid to pharmacies.
- (2) The superintendent may require the filing of quarterly or other statements, which shall be in such form and shall contain such matters as the superintendent shall prescribe.
- (3) The superintendent may address to any pharmacy benefit manager or its officers any inquiry in relation to its provision of pharmacy benefit management services or any matter connected therewith. Every pharmacy benefit manager or person so addressed shall reply in writing to such inquiry promptly and truthfully, and such reply shall be, if required by the superintendent, subscribed by such individual, or by such officer or officers of the pharmacy benefit manager, as the superintendent shall designate, and affirmed by them as true under the penalties of perjury.
- (b) In the event any pharmacy benefit manager or person does not submit a report required by paragraphs one or two of subsection (a) of this section or does not provide a good faith response to an inquiry from the superintendent pursuant to paragraph three of subsection (a) of this section within a time period specified by the superintendent of not less than fifteen business days, the superintendent is authorized to levy a civil penalty, after notice and hearing, against such pharmacy benefit manager or person not to exceed one thousand dollars per day for each day beyond the date the report is due or the date specified by the 54 superintendent for response to the inquiry.

(c) All documents, materials, or other information disclosed by a pharmacy benefit manager under this section which is in the control or possession of the superintendent shall be deemed confidential, shall not be disclosed, either pursuant to freedom of information requests or subpoena, and further shall not be subject to discovery or admissible in evidence in any private civil action.

- § 2905. Acting without a license. (a) No person, firm, association, corporation or other entity may act as a pharmacy benefit manager on or after January first, two thousand twenty-two without having authority to do so by virtue of a license issued in force pursuant to the provisions of this article.
- (b) Any person, firm, association, corporation or other entity that violates this section shall, in addition to any other penalty provided by law, be subject to a penalty not exceeding the greater of (1) one thousand dollars for the first violation and two thousand five hundred dollars for each subsequent violation or (2) the aggregate economic gross receipts attributable to all violations.
- § 2906. Licensing of a pharmacy benefit manager. (a) The superintendent may issue a pharmacy benefit manager's license to any person, firm, association or corporation who or that has complied with the requirements of this article, including regulations promulgated by the superintendent. The superintendent, in consultation with the commissioner of health, may establish, by regulation, minimum standards for the issuance of a license to a pharmacy benefit manager.
- (b) The minimum standards established under this section shall take the form of a code of conduct which may address, without limitation:
- (1) prohibitions on conflicts of interest between pharmacy benefit managers and health plans;
- (2) prohibitions on deceptive practices in connection with the performance of pharmacy benefit management services;
- (3) prohibitions on anti-competitive practices in connection with the performance of pharmacy benefit management services;
 - (4) prohibitions on pricing models including spread pricing;
- (5) prohibitions on unfair claims practices in connection with the performance of pharmacy benefit management services;
- (6) codification of standards and practices in the creation of pharmacy networks and contracting with network pharmacies and other providers; and
 - (7) best practices for protection of consumers.
- (c) The superintendent may require any or all of the members, officers, directors, or designated employees of the applicant to be named in the application for a license under this article. For each business entity, the officer or officers and director or directors named in the application shall be designated responsible for the business entity's compliance with the insurance laws, rules and regulations of this state.
- (d)(1) Before a pharmacy benefit manager's license shall be issued or renewed, the prospective licensee shall properly file in the office of the superintendent a written application therefor in such form or forms and supplements thereto as the superintendent prescribes, and pay a fee of two thousand dollars for each year or fraction of a year in which a license shall be valid.
- 52 (2) Every pharmacy benefit manager's license shall expire thirty-six
 53 months after the date of issue. Every license issued pursuant to this
 54 section may be renewed for the ensuing period of thirty-six months upon
 55 the filing of an application in conformity with this subsection.

(e) If an application for a renewal license shall have been filed with the superintendent at least two months before its expiration, then the license sought to be renewed shall continue in full force and effect either until the issuance by the superintendent of the renewal license applied for or until five days after the superintendent shall have refused to issue such renewal license and given notice of such refusal to the applicant.

- (f) The superintendent may refuse to issue a pharmacy benefit manager's license if, in the superintendent's judgment, the applicant or any member, principal, officer or director of the applicant, is not trustworthy and competent to act as or in connection with a pharmacy benefit manager, or that any of the foregoing has given cause for revocation or suspension of such license, or has failed to comply with any prerequisite for the issuance of such license. As a part of such determination, the superintendent is authorized to fingerprint applicants or any member, principal, officer or director of the applicant for licensure. Such fingerprints shall be submitted to the division of criminal justice services for a state criminal history record check, as defined in subdivision one of section three thousand thirty-five of the education law, and may be submitted to the federal bureau of investigation for a national criminal history record check.
- (g) Licensees and applicants for a license under this section shall be subject to examination by the superintendent as often as the superintendent may deem it expedient. The superintendent may promulgate regulations establishing methods and procedures for facilitating and verifying compliance with the requirements of this section and such other regulations as necessary.
- (h) The superintendent may issue a replacement for a currently in-force license that has been lost or destroyed. Before the replacement license shall be issued, there shall be on file in the office of the superintendent a written application for the replacement license, affirming under penalty of perjury that the original license has been lost or destroyed, together with a fee of two hundred dollars.
- 34 <u>(i) No pharmacy benefit manager shall engage in any practice or action</u>
 35 <u>that a health plan is prohibited from engaging in pursuant to this chap-</u>
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 - § 2907. Revocation or suspension of a registration or license of a pharmacy benefit manager. (a) The superintendent may refuse to renew, may revoke, or may suspend for a period the superintendent determines the registration or license of any pharmacy benefit manager if, the superintendent determines that the registrant or licensee or any member, principal, officer, director, or controlling person of the registrant or licensee, has:
 - (1) violated any insurance laws, section two hundred eighty-a or two hundred eighty-c of the public health law or violated any regulation, subpoena or order of the superintendent or of another state's insurance commissioner, or has violated any law in the course of its dealings in such capacity after such license has been issued or renewed pursuant to section two thousand nine hundred six of this article;
 - (2) provided materially incorrect, materially misleading, materially incomplete or materially untrue information in the registration or license application;
- 53 (3) obtained or attempted to obtain a registration or license through misrepresentation or fraud;
 - (4)(i) used fraudulent, coercive or dishonest practices;
 - (ii) demonstrated incompetence;

