



STATE OF NEW YORK
EXECUTIVE CHAMBER
ALBANY 12224

APPROVAL # 37
CHAPTER # 667

December 9, 2022

MEMORANDUM filed with Assembly Bill 8006, entitled:

“AN ACT to amend the public health law and the social services law, in relation to authorizing residents of assisted living programs to receive hospice services”

A P P R O V E D

This bill authorizes residents of assisted living programs to receive hospice services and directs the Commissioner of Health to convene a working group of stakeholders to make recommendations as to coordination and division of services, responsibilities, and reimbursement of assisted living programs and hospice programs.

This bill requires a technical amendment to address an issue regarding federal matching funds for these hospice services. Based on an agreement with the Legislature to make this change, I am signing this legislation.

This bill is approved.

Ruth Hochul