

BY adding to

Article 41 – Governor – Executive and Administrative Departments
Section 18–318
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1997 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 41 – Governor – Executive and Administrative Departments

18–318.

(A) THERE IS A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE HEALTH CARE NEEDS OF INMATES IN TRANSITION FROM CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

(B) THE TASK FORCE CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

(1) TWO MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE;

(2) TWO MEMBERS OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE;

(3) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE;

(4) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS;

(5) ONE LICENSED PHYSICIAN WITH EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH RELEASED INMATES IN TRANSITION;

(6) ONE REGISTERED NURSE WITH EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH RELEASED INMATES IN TRANSITION;

(7) ONE LICENSED SOCIAL WORKER WITH EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH RELEASED INMATES IN TRANSITION;

(8) ONE LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST WITH EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH RELEASED INMATES IN TRANSITION;

(9) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM A COUNTY SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM;

(10) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM A BALTIMORE CITY SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM;

(11) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM A COUNTY HEALTH CLINIC PROGRAM;

(12) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM A BALTIMORE CITY HEALTH CLINIC PROGRAM;

(13) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL SERVICES DIRECTORS;