

2024 New York State Spring Cancer Action Day Legislative Requests

- 1) **Co-sponsor S2821B/A4053B** improving access to paid medical leave. All working cancer patients, survivors, and caregivers should have access to paid family and medical leave that allows them to take time off work to attend to their own or a loved one's care without losing their job or income. **Please co-sponsor this legislation and ask your Conference to support it and pass it before adjourning in June.**
- 2) **Co-sponsor S8553-A/XYZ** improving access to lung cancer screening by eliminating patient cost-sharing for follow up screening. Out-of-pocket costs for individuals lead to delayed or missed lung cancer screenings. Delayed or missed screenings can lead to delays in follow-up testing and treatment, which ultimately impacts a patient's survival. **Please co-sponsor the legislation and ask your Conference to support it.**
- 3) **Co-sponsor S1208/A7451 and S5415-A/A2083-A** prohibiting genetic testing results from being shared by anyone other than patients and health care providers and prohibiting medical, life, accident, health, disability, or long-term health insurance plans from conditioning insurance rates, renewals, or any other coverage on the agreement of an individual to undergo genetic testing. **Please co-sponsor the legislation and ask your Conference to support it?**
- 4) **Co-sponsor S1531/A7154** requiring health care providers who administer any vaccines to a person 19 years of age or older to report all such vaccinations to the NYS Immunization Information System (NYSIIS) or the NYC Citywide Immunization Registry (CIR). Having accurate information on adult vaccinations is important to protecting both the health of individual New Yorkers and the public. **Please co-sponsor the legislation and ask your Conference to support it?**

ACS CAN is making cancer a top priority for public officials and candidates at the federal, state, and local levels. ACS CAN empowers advocates across the country to make their voices heard and influence evidence-based public policy change as well as legislative and regulatory solutions that will reduce the cancer burden. As the American Cancer Society's nonprofit, nonpartisan advocacy affiliate, ACS CAN is critical to the fight for a world without cancer.

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