(iii) demonstrated untrustworthiness; or

- (iv) demonstrated financial irresponsibility in the conduct of business in this state or elsewhere;
- 4 (5) improperly withheld, misappropriated or converted any monies or 5 properties received in the course of business in this state or else-6 where;
- 7 (6) intentionally misrepresented the terms of an actual or proposed 8 insurance contract;
- 9 <u>(7) admitted or been found to have committed any insurance unfair</u> 10 <u>trade practice or fraud;</u>
- 11 (8) had a pharmacy benefit manager registration or license, or its 12 equivalent, denied, suspended or revoked in any other state, province, 13 district or territory;
 - (9) failed to pay state income tax or comply with any administrative or court order directing payment of state income tax;
 - (10) failed to pay any assessment required by this article; or
- 17 (11) ceased to meet the requirements for registration or licensure
 18 under this article.
 - (b) Before revoking or suspending the registration or license of any pharmacy benefit manager pursuant to the provisions of this article, the superintendent shall give notice to the registrant or licensee and shall hold, or cause to be held, a hearing not less than ten days after the giving of such notice.
 - (c) If a registration or license pursuant to the provisions of this article is revoked or suspended by the superintendent, then the superintendent shall forthwith give notice to the registrant or licensee.
 - (d) The revocation or suspension of any registration or license pursuant to the provisions of this article shall terminate forthwith such registration or license and the authority conferred thereby upon all licensees. For good cause shown, the superintendent may delay the effective date of a revocation or suspension to permit the registrant or licensee to satisfy some or all of its contractual obligations to perform pharmacy benefit management services in the state.
 - (e)(1) No individual, corporation, firm or association whose registration or license as a pharmacy benefit manager has been revoked pursuant to subsection (a) of this section, and no firm or association of which such individual is a member, and no corporation of which such individual is an officer or director, and no controlling person of the registrant or licensee shall be entitled to obtain any registration or license under the provisions of this article for a minimum period of one year after such revocation, or, if such revocation be judicially reviewed, for a minimum period of one year after the final determination thereof affirming the action of the superintendent in revoking such license.
 - (2) If any such registration or license held by a firm, association or corporation be revoked, no member of such firm or association and no officer or director of such corporation or any controlling person of the registrant or licensee shall be entitled to obtain any registration or license, under this article for the same period of time, unless the superintendent determines, after notice and hearing, that such member, officer or director was not personally at fault in the matter on account of which such registration or license was revoked.
- (f) If any corporation, firm, association or person aggrieved shall file with the superintendent a verified complaint setting forth facts tending to show sufficient ground for the revocation or suspension of any pharmacy benefit manager's registration or license, then if the superintendent finds the complaint credible, the superintendent shall,

after notice and a hearing, determine whether such registration or license shall be suspended or revoked.

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- (g) The superintendent shall retain the authority to enforce the provisions of and impose any penalty or remedy authorized by this chapter against any person or entity who is under investigation for or charged with a violation of this chapter, even if the person's or entity's registration or license has been surrendered, or has expired or has lapsed by operation of law.
- (h) A registrant or licensee subject to this article shall report to the superintendent any administrative action taken against the registrant or licensee or any of the members, officers, directors, or designated employees of the applicant named in the registration or licensing application in another jurisdiction or by another governmental agency in this state within thirty days of the final disposition of the matter. This report shall include a copy of the order, consent to order or other relevant legal documents.
- (i) Within thirty days of the initial pretrial hearing date, a registrant or licensee subject to this article shall report to the superintendent any criminal prosecution of the registrant or licensee or any of the members, officers, directors, or designated employees of the applicant named in the registration or licensing application taken in any jurisdiction. The report shall include a copy of the initial complaint filed, the order resulting from the hearing and any other relevant legal documents.
- § 2908. Penalties for violations. (a) In addition to any other power conferred by law, the superintendent may in any one proceeding by order, require a registrant or licensee who has violated any provision of this article or whose license would otherwise be subject to revocation or suspension to pay to the people of this state a penalty in a sum not exceeding the greater of: (1) one thousand dollars for each offense and two thousand five hundred dollars for each subsequent violation; or (2) the aggregate gross receipts attributable to all offenses.
- (b) Upon the failure of such a registrant or licensee to pay the penalty ordered pursuant to subsection (a) of this section within twenty days after the mailing of the order, postage prepaid, registered, and addressed to the last known place of business of the licensee, unless the order is stayed by an order of a court of competent jurisdiction, the superintendent may revoke the registration or license of the registrant or licensee or may suspend the same for such period as the superintendent determines.
- § 2909. Stay or suspension of superintendent's determination. The commencement of a proceeding under article seventy-eight of the civil practice law and rules, to review the action of the superintendent in suspending or revoking or refusing to renew any certificate under this article, shall stay such action of the superintendent for a period of thirty days. Such stay shall not be extended for a longer period unless the court shall determine, after a preliminary hearing of which the superintendent is notified forty-eight hours in advance, that a stay of the superintendent's action pending the final determination or further order of the court will not injure the interests of the people of the state.
- § 2910. Revoked registrations or licenses. (a)(1) No person, firm, association, corporation or other entity subject to the provisions of 54 this article whose registration or license under this article has been revoked, or whose registration or license to engage in the business of pharmacy benefit management in any capacity has been revoked by any

other state or territory of the United States shall become employed or appointed by a pharmacy benefit manager as an officer, director, manager er, controlling person or for other services, without the prior written approval of the superintendent, unless such services are for maintenance or are clerical or ministerial in nature.

