

health--professional--before--the--health--professional---is approved--for--a--certain--competency,--requiring--currently employed--health--professionals--to--obtain--an--appropriate certificate--of--competency--from--their--licensing--boards--by--a certain---date,---and---generally---relating---to---English communication--proficiency--by--certain--health--professionals.

BY-renumbering

Article---Health---General
Section-19-354--through--19-360--and--the--part--"Part--VII--
Prohibited--Acts,--Penalties,--Liability",--and-19-361
through---19-367---and---the---part---"Part---VIII--
Intermediate-Sanction",--respectively
to-be-Section-19-357-through-19-363-and-the-part-"Part-VIII--
-Prohibited-Acts,--Penalties,--Liability",--and-Section
19-366---through--19-372--and--the--part--"Part--IX--
Intermediate-Sanction",--respectively
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BY-adding-to

Article---Health---General
Section--19-354--to--be--under--the--new--part--"Part---VII--
Miscellaneous"
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SECTION--1--BE--IT--ENACTED--BY--THE--GENERAL--ASSEMBLY--OF
MARYLAND,--That--Section(s)-19-354--through--19-360--and--the--part
"Part--VII--Prohibited--Acts,--Penalties,--Liability",--and-19-361
through-19-367--and--the--part--"Part-VIII--Intermediate--Sanction",
respectively,--of--Article---Health---General--of--the--Annotated-Code
of--Maryland--be--renumbered--to--be--Section(s)-19-357--through-19-363
and--the--part--"Part-VIII--Prohibited-Acts,--Penalties,--Liability",
and--19-366--through--19-372--and--the--part--"Part-IX--Intermediate
Sanction",--respectively;

SECTION-2--AND-BE-IT-FURTHER--ENACTED,--That--the--Laws--of
Maryland--read--as--follows:

Article---Health---General

PART-VII--MISCELLANEOUS

19-354.

(A)--ALL--PROFESSIONAL--STAFF--MEMBERS--WHO--ORALLY--COMMUNICATE
WITH--PATIENTS--AND--WHO--ARE--EMPLOYED--IN--HOSPITALS--LICENSED--IN--THIS