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Establishes the Medicaid identification and anti-fraud biometric technology pilot program; appropriates money therefor.

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Last Action (Jan 06, 2016): referred to health

Summary

This bill establishes a Medicaid biometric technology pilot program in one upstate and one downstate hospital to enhance identification and prevent fraud.

Business Impact

If you operate a healthcare facility in New York, you must implement biometric identification for Medicaid patients by 2017 or face potential fraud penalties.

Key Provisions

- Establishes a pilot program for biometric identification in Medicaid in one upstate and one downstate hospital.
- Requires biometric proof of identity for Medicaid recipients and providers.
- Mandates storage of biometric markers and visit logs.
- Includes provisions for emergency services and alternative identification.
- Requires the program to be revenue and cost-neutral.
- Allocates \$600,000 for program implementation.
- Request for proposals to be published by January 15, 2017, and opened by March 1, 2017, with a report due by March 30, 2017.

Compliance Checklist

- Implement biometric identification for Medicaid patients. | Who: Healthcare providers participating in Medicaid. | Penalty: Potential penalties for fraud if compliance is not met.
- Develop and submit proposals for biometric technology implementation. | Who: Department of Health.

Industries Affected

Technology

Healthcare

Topics

AI Privacy

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Related Bills

- A274 (NY)
- A2830 (NY)
- A04178 (NY)
- S5314 (NY)

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