

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection formerly appeared as the first sentence and the first clause of the second sentence of Article 59A, § 3(b).

In the introductory clause of paragraph (1) of this subsection, the former reference to the process "by which any person has been determined to be mentally retarded" is deleted since, under paragraph (3) of this subsection, the determination process is not an admission. The term "mentally retarded individual" is used in this title only if there is a determination. See § 7-104 of this subtitle.

In paragraph (1)(ii) of this subsection, the phrase "that provides treatment for" is substituted for "intended to be used for the care of", for brevity.

The only other changes are in style.

The second clause of former Article 59A, § 3(b), which defined "admission" differently for purposes of reimbursement, now appears in Title 16 of this article.

Defined terms: "Comprehensive evaluation" § 7-101
 "Facility" § 7-101 "Treatment" § 7-101
 "Includes"/"including" § 1-101
 "Mentally retarded individual" § 7-101

(D) COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION.

"COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION" MEANS A STUDY OF AN INDIVIDUAL, INCLUDING A SERIES OF OBSERVATIONS AND EXAMINATIONS, THAT IS MADE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE INDIVIDUAL IS A MENTALLY RETARDED INDIVIDUAL AND, IF SO, TO RECOMMEND SERVICES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection formerly appeared as the first sentence of Article 59A, § 3(d) -- except the last clause of that sentence.

The reference to a determination "whether the individual is a mentally retarded individual" is substituted for the ambiguous reference to "conclusions". This substitution is based on former Article 59A, §§ 10(b) and 11(b), which described what must be determined during a comprehensive evaluation. See §§ 7-503 and 7-504 of this title.

The only other changes are in style.

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