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- (2) No person, firm, association, corporation or other entity subject to the provisions of this article shall knowingly employ or appoint any person or entity whose registration or license issued under this article has been revoked, or whose registration or license to engage in the business of pharmacy benefit management in any capacity has been revoked by any other state or territory of the United States, as an officer, director, manager, controlling person or for other services, without the prior written approval of the superintendent, unless such services are for maintenance or are clerical or ministerial in nature.
- (3) No corporation or partnership subject to the provisions of this article shall knowingly permit any person whose registration or license issued under this article has been revoked, or whose registration or license to engage in the business of pharmacy benefit management in any capacity has been revoked by any other state, or territory of the United 20 States, to be a shareholder or have an interest in such corporation or partnership, nor shall any such person become a shareholder or partner in such corporation or partnership, without the prior written approval of the superintendent.
 - (b) The superintendent may approve the employment, appointment or participation of any such person whose registration or license has been revoked:
 - (1) if the superintendent determines that the duties and responsibilities of such person are subject to appropriate supervision and that such duties and responsibilities will not have an adverse effect upon the public, other registrants or licensees, or the registrant or licensee proposing employment or appointment of such person; or
 - (2) if such person has filed an application for reregistration or relicensing pursuant to this article and the application for reregistration or relicensing has not been approved or denied within one hundred twenty days following the filing thereof, unless the superintendent determines within the said time that employment or appointment of such person by a registrant or licensee in the conduct of a pharmacy benefit management business would not be in the public interest.
 - (c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to the ownership of shares of any corporation registered or licensed pursuant to this article if the shares of such corporation are publicly held and traded in the over-the-counter market or upon any national or regional securities exchange.
 - § 2911. Change of address. A registrant or licensee under this article shall inform the superintendent by a means acceptable to the superintendent of a change of address within thirty days of the change.
 - § 2912. Duties. (a) A pharmacy benefit manager shall be required to adhere to the code of conduct, as the superintendent may establish by regulation pursuant to section twenty-nine hundred six of this article.
 - (b) No contract with a health plan shall limit access to financial or utilization information of the pharmacy benefit manager in relation to pharmacy benefit management services provided to the health plan.
- 53 (c) A pharmacy benefit manager shall disclose in writing to a health 54 plan with whom a contract for pharmacy benefit management services has 55 been executed any activity, policy, practice, contract or arrangement of the pharmacy benefit manager that directly or indirectly presents a 56

conflict of interest with the pharmacy benefit manager's contractual relationship with, or duties and obligations to, the health plan.

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- (d) A pharmacy benefit manager shall assist a health plan in answering any inquiry made under section three hundred eight of this chapter.
- (e) No pharmacy benefit manager shall violate any provision of the public health law applicable to pharmacy benefit managers.
- (f) (1) Any information required to be disclosed by a pharmacy benefit manager to a health plan under this section that is designated by the pharmacy benefit manager as proprietary or trade secret information shall be kept confidential by the health plan, except as required to be disclosed by law or court order, including disclosure necessary to prosecute or defend any legitimate legal claim or cause of action.
- (2) Designation as proprietary or trade secret information under this subsection shall have no effect on the obligations of any pharmacy benefit manager or health plan to provide that information to the depart-
- § 2913. Applicability of other laws. Nothing in this article shall be construed to exempt a pharmacy benefit manager from complying with the provisions of articles twenty-one and forty-nine of this chapter and articles forty-four and forty-nine and sections two hundred eighty-a and two hundred eighty-c of the public health law, section three hundred sixty-four-j of the social services law, or any other provision of this chapter or the financial services law.
- § 2914. Assessments. Notwithstanding section two hundred six of the financial services law, pharmacy benefit managers that file a registration with the department or are licensed by the department shall be assessed by the superintendent for the operating expenses of the department that are attributable to regulating such pharmacy benefit managers in such proportions as the superintendent shall deem just and reasonable.
- Subsection (b) of section 2402 of the insurance law, as amended by section 71 of part A of chapter 62 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:
- (b) "Defined violation" means the commission by a person of an act prohibited by: subsection (a) of section one thousand one hundred two, section one thousand two hundred fourteen, one thousand two hundred seventeen, one thousand two hundred twenty, one thousand three hundred thirteen, subparagraph (B) of paragraph two of subsection (i) of section one thousand three hundred twenty-two, subparagraph (B) of paragraph two of subsection (i) of section one thousand three hundred twenty-four, two thousand one hundred two, two thousand one hundred seventeen, two thousand one hundred twenty-two, two thousand one hundred twenty-three, subsection (p) of section two thousand three hundred thirteen, section two thousand three hundred twenty-four, two thousand five hundred two, two thousand five hundred three, two thousand five hundred four, two thousand six hundred one, two thousand six hundred two, two thousand six hundred three, two thousand six hundred four, two thousand six hundred six, two thousand seven hundred three, two thousand nine hundred two, two thousand nine hundred five, three thousand one hundred nine, three thousand two hundred twenty-four-a, three thousand four hundred twentynine, three thousand four hundred thirty-three, paragraph seven of subsection (e) of section three thousand four hundred twenty-six, four thousand two hundred twenty-four, four thousand two hundred twenty-five, 54 four thousand two hundred twenty-six, seven thousand eight hundred nine, seven thousand eight hundred ten, seven thousand eight hundred eleven, seven thousand eight hundred thirteen, seven thousand eight hundred

fourteen and seven thousand eight hundred fifteen of this chapter; or section 135.60, 135.65, 175.05, 175.45, or 190.20, or article one hundred five of the penal law.

- § 3. Severability. If any provision of this act, or any application of any provision of this act, is held to be invalid, or ruled by any federal agency to violate or be inconsistent with any applicable federal law or regulation, that shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of any other provision of this act, or of any other application of any provision of this act.
- 10 § 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

PART V 11

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Section 1. Section 9.51 of the mental hygiene law, as added by chapter 947 of the laws of 1981, subdivision (b) as amended by chapter 465 of the laws of 1992, subdivision (c) as amended by chapter 230 of the laws of 2004, the opening paragraph of subdivision (d) as amended by chapter 273 of the laws of 1986, subdivision (f) as amended by chapter 401 of the laws of 2006, and the closing paragraph of subdivision (g) as amended by section 66 of part A of chapter 3 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read as follows:

