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By Council Members Levin, Menchaca, Salamanca, Richards and Kallos

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Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 1 of title 21 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 21-140 to read as follows:

§ 21-140 Client service training. a. Pursuant to subdivision c of this section, the department shall conduct two trainings per year on best practices for improving interactions between department employees and clients of the department.

<u>b. Such training shall include techniques to improve professionalism, increase cultural sensitivity and de -escalate conflict.</u>

c. The department shall provide such training to all appropriate employees identified by the department whose primary responsibilities include interacting with members of the public in a client service role at any location designated by the department either as a job center where individuals can complete an application for cash assistance in person or as a supplemental nutrition assistance program center.

<u>d. Nothing in this section shall preclude the department from providing such training to employees other</u> than those identified by the department pursuant to subdivision c of this section.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 120 days after it becomes law.

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