

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

February 7, 2020

Introduced by Sen. CARLUCCI -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to prohibiting prior authorization for medically necessary and warranted ultrasounds

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 364-j of the social services law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision 26-c to read as follows:
3 26-c. Managed care providers shall not require prior authorization for
4 any ultrasound, which, in a physician's reasonable professional judg-
5 ment, are medically necessary and warranted.
6 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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