

name by Chapter 89, Acts of 1961. The Hospital provides for the care, education, training, and habilitation of mentally retarded children from all parts of the State.

The hospital is licensed for 2,643 residents.

Appropriations	1973	1974
General Funds .....	\$15,743,424	\$16,932,748
Special Funds .....		18,150
Totals .....	\$15,743,424	\$16,950,898

Staff: 1973, 1,598; Staff: 1974, 1,583.

### BALTIMORE CITY HOSPITALS "D" BUILDING

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A mental retardation unit and a psychiatric screening and evaluation unit at the Baltimore City Hospitals "D" Building were created by statute, with both units admitting their first patients in November, 1972.

The Mental Retardation Unit, operated by the Mental Retardation Administration, is designed to provide intensive habilitation for physically handicapped, mentally retarded persons between the ages of 3-16 years. The major emphasis of the unit's program is the provision of mobilization training for both nonambulatory and partially ambulatory retarded individuals. The unit occupies one floor of the Baltimore City Hospitals "D" Building and has a resident capacity of 147.

The Psychiatric Screening and Evaluation Unit, operated by the Mental Hygiene Administration, has been established to provide the police and judges of Baltimore City with an appropriate facility to evaluate persons who come to their attention as potentially mentally disordered individuals. Formerly these persons had to be held in jail until a physician could see them. After evaluation, some patients are admitted to the State hospitals, others are referred to community mental health service programs, and a small number are returned to the correctional system for trial. When all community mental health service programs in Baltimore City are fully developed, this unit may no longer be necessary.

Appropriations	1973	1974
General Funds .....	\$1,308,842	\$1,435,174

Staff: 1973, 146; Staff: 1974, 139.

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The Administration, formerly the Department of Mental Hygiene, was established by Chapter 685, Acts of 1949 to supersede the Board