

~~Hygiene to establish and enforce certain standards to certify third party assisted living accreditation programs; requiring certain standards to authorize the acceptance of a certain survey as sufficient for compliance with certain licensure requirements; requiring that a certain survey be available for public review; requiring the assisted living program manager of a certain licensed facility to be certified by the Department; requiring the Department to approve a certain certification curriculum that includes certain training areas; providing that certain uncertified assistant living program managers obtain a certain certification by a certain date; providing for the renewal period of a certain certification; requiring the Department to adopt certain regulations; accept all or part of a certain accrediting report as meeting the State licensing requirements for the renewal of a license to operate an assisted living facility program; prohibiting the Department from accepting all or part of a certain accrediting report as meeting the State licensing requirements for an initial license to operate an assisted living facility program; requiring an assisted living facility program to submit a certain report to the Department within a certain time period; requiring a certain report to be made available to the public on request; authorizing the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene to inspect certain assisted living facility programs for certain purposes; requiring the Department, in consultation with the assisted living industry to develop a certain methodology based on the actual cost of certain services conduct a certain review, study certain costs, and consider certain reimbursement options; requiring the Department to submit a certain report on or before a certain date; requiring the Department to conduct a certain evaluation and submit a certain report to certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date; providing for the effective date of certain provisions of this Act; providing for the termination of certain provisions of this Act; and generally relating to the certification of third party accreditation programs and managers of assisted living facilities.~~

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section ~~19-1805(a)~~ 19-1805

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(As enacted by Chapter 195 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1999)

BY adding to

Article ~~Health - General~~

Section ~~19-1807~~