- 20 § 9.51 Residential treatment facilities for children and youth; admissions.
- (a) A psychiatric residential treatment facility is devoted to the provision of inpatient psychiatric care for persons under the age of twenty-one. The director of a residential treatment facility for children and youth may receive as a patient a person in need of care and treatment in such a facility who has been [certified as needing] determined appropriate for such care [by the pre-admission certification committee gerving the facility and treatment in accordance with standards and priorities for admission established by [such committee, as provided by this section. Subject to the provisions of this section, the 30 31 provisions of this article shall apply to admission and retention of patients to residential treatment facilities for children and youth] the 32 office in regulations.
- (b) Persons admitted as in-patients to hospitals operated by the office of mental health upon the application of the [director of the division for youth commissioner of the office of children and family services pursuant to section five hundred nine of the executive law or 353.4 of the family court act who are not subject to a restrictive placement pursuant to section 353.5 of the family court act, may, if appropriate, and subject to the provisions of subdivision (d) of this section, be transferred to a residential treatment facility for children 42 and youth. The [director of the division for youth] commissioner of the office of children and family services shall be notified of any such transfer. When appropriate, the director of the residential treatment facility may arrange the return of a patient so transferred to the hospital or the transfer of a patient to another hospital or, in accordance with subdivision four of section five hundred nine of the executive law[, to the division for youth] to the commissioner of the office of children and family services.
- (c) The commissioner shall [designate pre-admission certification committees for defined geographic areas to evaluate each person proposed 52 for admission or transfer to a residential treatment facility for children and youth. When designating persons to serve on pre-admission 54 certification committees, the commissioners shall assure that the inter-

ests of the people residing in the area to be served by each committee are represented. Such committees shall include a person designated by the office of mental health, a person designated by the state commis-3 sioner of social services and a person designated by the state commis-4 5 gioner of education. The commissioner of mental health shall consult 6 with the conference of local mental hygiene directors and the commis-7 sioner of social services shall consult with county commissioners of 8 social services in the area to be served by a committee prior to designating persons to serve on a committee. The commissioners may designate 9 persons who are not state employees to serve on pre-admission certif-10 ication committees. Membership of pre-admission certification committees 11 shall be limited to persons licensed in accordance with the education 12 13 law to practice medicine, nursing, psychology, or licensed clinical 14 social work. In the event the persons originally designated to a committee by the commissioners do not include a physician, the commissioner 15 shall designate a physician to serve as an additional member of the committee. Each pre-admission certification committee shall designate five persons representing local governments, voluntary agencies, parents 16 17 18 and other interested persons who shall serve as an advisory board to the 19 20 consult with the executive director of the council on chil-21 dren and families regarding the establishment of an advisory board. The advisory board shall include, as deemed appropriate by the commissioner 22 and the executive director of the council on children and families, 23 representatives of the members of the council on children and families 24 as specified in section four hundred eighty-three of the social services 25 26 law, local agency representatives under the jurisdiction of a member agency of the council on children and families. Such board shall have 27 the right to visit residential treatment facilities for children and 28 29 youth [served by the sommittee] and shall have the right to review clin-30 ical records [ebtained by the pre-admission certification committee] and 31 shall be bound by the confidentiality requirements of section 33.13 of 32 this chapter.

(d) [All applications | Applications for admission or transfer of an individual to a residential treatment facility for children and youth [shall be referred to a pre-admission certification committee for] must document that there has been an evaluation of the needs of the individual and [gertification] a determination of the individual's need for treatment in a residential treatment facility for children and youth[-Applications shall include an assessment of the individual's psychiatric, medical and social needs prepared in accordance with a uniform assessment method specified by the regulations of the commissioner. The committee may at its discretion refer an applicant to a hospital or other facility operated or licensed by the office for an additional assessment. In the event of such an additional assessment of the individual's needs, the facility conducting the assessment shall attempt to receive all third party insurance or federal reimburgement available as payment for the assessment. The state shall pay the balance of the fees which may be charged by the provider in accordance with applicable provisions of law. In addition, if necessary, in accordance with section four thousand five of the education law, the pre-admission certification committee shall obtain an evaluation of the educational needs of the child by the committee on special education of the school district of residence. The pre-admission certification committee shall review all 54 requests for evaluation and certification within thirty days of receipt of a complete application and any additional assessments it may require 56 and, using a uniform assessment method specified by regulation of the

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commissioner, evaluate the psychiatric, medical and social needs of the proposed admittee and certify: (i) the individual's need for services in a residential treatment facility for children and youth and (ii) the 3 immediacy of that need, given the availability of such services in the 4 area and the needs of other children evaluated by the committee and 5 6 certified as eligible for admission to a residential treatment facility for children and youth who have not yet been admitted to such a facility. A pre-admission certification committee shall not certify an indi-9 vidual for admission unless it finds that] and the appropriateness of such treatment. In the case of individuals who are applicants or recipi-10 ents of medical assistance pursuant to title eleven of article five of 11 the social services law, such determination shall also include certif-12 ication of need for residential treatment facility services in accord-14 ance with this section. Where certification is required, an individual will be certified for admission if:

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- (1) Available ambulatory care resources and other residential placements do not meet the treatment needs of the individual;
- (2) Proper treatment of the individual's psychiatric requires in-patient care and treatment under the direction of a physician; and
- (3) Care and treatment in a residential treatment facility for children and youth can reasonably be expected to improve the individual's condition or prevent further regression so that services will no longer be needed, provided that a poor prognosis shall not in itself constitute grounds for a denial of certification if treatment can be expected to effect a change in prognosis. [All decisions of the committee to recommend admission or priority of admission shall be based on the unanimous vote of those present. The decision of the committee shall be reported to the applicant. In the event a committee evaluates a child who is the subject of a proceeding currently pending in the family court, the committee shall report its decision to the family court. Prior to admission and as frequently as the office or its designee deems necessary, the office or its designee may evaluate the medical necessity and quality of services for each Medicaid member. If the office or its designee determines that residential treatment services are no longer appropriate, the determination of the office or its designee shall be reported to the facility and the person, or the person's legally authorized representative. Such determination shall not be effective retroactively.

No residential treatment facility for children and youth shall admit a person who has not been determined appropriate and where appropriate, certified [as suitable] for such admission [by the appropriate pre-admission gertification germittee]. Residential treatment facilities shall admit [children in accordance with priorities for admission of children most immediately in need of such services established by the pre-admission certification committee serving the facility in accordance with standards established by the commissioner] individuals who have been designated as priority admissions by the office or commissioner's desig-

(e) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, no government agency shall make payments pursuant to title nineteen of the federal social security act or articles five and six of the social services law to a residential treatment facility for children and youth for service 54 to a person whose need for care and treatment in such a facility was not 55 certified pursuant to this section.

