

THE DIRECTOR SHALL:

(1) HAVE AT LEAST:

(I) A BACCALAUREATE DEGREE; AND

(II) EXPERIENCE IN HEALTH ADMINISTRATION;

AND

(2) BE ~~QUALIFIED--IN~~ KNOWLEDGEABLE ABOUT THE FUNCTIONS AND PROGRAMS OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

(D) SALARY.

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

(E) GENERAL RESPONSIBILITY.

THE DIRECTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR CARRYING OUT THE POWERS, DUTIES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as the second through fifth sentences and the second clause of the sixth sentence of Article 2C, § 301(a).

The only changes are in style.

Defined terms: "Administration" § 8-101
"Director" § 8-101 "Secretary" § 1-101

8-203. AUTHORITY OF SECRETARY; REPORTS TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

(A) IN GENERAL.

THE DIRECTOR EXERCISES THE POWERS, DUTIES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF OFFICE SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY.

(B) REPORTS TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

THE DIRECTOR SHALL REPORT TO THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTIONS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) of this section is new language patterned after the provision governing the authority of the Director of the Drug Abuse Administration, in § 9-203 of this article. This addition is based on former Article 41, § 206D(b) -- now § 2-103(c) of this article -- which provides that the Assistant Secretary of Mental Health and Addictions is responsible to the