

University of Maryland. The Department replaced the coroners of Baltimore City by a Chief and two Assistant Medical Examiners, and the county coroners by Deputy Medical Examiners. In 1957 the General Assembly authorized three Assistant Medical Examiners and an Assistant Toxicologist. In 1965 an additional Assistant Medical Examiner and an Immunochemist were added and in 1969 a Deputy Chief Medical Examiner and an additional Toxicologist were authorized. The Commission appoints all personnel. The medical examiners investigate violent and suspicious deaths or deaths unattended by a physician throughout the State. They must file a report of all deaths investigated with the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.

The records of the Department are open for inspection to the family of the deceased and are acceptable in Court as evidence of the facts contained. The county pays the Deputy Medical Examiners for each death investigated. The State Comptroller pays the salaries of the Chief Medical Examiner, the Assistant Medical Examiners, and the Toxicologists, and the expenses of performing autopsies in the counties and the transportation of bodies incident thereto. All other expenses of the Department are paid by the City of Baltimore (Code 1957, 1966 Repl. Vol., Art. 22).

Appropriations	1973	1974
Special Funds	\$433,080	\$382,799
Staff: 13.		

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

Chairman: Gerald A. Whitmarsh, 1976
 Lloyd Schwartz, Ph.D., 1974; Roger K. Williams, Ph.D., 1974;
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The practice of psychology in Maryland is regulated by the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists, established by Chapter 748, Acts of 1957. This Board consists of five members appointed by the Governor upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, from a list of nominees presented by the Maryland Psychological Association, Inc. (Code 1957, 1971 Repl. Vol., Art. 43, secs. 618-44). Members of the Board serve three-year terms.

The Board evaluates the qualifications of psychologists in the State and issues certificates to those who fulfill the requirements. The certificates must be renewed annually. The Board administers examinations to qualified applicants for certification at least once each year. Each year, the Board publishes a complete roster of certified psychologists in the State.

Appropriations	1973	1974
Special Funds	\$4,950	\$4,750
Staff: 1.		

RADIATION CONTROL ADVISORY BOARD

Chairman: John W. Stout, Jr., 1976
 Russell Morgan, 1974; A. L. Penniman, Jr., 1974; Henry N. Wagner, Jr., M.D., 1975; Dick Duffey, 1975; Victor A. McKusick, 1975;