certain qualifications for practice under supervision; authorizing the use of certain titles and certain representations; prohibiting the use of those titles and representations by individuals not licensed; providing certain penalties for certain violations; defining certain terms; and generally relating to licensed clinical marriage and family therapists, licensed graduate marriage and family therapists, licensed clinical professional counselors, and licensed graduate clinical professional counselors.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Health Occupations

Section 17-205

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Section 17 205, 17 302.2, 17 3A 01, 17 3A 06, and 17 3A 11

Section 17 205 and 17-3A-01

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Article - Health Occupations

Section 17-3A-02.1

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

Article - Health Occupations

17 - 205.

- (a) In addition to the powers set forth elsewhere in this title, the Board may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this title.
 - (b) In addition to the duties set forth elsewhere in this title, the Board shall:
- (1) Maintain a registry of all counselors or therapists currently licensed or certified by the Board;
 - (2) Submit an annual report to the Governor and the Secretary;
- (3) Adopt a code of ethics that the Board considers to be appropriate and applicable to the counselors or therapists currently certified or licensed by the Board;
- (4) Establish continuing education requirements for the counselors or therapists currently certified or licensed by the Board;