

## The New York City Council

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employees about mental health support and

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health coordinator to inform city employees about mental health support and services

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| 3/2/2023   | *    | City Council  | Referred to Comm by Council |        |
| 9/15/2023  | *    | Committee on Mental Health,<br>Disabilities and Addiction | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 9/15/2023  | *    | Committee on Mental Health,<br>Disabilities and Addiction | Laid Over by Committee      |        |
| 9/15/2023  | *    | Committee on Veterans                                     | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 9/15/2023  | *    | Committee on Veterans                                     | Laid Over by Committee      |        |
| 12/20/2023 | *    | Committee on Mental Health,<br>Disabilities and Addiction | Amendment Proposed by Comm  |        |
| 12/20/2023 | *    | Committee on Mental Health,<br>Disabilities and Addiction | Amended by Committee        |        |
| 12/20/2023 | *    | Committee on Mental Health,<br>Disabilities and Addiction | Approved by Committee       | Pass   |
| 12/20/2023 | *    | Committee on Mental Health,<br>Disabilities and Addiction | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 12/20/2023 | Α    | City Council  | Approved by Council         | Pass   |
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Int. No. 946-A

By Council Members Hudson, Lee, Yeger, Louis, Richardson Jordan, Abreu, Farías, De La Rosa, Schulman, Holden, Riley, Ung, Marte, Narcisse, Dinowitz, Ossé, Barron, Avilés, Nurse, Won, Cabán, Krishnan, Joseph, Hanks, Menin, Moya, Gutiérrez, Brannan, Sanchez, Brooks-Powers, Gennaro, Williams, Brewer, Velázquez, Hanif, Powers, Bottcher, Feliz, Rivera, Salamanca, Stevens, Paladino and Kagan

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to creating a mental health coordinator to inform city employees about mental health support and services

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 1 of title 12 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding

a new section 12-141 to read as follows:

§ 12-141 Mental health coordinator. a. The head of each agency shall designate an employee as such

agency's mental health coordinator.

b. Such mental health coordinator shall assist their respective agency in coordinating such agency's

efforts to comply with the Americans with disabilities act of 1990, as amended, and other federal, state, and

local laws and regulations concerning accessibility and support for city employees with mental health needs.

c. Such mental health coordinator shall conduct outreach to employees of their respective agency about

mental health services and support services available to such employees, including but not limited to the

employee assistance program and, as appropriate, referral to the agency's equal employment opportunity officer

for assessment for a reasonable accommodation.

§ 2. This local law shall take effect in 120 days.

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