

Subsection (b) of this section is new language derived without substantive change from the second clause of the first sentence and the entire second sentence of former Article 59A, § 3(d).

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

SUBTITLE 2. MENTAL RETARDATION ADMINISTRATION.

7-201. ADMINISTRATION ESTABLISHED.

THERE IS A MENTAL RETARDATION ADMINISTRATION IN THE DEPARTMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the second clause of former Article 59A, § 4(a) and rephrased in the standard language for creation of a unit.

It is set forth as a separate section for emphasis.

Defined term: "Department" § 1-101

7-202. DIRECTOR.

(A) POSITION AND APPOINTMENT.

THE HEAD OF THE ADMINISTRATION IS THE DIRECTOR, WHO SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY.

(B) RESPONSIBILITY TO SECRETARY.

THE DIRECTOR SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE SECRETARY.

(C) QUALIFICATIONS.

THE DIRECTOR SHALL BE AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS DEMONSTRATED COMPETENCE IN THE FIELD OF MENTAL RETARDATION AND ITS ADMINISTRATION.

(D) SALARY.

THE DIRECTOR IS ENTITLED TO THE SALARY PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as the first through fourth sentences of Article 59A, § 7.