

(II) APPROPRIATE TIME PERIODS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, IMPLEMENTATION, AND REVIEW OF EACH PLAN.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as Article 59, § 3A.

In subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to "soon or after October 1, 1973" is deleted as obsolete.

Also in subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to a facility "licensed by or under the jurisdiction of the Department" is deleted as unnecessary.

Defined terms: "Director" § 10-101
 "Facility" § 10-101 "Treatment" § 10-101
 "Includes"/"including" § 1-101

10-706. TREATMENT OF MINORS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

EACH MINOR WHO IS BEING CARED FOR OR TREATED IN A RESIDENTIAL, PUBLIC STATE FACILITY SHALL BE PLACED IN A UNIT FOR MINORS AND MAY NOT BE PLACED IN A UNIT WHERE ADULTS ARE PLACED, UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL PLAN OF TREATMENT FOR THE MINOR PROVIDES OTHERWISE.

(B) ENFORCEMENT.

A PERSON, ON BEHALF OF THE MINOR, MAY FILE A PETITION IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY WHERE THE FACILITY IS LOCATED, TO COMPEL COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Article 59, § 37.

In subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to a public facility "as defined in § 31 of this article under the general jurisdiction of the Director ... or any similar appropriate public facility" is deleted as unnecessary.

The Commission to Revise the Annotated Code notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that Ch. 535, Acts of 1981, amended former Article 59, § 37(a), with the apparent intent to prohibit the placement of minors with adults, regardless of the recommendation of the plan of treatment for the minor. However, while the reference to the plan was stricken from former Article 59, § 37(a)(1), the reference to the plan