

regulations to ensure that federally qualified health centers are paid reasonable cost based reimbursement that is consistent with federal law; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the State Medical Assistance Program and payment of federally qualified health centers.

BY renumbering

~~Article — Health — General
Section 15 — 101(g) through (k), respectively
to be Section 15 — 101(h) through (l), respectively
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2000 Replacement Volume)~~

BY adding to

~~Article — Health — General
Section 15 — 101(g)
Annotated Code of Maryland
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BY repealing ~~and reenacting, with amendments,~~

~~Article — Health — General
Section 15 — 103(e)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2000 Replacement Volume)~~

BY adding to

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Section 15 — 103(e)
Annotated Code of Maryland
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(As enacted by Chapters 434 and 435 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1998)~~

~~SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section(s) 15 — 101(g) through (k), respectively, of Article — Health — General of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 15 — 101(h) through (l), respectively.~~

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

Article — Health — General

~~15 — 101.~~

~~(G) "MARKET RATE" MEANS A RATE DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT THAT IS EQUIVALENT TO THE AGGREGATE AVERAGE REIMBURSEMENT PAID TO HEALTH~~