

PROGRAM BILL #54

S. Senate

IN SENATE--Introduced by Sen

--read twice and ordered printed,
and when printed to be committed
to the Committee on

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Assembly

IN ASSEMBLY--Introduced by M. of A.

with M. of A. as co-sponsors

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Committee on

MENTHYLA
(Relates to a heroin and opioid
addiction awareness and education
program)

Men Hyg. heroin/opioid program

AN ACT

to amend the mental hygiene law, in
relation to the heroin and opioid
addiction awareness and education
program

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

IN SENATE

Senate introducer's signature

The senators whose names are circled below wish to join me in the sponsorship
of this proposal:

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| s15 Addabbo | s02 Fianagan | s28 Krueger | s55 O'Brien | s51 Seward |
| s11 Avella | s59 Gallivan | s24 Lanza | s58 O'Mara | s09 Skelos |
| s40 Ball | s12 Gianaris | s39 Larkin | s21 Parker | s14 Smith |
| s42 Bonacic | s41 Gipson | s37 Latimer | s13 Peralta | s26 Squadron |
| s04 Boyle | s22 Golden | s01 LaValle | s30 Perkins | s16 Stavisky |
| s44 Breslin | s47 Griffo | s52 Libous | s61 Ranzenhofer | s35 Stewart- |
| s38 Carlucci | s60 Grisanti | s45 Little | s48 Ritchie | Cousins |
| s50 DeFrancisco | s06 Hannon | s05 Marcellino | s33 Rivera | s46 Tkaczyk |
| s32 Diaz | s36 Hassell- | s43 Marchione | s56 Robach | s53 Valesky |
| s18 Dilan | Thompson | s07 Martins | s19 Sampson | s57 Young |
| s31 Espaillat | s27 Hoylman | s62 Maziarz | s10 Sanders | s03 Zeldin |
| s49 Farley | s63 Kennedy | s25 Montgomery | s23 Savino | s08 |
| s17 Felder | s34 Klein | s54 Nozzolio | s29 Serrano | s20 |

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly introducer's signature

The Members of the Assembly whose names are circled below wish to join me in the
multi-sponsorship of this proposal:

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| a049 Abbate | a147 DiPietro | a076 Kellner | a132 Palmesano | a099 Skoufis |
| a092 Abinanti | a115 Duprey | a040 Kim | a002 Palumbo | a022 Solages |
| a084 Arroyo | a004 Englebright | a131 Kolb | a088 Paulin | a114 Stec |
| a035 Aubry | a109 Fahy | a105 LaIor | a141 Peoples- | a110 Steck |
| a120 Barclay | a071 Farrell | a013 Lavine | Stokes | a127 Stirpe |
| a106 Barrett | a126 Finch | a050 Lentol | a058 Periy | a011 Sweeney |
| a082 Benedetto | a008 Fitzpatrick | a125 Lifton | a086 Pichardo | a112 Tedisco |
| a117 Blankenbush | a124 Friend | a102 Lopez, P. | a089 Pretlow | a101 Tenney |
| a062 Borelli | a095 Galef | a123 Lupardo | a073 Quart | a001 Thiele |
| a026 Braunstein | a137 Gantt | a010 Lupinacci | a019 Ra | a061 Titone |
| a044 Brennan | a007 Garbarino | a121 Magee | a012 Raia | a031 Titus |
| a119 Brindisi | a148 Giglio | a129 Magnarelli | a006 Ramos | a146 Walter |
| a138 Bronson | a080 Gjonaj | a064 Malliotakis | a078 Rivera | a041 Weinstein |
| a046 Brook-Krasny | a066 Glick | a030 Markey | a128 Roberts | a020 Weisenberg |
| a093 Buchwald | a023 Goldfeder | a090 Mayer | a056 Robinson | a024 Weprin |
| a118 Butler | a150 Goodell | a108 McDonald | a068 Rodriguez | a070 Wright |
| a103 Cahill | a075 Gottfried | a014 McDonough | a072 Rosa | a096 Zebrowski |
| a043 Camara | a005 Graf | a017 McKevitt | a067 Rosenthal | a054 |
| a145 Ceretto | a100 Gunther | a107 McLaughlin | a025 Rozic | a055 |
| a033 Clark | a139 Hawley | a038 Miller | a116 Russell | a059 |
| a047 Colton | a083 Heastie | a052 Millman | a149 Ryan | a060 |
| a032 Cook | a003 Hennessey | a015 Montesano | a009 Saladino | a077 |
| a144 Corwin | a028 Hevesi | a136 Morelle | a111 Santabarbara | a079 |
| a085 Crespo | a048 Hikind | a057 Mosley | a029 Scarborough | a098 |
| a122 Crouch | a018 Hooper | a039 Moya | a016 Schimel | a113 |
| a021 Curran | a042 Jacobs | a133 Nojay | a140 Schimminger | a134 |
| a063 Cusick | a097 Jaffee | a037 Nolan | a087 Sepulveda | a143 |
| a045 Cymbrowitz | a135 Johns | a130 Oaks | a065 Silver | |
| a053 Davila | a094 Katz | a069 O'Donnell | a027 Simanowitz | |
| a034 DenDekker | a074 Kavanagh | a051 Ortiz | a036 Simotas | |
| a081 Dinowitz | a142 Kearns | a091 Otis | a104 Skartados | |

1) Single House Bill (introduced and printed separately in either or
both houses). Uni-Bill (introduced simultaneously in both houses and printed
as one bill. Senate and Assembly introducer sign the same copy of the bill).

2) Circle names of co-sponsors and return to introduction clerk with 2
signed copies of bill and 4 copies of memorandum in support (single house);
or 4 signed copies of bill and 8 copies of memorandum
in support (uni-bill).

1 Section 1. Section 19.07 of the mental hygiene law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision (k) to read as follows:

3 (k) Heroin and opioid addiction awareness and education program. The
4 commissioner, in cooperation with the commissioner of the department of
5 health, shall develop and conduct a public awareness and educational
6 campaign on heroin and opioid addiction. The campaign shall utilize
7 public forums, social media and mass media, including, but not limited
8 to, internet, radio, and print advertising such as billboards and post-
9 ers and shall also include posting of materials and information on the
10 office website. The campaign shall be tailored to educate youth,
11 parents, healthcare professionals and the general public regarding: (1)
12 the risks associated with the abuse and misuse of heroin and opioids;
13 (2) how to recognize the signs of addiction; and (3) the resources
14 available for those needing assistance with heroin or opioid addiction.
15 The campaign shall further be designed to enhance awareness of the
16 opioid overdose prevention program authorized pursuant to section thir-
17 ty-three hundred nine of the public health law and the "Good Samaritan
18 law" established pursuant to sections 220.03 and 220.78 of the penal law
19 and section 390.40 of the criminal procedure law, and to reduce the
20 stigma associated with addiction.

21 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided that effective
22 immediately, all rules and regulations necessary for the implementation
23 of this act on its effective date may be promulgated prior to such
24 effective date.