

LOCAL LAW NO. 11-92
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW REQUIRING INMATES OF CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY JAIL TO PAY FOR MEDICAL AND DENTAL SERVICES IF COVERED BY HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY, AS AUTHORIZED BY CHAPTER 481 OF THE LAWS OF NEW YORK STATE

BE IT ENACTED, by the County Legislature of the County of Chautauqua, New York as follows:

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this local law is to authorize the County of Chautauqua to obtain reimbursement from any third party health insurance coverage or indemnification carried by any inmate of the Chautauqua County jail for the costs of any medical and dental services provided to such inmate, including diagnoses, test, studies or analyses for the diagnosis of a disease or disability, and care and treatment by a hospital as defined in Article 28 of New York's Public Health Law, and by a physician or dentist.

Section 2. Authorization. The County of Chautauqua, pursuant to Section 500-h (2) of the New York State Correction Law as the same may be amended from time to time, is hereby authorized to obtain reimbursement for costs paid by medical and dental services delivered to inmates of the Chautauqua County Jail from any third party coverage or indemnification shall be applied against the total cost of the hospital or other provider as established in accordance with the provisions of Section 2807 of the Public Health Law relating to rates of payment.

Section 3. Effective Date. This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to the Municipal Home Rule Law.

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