

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

March 10, 2020

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

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to applying a special Medicaid rate for certain residential health care facilities

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 2-c of section 2808 of the public health law is  
2 amended by adding a new paragraph (h) to read as follows:

3 (h) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or regulation to the  
4 contrary, any residential health care facility established pursuant to  
5 this article located in a county larger than two thousand square miles  
6 and operated by an organization with two hundred fifty certified beds or  
7 more in such county on January first, two thousand twenty shall be reim-  
8 bursed at a rate of no less than one hundred twenty percent of the fee-  
9 for-service rate of reimbursement, calculated pursuant to this section,  
10 for such facility for inpatient services provided on or after April  
11 first, two thousand twenty.

12 § 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall  
13 have become a law.

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

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