

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

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

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to medical evaluations for assisted living eligibility

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 461-1 of the social services law  
2 is amended by adding a new paragraph (e) to read as follows:

3 (e) Medical evaluations. Medical evaluations used to determine that  
4 the assisted living program can support the physical, supervisory and  
5 psycho-social needs of a resident must be conducted within thirty days  
6 prior to the date of admission and signed by either a physician, physi-  
7 cian assistant or nurse practitioner.

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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