

- (1) Otherwise is entitled to the license;
- (2) Pays to the Secretary THE [a] renewal fee [of \$10] SET BY THE SECRETARY IN REGULATIONS; AND.
- (3) Submits to the Secretary;
 - (i) A renewal application on the form that the Secretary requires; and
 - (ii) Satisfactory evidence of compliance with any requirements set under this subtitle for license renewal.

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(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES TO:

- (1) NONACCREDITED HOSPITALS FOUND IN VIOLATION OF THE STANDARDS ADOPTED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE; AND
- (2) ACCREDITED HOSPITALS FOUND DEFICIENT AS A RESULT OF THE COMPLAINT REVIEW PROCESS.

(B) IF CONDITIONS ARE FOUND TO BE DETRIMENTAL TO PATIENT HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ALLOW THE HOSPITAL 30 DAYS TO ADDRESS THE DEFICIENCIES IN OTHER THAN LIFE THREATENING SITUATIONS. IF CORRECTIONS CANNOT BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE 30 DAY PERIOD, THE DEPARTMENT MAY ACCEPT A PLAN OF CORRECTION BASED UPON EVIDENCE THAT CORRECTIVE ACTION HAS BEEN UNDERTAKEN BY THE HOSPITAL. PERIODIC UPDATES OF THE PLAN OF CORRECTION MAY BE REQUESTED BY THE DEPARTMENT. IF A LIFE THREATENING CONDITION IS FOUND TO EXIST, THE DEPARTMENT MAY ORDER THE HOSPITAL TO INITIATE IMMEDIATE CORRECTIVE ACTION. IF THE HOSPITAL IS UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO CORRECT THE CONDITION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY:

~~{1}--ASSESS-AND-IMPOSE-A-CIVIL-PENALTY;-AND~~

~~{2} (1) FOR AN ACCREDITED HOSPITAL, REVOKE OR SUSPEND THE LICENSURE ENTITLEMENT OF SECTION 19-319(C)(2)(1) OR IMPOSE APPROPRIATE OPERATING CONDITIONS; OR~~

~~{3} (2) FOR AN UNACCREDITED HOSPITAL, REVOKE OR SUSPEND THE LICENSE TO OPERATE OR IMPOSE APPROPRIATE OPERATING CONDITIONS.~~

~~{C}--{1}--A-CIVIL-PENALTY--MAY--BE--ASSESSED--AGAINST--A HOSPITAL--UNDER--THIS-SECTION-BY-THE-SECRETARY-OF-HEALTH-AND MENTAL-HYGIENE-OR-HIS-DESIGNEE-ONLY-AFTER-THE--HOSPITAL--HAS BEEN--GIVEN--WRITTEN-NOTICE-AND-AN-OPPORTUNITY-FOR-A-HEARING IN-ACCORDANCE--WITH--THE--ADMINISTRATIVE--PROCEDURE--ACT--A DESIGNEE--OF--THE--SECRETARY--MAY--NOT-BE-AN-EMPLOYEE-OF-THE DIVISION-OF-LICENSING-AND-CERTIFICATION-OF--THE--DEPARTMENT.~~