(f) No person shall be admitted to a residential treatment facility for children and youth who has a mental illness which presents a likelihood of serious harm to others; "likelihood of serious harm" shall mean a substantial risk of physical harm to other persons as manifested by recent homicidal or other violent behavior by which others are placed in reasonable fear of serious physical harm.

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(g) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, [pre-admission certifidation dommittees | the office or commissioner's designee shall be entitled to review clinical records maintained by any person or entity which pertain to an individual on whose behalf an application is made for admission to a residential treatment facility for children and youth. Any clinical records received by [a pre-admission certification committee and all assessments submitted to the sommittee] the office or commissioner's designee shall be kept confidential in accordance with the provisions of section 33.13 of [the mental hygiene law, provided, however, that the commissioner may have access to and receive copies of such records for the purpose of evaluating the operation and effectiveness of the committee] this chapter.

Confidentiality of clinical records of treatment of a person in a residential treatment facility for children and youth shall be maintained as required in section 33.13 of this chapter. That portion of the clinical record maintained by a residential treatment facility for children and youth operated by an authorized agency specifically related to medical care and treatment shall not be considered part of the record required to be maintained by such authorized agency pursuant to section three hundred seventy-two of the social services law and shall not be discoverable in a proceeding under section three hundred fifty-eight-a of the social services law or article ten-A of the family court act except upon order of the family court; provided, however, that all other information required by a local social services district or the office of children and family services for purposes of sections three hundred fifty-eight-a, four hundred nine-e and four hundred nine-f of the social services law and article ten-A of the family court act shall be furnished on request, and the confidentiality of such information shall be safeguarded as provided in section four hundred sixty-e of the social services law.

- Subdivisions (b) and (c) of section 31.26 of the mental hygiene law, as added by chapter 947 of the laws of 1981, are amended to read as follows:
- (b) The commissioner shall have the power to adopt rules and regulations governing the establishment and operation of residential treatment facilities for children and youth. Such rules and regulations shall at least require, as a condition of issuance or retention of an operating certificate for a residential treatment facility for children and youth, that admission of children into such facilities be in accordance with priorities for admission of children most immediately in need of such services [established by the pre-admission certification committee serving the facility, in accordance with [section 9.51 of this chapter] standards established by the commissioner.
- (c) The commissioner [and the commissioner of social services shall], in consultation with the commissioner of education [and the director of the division for youth], the commissioner of social services and the commissioner of the office of children and family services, shall adopt 54 rules and regulations governing the [eperation of the pre-admission certification committees | standards for admissions of individuals to

1 residential treatment facilities required in section 9.51 of this chap-2

- Subdivision (g) of section 9.27 of the mental hygiene law, as § 3. added by chapter 947 of the laws of 1981, is amended to read as follows: (g) Applications for involuntary admission of patients to residential treatment facilities for children and youth or transfer of involuntarily admitted patients to such facilities [shall] may be reviewed by the [pre-admission certification committee] office or commissioner's designee serving such facility in accordance with section 9.51 of this article.
- 11 § 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020 and shall apply to all 12 applications received on or after such effective date.

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14 Section 1. Subdivision 9 of section 730.10 of the criminal procedure law, as added by section 1 of part Q of chapter 56 of the laws of 15 16 is amended to read as follows:

"Appropriate institution" means: (a) a hospital operated by the 9. office of mental health or a developmental center operated by the office for people with developmental disabilities; [ex] (b) a hospital licensed by the department of health which operates a psychiatric unit licensed by the office of mental health, as determined by the commissioner provided, however, that any such hospital that is not operated by the state shall qualify as an "appropriate institution" only pursuant to the 24 terms of an agreement between the commissioner and the hospital; or (c) 25 a mental health unit operating within a local correctional facility except those located within a city with a population of one million or 26 more; provided however, that any such mental health unit operating within a local correctional facility shall qualify as an "appropriate insti-29 tution" only pursuant to the terms of an agreement between the commis-30 sioner of mental health, director of community mental health services 31 and the sheriff for the respective locality. Nothing in this article shall be construed as requiring a hospital or local correctional facili-33 ty to consent to providing care and treatment to an incapacitated person 34 at such hospital or local correctional facility.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

36 PART X

Section 1. Pursuant to section 7.18 of the mental hygiene law, the office of mental health will establish a separate appointing authority of secure treatment and rehabilitation center within the office of 40 mental health for the care and treatment of dangerous sex offenders requiring confinement as described in article 10 of the mental hygiene 42 law. All office of mental health employees who are substantially engaged in the care and treatment of article 10 sex offenders will be transferred to the secure treatment and rehabilitation center pursuant to subdivision 2 of section 70 of the civil service law. Employees will 45 remain in their current geographic location, and civil service title and status.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

49 PART Y Section 1. Sections 19 and 21 of chapter 723 of the laws of 1989 amending the mental hygiene law and other laws relating to comprehensive psychiatric emergency programs, as amended by section 1 of part I of chapter 59 of the laws of 2016, are amended to read as follows:

- § 19. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the commissioner of mental health shall, until July 1, [2020] 2024, be solely authorized, in his or her discretion, to designate those general hospitals, local governmental units and voluntary agencies which may apply and be considered for the approval and issuance of an operating certificate pursuant to article 31 of the mental hygiene law for the operation of a comprehensive psychiatric emergency program.
- § 21. This act shall take effect immediately, and sections one, two and four through twenty of this act shall remain in full force and effect, until July 1, $[\frac{2020}{2024}]$ at which time the amendments and additions made by such sections of this act shall be deemed to be repealed, and any provision of law amended by any of such sections of this act shall revert to its text as it existed prior to the effective date of this act.
- § 2. Subdivisions (a), (b), (e), (f) and (h) of section 9.40 of the mental hygiene law, as added by chapter 723 of the laws of 1989, are amended, and a new subdivision (a-1) is added to read as follows:
- (a) The director of any comprehensive psychiatric emergency program may receive and retain therein for a period not to exceed [seventy-two] ninety-six hours, any person alleged to have a mental illness for which immediate observation, care and treatment in such program is appropriate and which is likely to result in serious harm to the person or others. The director shall cause to be entered upon the program records the name of the person or persons, if any, who have brought the person alleged to have a mental illness to the program and the details of the circumstances leading the person or persons to bring the person alleged to have a mental illness to the program.
- (a-1) The director shall cause triage and referral services to be provided by a psychiatric nurse practitioner or physician of the program as soon as such person is received into the comprehensive psychiatric emergency program. After receiving triage and referral services, such person shall be appropriately treated and discharged, or referred for further crisis intervention services including an examination by a physician as described in subdivision (b) of this section.
- (b) The director shall cause examination of such persons not discharged after the provision of triage and referral services to be initiated by a staff physician of the program as soon as practicable and in any event within six hours after the person is received into the program's emergency room. Such person may be retained for observation, care and treatment and further examination for up to twenty-four hours if, at the conclusion of such examination, such physician determines that such person may have a mental illness for which immediate observation, care and treatment in a comprehensive psychiatric emergency program is appropriate, and which is likely to result in serious harm to the person or others.
- (e) If at any time within the seventy-two [hour period it is determined that] hours after such person is admitted to an extended observation bed and continues to require immediate observation, care and treatment in accordance with this section and the need for such [requirement] care is likely to continue beyond [the seventy-two hour period] such time period, such person shall be removed within a reasonable period of time to an appropriate hospital authorized to receive and retain

