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IN SENATE

February 19, 2025

Introduced by Sens. HARCKHAM, FERNANDEZ, HOYLMAN-SIGAL, SALAZAR -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Crime Victims, Crime and Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to establishing a uniform electronic medical records system for correctional facilities

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

Section 1. The correction law is amended by adding a new section 144 to read as follows:

§ 144. Uniform electronic medical records. 1. The commissioner, in consultation with the commissioner of health and the commissioner of mental health, shall develop a uniform electronic medical records system to be utilized by all correctional facilities in the state.

2. The commissioner shall promulgate rules and regulations necessary for the implementation of this section.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

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

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