

STATE OF NEW YORK

8487--A

2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

August 22, 2025

Introduced by Sens. CLEARE, FERNANDEZ, GONZALEZ, JACKSON, PERSAUD, SALAZAR -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules -- recommitted to the Committee on Health in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to establishing a Legionnaires' disease awareness and education program

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 207 of the public health law is
2 amended by adding a new paragraph (t) to read as follows:

3 (t) For those at risk for Legionnaires' disease, information and
4 educational materials on the risks of Legionnaires' disease, symptoms of
5 Legionnaires' disease, preventative measures and available treatments,
6 including special consideration for seniors and vulnerable populations.

7 § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after
8 it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amend-
9 ment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implemen-
10 tation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and
11 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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