patients pursuant to section 9.39 of this article and such person shall be evaluated for admission and, if appropriate, shall be admitted to such hospital in accordance with section 9.39 of this article, except 3 that if the person is admitted, the fifteen day retention period of subdivision (b) of section 9.39 of this article shall be calculated from the time such person was initially [registered] received into the emer-7 gency room of the comprehensive psychiatric emergency program. Any person removed to a hospital pursuant to this paragraph shall be removed 9 without regard to the provisions of section 29.11 or 29.15 of this chapter and shall not be considered to have been transferred or discharged 10 11 to another hospital.

(f) Nothing in this section shall preclude the involuntary admission of a person to an appropriate hospital pursuant to the provisions of this article if at any time during the [seventy-two] ninety-six hour period it is determined that the person is in need of involuntary care and treatment in a hospital and the person does not agree to be admitted to a hospital as a voluntary or informal patient. Efforts shall be made to assure that any arrangements for such involuntary admissions in an appropriate hospital shall be made within a reasonable period of time.

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- (h) All time periods referenced in this section shall be calculated from the time such person is initially [registered] received into the emergency room of the comprehensive psychiatric emergency program.
- 3. Paragraphs 2 and 5 of subdivision (a), paragraph 1 and subparagraph (ii) of paragraph 2 of subdivision (b) of section 31.27 of the mental hygiene law, paragraph 2 of subdivision (a) as added by chapter 723 of the laws of 1989, paragraph 5 of subdivision (a) as amended by section 1 of part M of chapter 57 of the laws of 2006, paragraph 1 of subdivision (b) as amended by section 2 of part M of chapter 57 of the laws of 2006 and subparagraph (ii) of paragraph 2 of subdivision (b) as amended by section 2 of part E of chapter 111 of the laws of 2010, are amended and a new paragraph 12 is added to subdivision (a) to read as follows:
- (2) "Crisis intervention services" means [psychiatric services provided in an emergency room located within a general hospital, which shall include but not be limited to: psychiatric and medical evaluations and assessments; prescription or adjustment of medication, counseling, and other stabilization or treatment services intended to reduce symptoms of mental illness[; extended observation beds; and other on-site psychiatric emergency services] when appropriate.
- (5) "Extended observation bed" means an inpatient bed which is in or adjacent to an emergency room located within a general hospital or satellite facility approved by the commissioner, designed to provide a safe environment for an individual who, in the opinion of the examining physician, requires extensive evaluation, assessment, or stabilization of the person's acute psychiatric symptoms, except that, if the commissioner determines that the program can provide for the privacy and safety of all patients receiving services in a hospital, he or she may approve the location of one or more such beds within another unit of the hospital.
- (12) "Satellite facility" means a medical facility providing psychiatric emergency services that is managed and operated by a general hospital who holds a valid operating certificate for a comprehensive psychiatric emergency program and is located away from the central campus of the general hospital.
- (1) The commissioner may license the operation of comprehensive 56 psychiatric emergency programs by general hospitals which are operated

by state or local governments or voluntary agencies. The provision of such services in general hospitals may be located either within the state or, with the approval of the commissioner and the director of the 3 4 budget and to the extent consistent with state and federal law, in a contiguous state. The commissioner is further authorized to enter into interstate agreements for the purpose of facilitating the development of 7 programs which provide services in another state. A comprehensive psychiatric emergency program shall serve as a primary psychiatric emer-9 gency service provider within a defined catchment area for persons in 10 need of psychiatric emergency services including persons who require immediate observation, care and treatment in accordance with section 11 9.40 of this chapter. Each comprehensive psychiatric emergency program 12 13 shall provide or contract to provide psychiatric emergency services twenty-four hours per day, seven days per week, including but not limit-14 15 ed to: crisis intervention services, crisis outreach services, [erisis 16 residence services, extended observation beds, and triage and referral 17 services.

- (ii) a description of the program's psychiatric emergency services, including but not limited to crisis intervention services, crisis outreach services, [crisis residence services,] extended observation beds, and triage and referral services, whether or not provided directly or through agreement with other providers of services;
- § 4. Paragraphs 4 and 8 of subdivision (a), and subdivision (i) section 31.27 of the mental hygiene law are REPEALED.
- 5. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020; provided however that:
- (a) sections two through four of this act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become a law;
- the amendments to section 19 of chapter 723 of the laws of 1989 amending the mental hygiene law and other laws relating to comprehensive psychiatric emergency programs made by section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith;
- (c) the amendments to section 9.40 of the mental hygiene law made by section two of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith; and
- 38 (d) the amendments to section 31.27 of the mental hygiene law made by 39 section three of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section 40 and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

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42 Section 1. The insurance law is amended by adding a new section 344 to 43 read as follows:

§ 344. Mental health and substance use disorder parity compliance programs. (a) Pursuant to the Paul Wellstone and Pete Domenici Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008 (29 U.S.C. § 1185a) and the requirement to provide mental health and substance use disorder coverage that is comparable to medical and surgical services as referenced in sections three thousand two hundred sixteen, three thousand two hundred twenty-one and four thousand three hundred three of this chapter, the superintendent and the commissioner of health, in consultation 52 with the commissioner of addiction services and supports and the commissioner of mental health, shall promulgate regulations prior to October first, two thousand twenty to establish mental health and substance use

disorder parity compliance program requirements. Such regulations shall, at a minimum, set forth requirements for policies and procedures for compliance, impermissible practices, requirements for training and education programs, public notification and remediation requirements and methods for designating an employee of the insurer who is responsible for ensuring parity compliance consistent with this chapter and federal requirements.

