

REGIONAL INSTITUTE FOR CHILDREN
AND ADOLESCENTS—BALTIMORE

Clifford A. Palmer, *Administrator*

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Baltimore, MD 21229 368-6600

The Regional Institute for Children and Adolescents—Baltimore provides intensive inpatient and outpatient psychiatric care for children who are seriously emotionally ill. The Institute, which opened in 1958, is funded for an average daily population of 37 residential patients, with an average day treatment capacity for 50 adolescents.

CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD FOR REGIONAL
INSTITUTE FOR CHILDREN AND
ADOLESCENTS—BALTIMORE

Chairperson: Dr. Herbert Garber, 1989

George W. Jones, 1988; Nancy L. Murphy, 1988;
Ralph A. Straley, 1988; Donna A. Artis, 1989;
Gloria D. Stokes, 1989; *one vacancy*.

The Board consists of seven members appointed to four-year terms by the Governor upon recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene.

REGIONAL INSTITUTE FOR CHILDREN
AND ADOLESCENTS—CHELTENHAM

Larry H. McAvoy, *Director*

Cheltenham, MD 20623 372-6121

The Regional Institute opened as Cheltenham Center in 1976. Then, it was funded by a State grant from the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene through the Prince George's County Health Department. In 1982, the Center became a State institution renamed the Regional Institute for Children and Adolescents—Cheltenham (Chapter 891, Acts of 1982). The Institute serves severely emotionally disturbed boys and girls, ages 12 to 18 years old, from Prince George's, St. Mary's, Calvert and Charles counties.

Most young people at the Institute reside there. Their average length of stay is eight months. Some day students receive therapy and schooling at the Institute but live at home. The Institute is funded to serve an average daily population of 28, which includes students referred by the court for evaluation and young people who receive day treatment.

CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD FOR REGIONAL
INSTITUTE FOR CHILDREN AND
ADOLESCENTS—CHELTENHAM

Co-Chairperson: Elmer R. Phillips, 1989

Co-Chairperson: Beatrice Rodgers, 1990

Mary Jane Kelley, 1988; Carole A. Pinckney, 1988;
Kirwan Wineland, 1989; Paul V. Lemkau, 1991;
five vacancies.

Appointed by the Governor upon recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Board has eleven members who serve four-year terms. Members include two residents each of Calvert, Charles and St. Mary's counties, and five residents of Prince George's County. One member from each county must be a parent or other relative of a resident or former resident of the Institute (Code Health—General Article, sec. 10-411).

REGIONAL INSTITUTE FOR CHILDREN
AND ADOLESCENTS—ROCKVILLE

John L. Gildner, *Administrator*

15000 Broschart Road
Rockville, MD 20850 251-6800

The Regional Institute for Children and Adolescents—Rockville provides treatment for emotionally handicapped children from Frederick, Howard, Montgomery, Prince George's and Washington counties. It offers an intensive diagnostic and treatment unit, and residential and day treatment. Educational services are provided by the Montgomery County Department of Education.

Day treatment is funded to provide for an average daily population of 90 children between the ages of 5 and 18. The Institute is funded to serve an average daily population of 45 young people in residence.

CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD FOR REGIONAL
INSTITUTE FOR CHILDREN AND
ADOLESCENTS—ROCKVILLE

Chairperson: Odessa M. Shannon, 1991

Jean Robert Herdt, M.D., 1989; Barbara Burklew, 1990; Thaddeus Meade Felton, 1992; Carol S. Petzold, 1992; Rev. Lionel Pointer, 1992; Walter E. Sowlkes, 1992.

The seven-member Board is appointed to four-year terms by the Governor upon recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene.

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL CENTER

Bruce Hershfield, *Acting Superintendent*

Sykesville, MD 21784 795-2100

Springfield Hospital Center was established in 1894 as Second Hospital for the Insane of the State of Maryland (Chapter 231, Acts of 1894). The Hospital opened for patients in 1896. It was renamed Springfield State Hospital in 1900 (Chapter 70, Acts of 1900).

The Center admits mentally ill patients from Baltimore City and from Carroll, Frederick, Garrett, Howard and Montgomery counties. The facility is funded for an average daily population of 835 patients (Code Health—General Article, sec. 10-406).