

NURSING HOME LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Governor Cuomo has signed legislation that increases the quality of care for nursing home residents and will help address staffing issues.



After years of CSEA members' activism, the State Senate and Assembly have passed legislation that sets a statewide uniform number of hours of care that nursing home residents must receive daily. This new requirement will help ensure that all nursing home residents receive proper levels of care, while also ensuring that staffing levels are increased to be in compliance with this law.



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What You Need To Know

**Beginning on
January 1, 2022:**

- Nursing home residents must receive a minimum of 3.5 hours of nursing care per day, of which:
- At least 2.2 hours are from a CNA
- At least 1.1 hours are from an RN or a LPN
- DOH can issue civil penalties for non compliance



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