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- (b) Penalties collected for violations of section three thousand two hundred sixteen, three thousand two hundred twenty-one and four thousand three hundred three of the insurance law prior to October first, two thousand twenty shall be deposited into the general fund. Penalties collected on or after October first, two thousand twenty for violations of section three thousand two hundred sixteen, three thousand two hundred twenty-one and four thousand three hundred three of the insurance law related to mental health and substance use disorder parity compliance and violations of regulations promulgated pursuant to this section shall be deposited in a fund established pursuant to section ninety-nine-hh of the state finance law.
- 19 § 2. The state finance law is amended by adding a new section 99-hh to 20 read as follows:
 - § 99-hh. Behavioral health parity compliance fund. 1. There is hereby established in the custody of the state comptroller and the department of taxation and finance a special fund to be known as the behavioral health parity compliance fund.
 - 2. Moneys in the behavioral health parity compliance fund shall be kept separate from and shall not be commingled with any other moneys in the custody of the comptroller or the commissioner of taxation and finance. Provided, however that any moneys of the fund not required for immediate use may, at the discretion of the comptroller, in consultation with the director of the budget, be invested by the comptroller in obligations of the United States or the state. The proceeds of any such investment shall be retained by the fund as assets to be used for purposes of this fund.
 - 3. Such fund shall consist of all moneys required to be deposited thereto pursuant to section three hundred forty-four of the insurance law, section forty-four hundred fourteen of the public health law or any other provision of law, monetary grants, gifts or bequests received by the state, and all other moneys credited or transferred thereto from any other fund or source.
 - 4. Moneys of the fund shall only be expended for initiatives supporting parity implementation and enforcement on behalf of consumers, including the behavioral health ombudsman program.
 - 3. Section 4414 of the public health law, as added by chapter 2 of the laws of 1998, and as further amended by section 104 of part A of chapter 62 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:
- 4414. Health care compliance programs. 1. The commissioner of health, after consultation with the superintendent of services, shall by regulation establish standards and criteria for compliance programs to be implemented by persons providing coverage or 50 coverage and service pursuant to any public or governmentally-sponsored 51 or supported plan for health care coverage or services. Such regulations shall include provisions for the design and implementation of programs 52 or processes to prevent, detect and address instances of fraud and 54 abuse. Such regulations shall take into account the nature of the entity's business and the size of its enrolled population. The commissioner 55 of health and the superintendent of financial services shall accept

1 programs and processes implemented pursuant to section four hundred nine the insurance law as satisfying the obligations of this section and the regulations promulgated thereunder when such programs and processes incorporate the objectives contemplated by this section.

- 2. (a) Pursuant to the Paul Wellstone and Pete Domenici Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008 (29 U.S.C. § 1185a) and the requirement to provide mental health and substance use disorder coverage that is comparable to medical and surgical services as referenced in section four thousand three hundred three of the insurance law, the commissioner and the superintendent of financial services, in consultation with the commissioner of addiction services and supports and the commissioner of mental health, shall promulgate regulations prior to October first, two thousand twenty to establish mental health and 14 substance use disorder parity compliance program requirements. Such regulations shall, at a minimum, set forth requirements for policies and procedures for compliance, impermissible practices, requirements for training and education programs, public notification and remediation requirements and methods for designating an employee of the health maintenance organization who is responsible for ensuring parity compliance consistent with this chapter and federal requirements.
- 21 (b) Notwithstanding any provisions of section twelve of this chapter 22 to the contrary, penalties collected from any health maintenance organization certified pursuant to this article resulting from a violation of 23 the health maintenance organization's mental health and substance use 24 25 disorder parity compliance program shall be deposited into the behav-26 ioral health parity compliance fund as established pursuant to section 27 ninety-nine-hh of the state finance law.
- § 4. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to 28 29 have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2020.

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Section 1. Subparagraph (iv) of paragraph c of subdivision 3 of 31 section 492 of the social services law, as added by section 1 of part B 32 of chapter 501 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows: 33

(iv) when determined to be relevant to an investigation, contact the statewide central register of child abuse and maltreatment to determine whether the subject of the report has been or is currently the subject of an indicated child abuse and maltreatment report on file with the statewide central register of child abuse and maltreatment;

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

40 PART BB

Section 1. Subdivision (a) of section 16.03 of the mental hygiene law is amended by adding a new paragraph 5 to read as follows:

(5) The provision of services approved in a medicaid state plan authorized pursuant to section nineteen hundred two of the federal social security act, including optional state plan services authorized pursuant to subdivision (g) of section nineteen hundred fifteen of the federal social security act, and designated by the commissioner of health, in consultation with the commissioner, as being for persons with developmental disabilities.

50 2. Subdivision (d) of section 16.03 of the mental hygiene law, as added by chapter 786 of the laws of 1983, is amended to read as follows:

(d) The operation of a facility or provision of services for which an operating certificate is required pursuant to this article shall be in accordance with the terms of the operating certificate and the regulations of the commissioner.

