

FOR THE COUNTY UNDER § 13-1108 OF THIS SUBTITLE AS THEY RELATE TO ENHANCING THE CAPACITY FOR CANCER SCREENING AND TREATMENT IN THE COUNTY.

~~(E)~~ (F) A LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER WHO SEEKS TO OBTAIN A LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH CANCER GRANT SHALL APPLY TO THE DEPARTMENT BY SUBMITTING A COPY OF THE COUNTY'S COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR CANCER PREVENTION, ~~IDENTIFICATION~~ EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT FOR APPROVAL.

~~(F)~~ (G) EACH YEAR, A LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE COMMUNITY HEALTH COALITION, SHALL UPDATE THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR CANCER PREVENTION, ~~IDENTIFICATION~~ EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT.

~~(G)~~ (H) (1) THE DEPARTMENT MAY DESIGNATE A PERSON OTHER THAN THE HEAD OF A COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO COORDINATE A COUNTY'S CANCER PREVENTION, ~~IDENTIFICATION~~ EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT EFFORTS IF:

(I) THE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS UNWILLING TO COORDINATE THESE EFFORTS;

(II) THE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL IN IMPLEMENTING CANCER PREVENTION, ~~IDENTIFICATION~~ EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT INITIATIVES THAT SATISFY PERFORMANCE STANDARDS ESTABLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT; OR

(III) THE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT LACKS SUFFICIENT STAFF OR RESOURCES TO COORDINATE THESE EFFORTS.

(2) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ~~ADOPT~~ ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR MAKING A DESIGNATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.

(3) IF THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT IT IS NECESSARY TO DESIGNATE A PERSON OTHER THAN THE LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER TO COORDINATE A COUNTY'S CANCER PREVENTION, EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT EFFORTS, THE DEPARTMENT MAY DESIGNATE THE DEPARTMENT AS THE ENTITY THAT WILL COORDINATE THE COUNTY'S EFFORTS.

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(A) THE LOCAL HEALTH OFFICERS OF TWO OR MORE COUNTIES MAY JOIN TOGETHER AS A REGION TO APPLY FOR A LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH CANCER GRANT.

(B) THE DEPARTMENT MAY REQUIRE THAT TWO OR MORE COUNTIES JOIN TOGETHER AS A REGION TO APPLY FOR A LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH CANCER GRANT IF THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT:

(1) IT WOULD BE COST-EFFECTIVE TO FUND CANCER PREVENTION, ~~IDENTIFICATION~~ EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT PROGRAMS FOR TARGETED CANCERS ON A REGIONAL BASIS; AND