The Commission to Revise the Annotated Code notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that, in addition to this subtitle and the provisions for licensed family care homes, other provisions for young children outside of their homes appear in: (1) Article 88A, §§ 19 through 32 of the Code, which relate to child care homes and institutions; (2) ED § 2-206, which relates to noncollegiate educational institutions; and (3) Title 6, Subtitle 1 of this article, which relates to care of certain juveniles.

The Commission also notes that a clearer statement of the relationship of this subtitle to the rights and powers of the State Social Services Administration and the State and county departments of education may be warranted.

See also ED § 7-109, which requires a county board of education to give priority to a nonprofit group day care center for the use of school facilities.

Defined term: "County" § 1-101

14-104. RULES AND REGULATIONS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

THE SECRETARY SHALL ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR LICENSING AND OPERATING GROUP DAY CARE CENTERS.

(B) CONTENTS.

THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS SHALL:

- (1) ENSURE SAFE AND SANITARY CONDITIONS IN GROUP DAY CARE CENTERS;
- (2) ENSURE PROPER CARE, PROTECTION, AND SUPERVISION OF CHILDREN IN GROUP DAY CARE CENTERS;
- (3) PROMOTE THE SOUND GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDREN IN GROUP DAY CARE CENTERS; AND
- (4) CARRY OUT OTHERWISE THE PURPOSES AND REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as the first sentence of Article 43, § 713.

The only changes are in style.

The second sentence of former Article 43, § 713,