

In item (3) of this section, the reference to "welfare" procedures is added to conform to the references in items (4) and (5)(ii) of this section.

Also in item (3) of this section, the defined term "chronic alcoholic {s}" is substituted for the reference to "chronic inebriates", for clarity.

In item (6) of this section, the reference to "intoxication" is substituted for "drunkenness", for clarity.

In item (8) of this section, the reference to being taken "to a health facility for ... treatment" is substituted for the reference to being taken "to a private health facility, or to a public health facility for ... treatment", to clarify that treatment is to be available at either the public or private facility.

Defined terms: "Chronic alcoholic" § 8-101
"Includes"/"including" § 1-101

8-103. CONSTRUCTION OF TITLE.

(A) CONSISTENT WITH FINDINGS.

THIS TITLE SHALL BE CONSTRUED IN A MANNER CONSISTENT WITH THE FINDINGS STATED IN THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) RECOGNITION.

EACH PUBLIC OFFICER IN THIS STATE SHALL RECOGNIZE THESE FINDINGS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the second sentence of former Article 2C, § 102(i).

References to "findings" are substituted for the reference to "policy", to conform to § 8-102 of this subtitle.

8-104. SCOPE OF TITLE.

(A) IN GENERAL.

THIS TITLE APPLIES TO A CHRONIC ALCOHOLIC WHO HAS NOT BEEN FOUND TO HAVE A MENTAL DISORDER UNDER THE LAWS THAT RELATE TO THE DETERMINATION OF MENTAL DISORDERS.

(B) APPLICATION OF MENTAL HEALTH LAWS.