

RECORD, HOSPITAL REPORT, LABORATORY REPORT, X-RAY REPORT, OR OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT A PATIENT IN AN EFFORT TO CONCEAL THE INFORMATION FROM USE AS EVIDENCE IN AN ADMINISTRATIVE, CIVIL, OR CRIMINAL PROCEEDING.

(C) PENALTY.

A PROVIDER WHO VIOLATES ANY PROVISION OF THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$5,000 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 1 YEAR OR BOTH.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Article 27, § 275A.

The former specific references to an "osteopath" and "surgeon" are deleted as unnecessary in light of the broad reference to "physician".

Defined terms: "Person" § 1-101
"Physician" § 1-101

TITLE 5. DEATH.

SUBTITLE 1. "BODY" DEFINED.

5-101. "BODY" DEFINED.

IN THIS TITLE, "BODY" MEANS A DEAD HUMAN BODY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language added to avoid repetition of the phrase "dead human body" and to standardize references such as "corpse", "dead body", and "deceased human body".

SUBTITLE 2. DEFINITION OF DEATH.

5-201. SCOPE OF SUBTITLE.

THE DEFINITIONS OF DEATH IN THIS SUBTITLE ARE ALTERNATIVES AND, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, SHALL BE USED FOR ALL PURPOSES IN THIS STATE, INCLUDING THE TRIALS OF CIVIL AND CRIMINAL CASES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as Article 43, § 54F(c).

The only changes are in style.

Defined term: "Includes"/"including" § 1-101

5-202. ABSENCE OF RESPIRATORY AND CARDIAC FUNCTION.

(A) DETERMINATION OF DEATH.