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- § 3. Subdivision (a) of section 16.11 of the mental hygiene law is amended by adding a new paragraph 3 to read as follows:
- (3) The review of providers of services, as defined in paragraph five of subdivision (a) of section 16.03 of this article, shall ensure that the provider of services complies with all the requirements of the applicable federal regulations and rules and the regulations adopted by the commissioner.
- § 4. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 4 of section 488 of the social services law, as amended by section 2 of part MM of chapter 58 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) a facility or program in which services are provided and which is operated, licensed or certified by the office of mental health, the office for people with developmental disabilities or the office of [alcoholism and substance abuse services] addiction services and supports, including but not limited to psychiatric centers, inpatient psychiatric units of a general hospital, developmental centers, intermediate care facilities, community residences, group homes and family care homes, provided, however, that such term shall not include a secure treatment facility as defined in section 10.03 of the mental hygiene services defined in [subparagraph] paragraphs four and five of subdivision (a) of section 16.03 of the mental hygiene law, or services provided in programs or facilities that are operated by the office of mental health and located in state correctional facilities under the jurisdiction of the department of corrections and community supervision;
- § 5. Subdivision 6 of section 2899 of the public health law, as amended by section 3 of part C of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
- "Provider" shall mean: (a) any residential health care facility licensed under article twenty-eight of this chapter; or any certified home health agency, licensed home care services agency or long term home health care program certified under article thirty-six of this chapter; any hospice program certified pursuant to article forty of this chapter; or any adult home, enriched housing program or residence for adults licensed under article seven of the social services law; or (b) [a health home, or any subcontractor of such health home, who contracts with or is approved or otherwise authorized by the department to provide health home services to all those enrolled pursuant to a diagnosis of a developmental disability as defined in subdivision twenty-two of section 1.03 of the mental hygiene law and enrollees who are under twenty-one 44 years of age under section three hundred sixty-five-1 of the social $\ensuremath{\mathsf{services}}\xspace \ensuremath{\mathsf{law}}\xspace, \ensuremath{\mathsf{or}}\xspace]$ any entity that provides home and community based services to enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under a demonstration program pursuant to section eleven hundred fifteen of federal social security act.
 - § 6. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 9 of section 2899-a of the public health law, as amended by section 4 of part C of chapter 57 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:
- (b) Residential health care facilities licensed pursuant to article twenty-eight of this chapter and certified home health care agencies and long-term home health care programs certified or approved pursuant to article thirty-six of this chapter [or a health home, or any subcontrac-56 ter of such health home, who contracts with or is approved or otherwise

authorized by the department to provide health home services to all those enrolled pursuant to a diagnosis of a developmental disability as defined in subdivision twenty-two of section 1.03 of the mental hygiene 3 law and enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under section 4 three hundred sixty-five-l of the social services law, or any entity that provides home and community based services to enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under a demonstration program pursuant to section eleven hundred fifteen of the federal social security act, may, 9 subject to the availability of federal financial participation, claim as 10 reimbursable costs under the medical assistance program, costs reflect-11 ing the fee established pursuant to law by the division of criminal justice services for processing a criminal history information check, 12 the fee imposed by the federal bureau of investigation for a national 13 14 criminal history check, and costs associated with obtaining the finger-15 prints, provided, however, that for the purposes of determining rates of payment pursuant to article twenty-eight of this chapter for residential 17 health care facilities, such reimbursable fees and costs shall be reflected as timely as practicable in such rates within the applicable 18 19 rate period.

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7. Subdivision 10 of section 2899-a of the public health law, as amended by section 1 of part EE of chapter 57 of the laws of 2019, is amended to read as follows:

10. Notwithstanding subdivision eleven of section eight hundred forty-five-b of the executive law, a certified home health agency, licensed home care services agency or long term home health care program certified, licensed or approved under article thirty-six of this chapter or a home care services agency exempt from certification or licensure under article thirty-six of this chapter, a hospice program under article forty of this chapter, or an adult home, enriched housing program or residence for adults licensed under article seven of the social services law, [or a health home, or any subcontractor of such health home, who contracts with or is approved or otherwise authorized by the department to provide health home services to all enrollees enrolled pursuant to a diagnosis of a developmental disability as defined in subdivision twen-34 35 ty two of gestion 1.03 of the mental hygiene law and enrollees who are 36 under twenty one years of age under section three hundred sixty-five-l of the social services law, or any entity that provides home and community based services to enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under a demonstration program pursuant to section eleven hundred fifteen of the federal social security act may temporarily approve a prospective employee while the results of the criminal history information check and the determination are pending, upon the condition that the provider conducts appropriate direct observation and evaluation of the temporary employee, while he or she is temporarily employed, and the care recipient; provided, however, that for [a health home, or any subcontractor of a health home, who contracts with or is approved or otherwise authorized by the department to provide health home services to all enrollees enrolled pursuant to a diagnosis of developmental disability as defined in subdivision twenty-two of section 1.03 of the mental hygiene law and enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under section three hundred sixty-five-1 of the social services law, or any entity that provides home and community based services to enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under a demonstration program pursuant to 54 section eleven hundred fifteen of the federal social security act, direct observation and evaluation of temporary employees shall not be 55 56 required until July first, two thousand nineteen. The results of such

1 observations shall be documented in the temporary employee's personnel file and shall be maintained. For purposes of providing such appropriate direct observation and evaluation, the provider shall utilize an individual employed by such provider with a minimum of one year's experience working in an agency certified, licensed or approved under article thirty-six of this chapter or an adult home, enriched housing program or 7 residence for adults licensed under article seven of the social services law, [a health home, or any subcontractor of such health home, who contracts with or is approved or otherwise authorized by the department 9 10 to provide health home services to those enrolled pursuant to a diagno-11 sis of a developmental disability as defined in subdivision twenty-two of section 1.03 of the mental hygiene law and enrollees who are under 12 twenty-one years of age under section three hundred sixty-five-l of the 13 14 **social services law**, or any entity that provides home and community 15 based services to enrollees who are under twenty-one years of age under 16 a demonstration program pursuant to section eleven hundred fifteen of 17 the federal social security act. If the temporary employee is working 18 under contract with another provider certified, licensed or approved under article thirty-six of this chapter, such contract provider's 19 20 appropriate direct observation and evaluation of the temporary employee, 21 shall be considered sufficient for the purposes of complying with this 22 subdivision.

§ 8. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall 24 have become a law; provided, however, that the amendments to subdivision 6 of section 2899 of the public health law made by section five of this act shall not affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith.

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- § 2. Severability clause. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivi-29 sion, section or part of this act shall be adjudged by any court of 30 competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, 31 impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section 32 33 or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judg-34 ment shall have been rendered. It is hereby declared to be the intent of the legislature that this act would have been enacted even if such 35 36 invalid provisions had not been included herein.
- 37 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately provided, however, that 38 the applicable effective date of Parts A through BB of this act shall be 39 as specifically set forth in the last section of such Parts.