The Legislator Scorecard is a summary of the voting and co-sponsorship records of each state legislator on issues important to New York physicians during the 2023 legislative session.

Physicians should be aware that there are a variety of factors relevant to contribution decisions which are not reflected in a scorecard. These include such things as: whether a legislator is in the majority or minority, the margin between majority and minority in a particular house, whether a legislator chairs a particularly relevant committee, and whether a member holds a leadership position in their legislative body.

It is also important to consider such things as: how a legislator is regarded by their colleagues, debate participation, and the negotiating role of a particular legislator. Furthermore, in New York State, many political decisions take place behind the scenes. There are many instances in which a legislator helps MSSNY by making sure a bad bill never reaches a floor vote, or amends a bill to address the concerns of physicians. Scorecards do not reflect that "value" element.

Both membership in MSSNY and monetary contributions to MSSNYPAC are what makes this work possible and what keeps us working on behalf of New York physicians and their patients. Not only do we work proactively, but we also help defeat regressive and inappropriate scope of practice expansions put forward by other interest groups. The collective voice of physicians represented by MSSNY is vitally important and your support is crucial. Thank you.

The four bills supported by MSSNY on the scorecard include:

- A6017/S3449 MSSNY CPH Liability Protection
- A7268/S3400 Prior Authorization Reform
- A7316/S6733 Telehealth Payment Parity Extension
- A1777/S3282 Due Process for Non-Renewed Providers

The one bill opposed by MSSNY on the scorecard includes:

A6698/S6636 - Wrongful Death Expansion

To view details pertaining to the substance of the bills listed and MSSNY's position, view our Memos in Support and Opposition.

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						S/CV	S/CV - Assembly FV - Senate	S/CV	FV	Thumbs Up	Thumbs Down	[Favor] - [Not]
ASSEMBLY												
Charles	Fall	D		On Assembly Aging and Consumer Affairs & Protection Committees.	&					1	0	1
Sam	Pirozzolo	R	AD-63	On Assembly Aging and Education Committees.	&	6			9	2	1	1
Michael	Reilly	R	AD-62	On Assembly Codes and Higher Education Committees. Good working relationship with MSSNY staff and local physicians.	•			4	4	2	1	1
Michael	Tannousis	R	AD-64	On Assembly Codes and Judiciary Committees.	4	8		4	9	3	1	2
					4F / 0NF	2F / 0NF	0F / 0NF	2F / 0NF	0F / 3NF			

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SENATE													
Andrew J.	Lanza	R/IP/C	SD-24	On Senate Labor, Judiciary, and Rules Committees. Good working relationship with MSSNY staff.	&		&		9	2	1	1	
Jessica	Scarcella-Spanton	D	SD-23	Chair of Senate Veterans, Homeland Security, and Military Affairs Committee. Also on Insurance and Labor Committees. Sponsor of legislation to further limit timeframe for health insurer audits.	۵		&		9	2	1	1	
					2F / 0NF	0F / 0NF	2F / 0NF	0F / 0NF	0F / 2NF				