

(h) (1) If the program is based on and complies with standards established by the bylaws, rules, and regulations of the State Board, the State Superintendent shall approve any program of instruction offered by a State institution under the supervision of:

(i) The Juvenile Services Administration, MENTAL RETARDATION ADMINISTRATION, or Mental Hygiene Administration of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene;

(ii) The Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services; or

(iii) The residential school located within the Institute of Psychiatry and Human Behavior of the University Hospital.

(2) If the State Superintendent grants approval, he shall issue a certificate of approval for the program to the institution that offers the program.

(3) The certificate may be revoked for cause by the State Superintendent.

(4) Each institution that offers an approved program shall:

(i) Be open at all reasonable times for inspection of the program by the State Superintendent or his designated agent; and

(ii) Furnish the information and reports that the State Superintendent considers necessary for evaluation of the program.

(5) The State Superintendent shall issue a certificate of completion of credit to a resident of an institution who successfully completes an approved program of instruction.

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(b) If an agreement made under this section establishes a separate administrative entity to conduct or administer the joint or cooperative undertaking with power to employ persons, receive and spend money, or receive and spend federal or State grants and appropriations, the agreement shall specify the following:

(1) The duration of the agreement;

(2) The organization, composition, and nature of any separate administrative entity established;