

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

January 27, 2021

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Introduced by Sens. HARCKHAM, MAY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health -- 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:

- 1 Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 2999-cc of the public health law  
2 is amended by adding a new paragraph (t-1) to read as follows:  
3 (t-1) certified peer recovery advocate services providers certified by  
4 the commissioner of addiction services and supports pursuant to section  
5 19.18-b of the mental hygiene law and peer advocates recognized by the  
6 office of mental health, including family peer advocates certified or  
7 credentialed by the office of mental health;  
8 § 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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