STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

February 22, 2021

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

AN ACT to require the office for people with developmental disabilities to establish the care demonstration program; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon the expiration thereof

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

1 Section 1. (a) The commissioner of the office for people with develop-2 mental disabilities shall establish the care demonstration program, to 3 utilize the state workforce to provide community based care to individ-4 uals with developmental disabilities.

5 (b) The services provided by such care demonstration program may 6 include, but shall not be limited to:

7 (i) community habilitation;

8 (ii) in-home respite;

9 (iii) pathways to employment;

10 (iv) supported employment (SEMP); and

11 (v) community prevocational services.

12 § 2. The commissioner of the office for people with developmental 13 disabilities shall promulgate all rules and regulations necessary to 14 implement the provisions of this act.

15 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire and be 16 deemed repealed March 31, 2024.

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

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