## STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

## (Prefiled)

January 6, 2021

- Introduced by M. of A. L. ROSENTHAL, BARRON -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health -- reported and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee
- AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to making certified peer recovery advocate telehealth services and credentialed family peer advocates eligible for reimbursement

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 2999-cc of the public health law
is amended by adding a new paragraph (t-1) to read as follows:

 (t-1) certified peer recovery advocate services providers certified by
 the commissioner of addiction services and supports pursuant to section

19.18-b of the mental hygiene law and peer advocates recognized by the
office of mental health, including family peer advocates certified or

7 credentialed by the office of mental health;

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

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<sup>8 § 2.</sup> This act shall take effect immediately.