

THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK



2019-2020 End of Session Update

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Lay of the Land

- Overview of the Legislature
- Current general big issues
- Long-term MSSNY issues



Bills We Support



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Collective negotiations



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Mid-year formulary changes



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Vaccine/religious exemption



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Pre-authorization reform



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Maintenance of Certification



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Network due process



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Uniform credentialing/referrals

**memos in support embedded above for more details*

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Bills We Oppose



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Opioid discussion



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Medical marijuana expansion



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Esthetician lasers



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Pharmacist vaccines



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Podiatrists



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Ex parte



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Settlement process revision



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Wrongful death expansion

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PAL Network

The PAL network is designed to strengthen and grow our grassroots efforts. Please get involved!

- Stay tuned for additional educational programs (Advocacy, topical issues, etc.)
- Be proactive and meet with members of the legislature to educate them on MSSNY's positions
- Take action by calling or writing letters to members of the legislature on key issues
 - Find your legislators at <http://tiny.cc/LegislatorLookup>
- Recruit colleagues to join the PAL or use existing relationships



Questions?

Know someone who wants to join PAL?

www.mssnypac.org/pal

Your continued advocacy makes us stronger. Please consider taking the time to grow our network of legislative and regulatory contacts and using those contacts to advance our agenda!

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Your contributions are vital for preserving physicians' practice in New York. Please consider joining the PAC and helping to recruit others to join as well.

