PRSRT STD. U.S. Postage PAID Albany, NY Permit No. 75

7293 Buckley Road, Suite 201 N. Syracuse, NY 13212

> Assemblyman Al Stirpe is helping reform New York's nursing homes and longterm care facilities

## 66

We can't allow the tragedies that took place in our nursing homes during this pandemic to ever happen again. That's why I'm fighting to improve safety standards and ensure all New Yorkers receive the quality of care they need.<sup>99</sup>

- Assemblyman Al Stirpe

## **Assemblyman Al Stirpe:** *Protecting our most vulnerable residents*

To help ensure our loved ones receive the best possible care, Assemblyman Stirpe championed new laws to improve nursing home and long-term care practices:

- **Require safe staffing standards in nursing homes** to ensure every resident receives quality care (Ch. 156 of 2021)
- Require more thorough reviews of nursing homes when there is a change in ownership or operations (Ch. 102 of 2021)
- Establish guidelines for the transfer, discharge and voluntary discharge of individuals from residential health care facilities to ensure their health and safety is protected (Ch. 80 of 2021)
- Establish guidelines to safely allow personal and compassionate caregiving visitation at nursing homes and adult care facilities (Ch. 89 of 2021)
- Require residential health care facility operators to provide residents and their families with the information they need to access critical updates online and make informed decisions about facility placement (Ch. 344 of 2021)



## ie is also working to:

- Require residential health care facilities to provide notice to all residents and their family or caregivers within 12 hours of an infection being detected in the facility (A.6052)
- Direct the DOH to make the results of all nursing home and residential health care facility inspections publicly available (A.1010-A)
- Prohibit the establishment of new for-profit nursing home licenses or expanding the capacity of existing for-profit nursing homes (A.5842)

## **Assemblyman Al Stirpe**

7293 Buckley Road / Suite 201 / N. Syracuse, NY 13212 315-452-1115 / StirpeA@nyassembly.gov