

(4) Conduct [an Annual] A BIENNIAL Cancer Study, as provided under § 13-1104 of this subtitle.

(f) (3) The Department may contract with an entity to conduct the Baseline Cancer Study and one or more [annual] BIENNIAL cancer studies as required under § 13-1104 of this subtitle.

13-1104.

(a) [Each year following the year in which the Baseline Cancer Study is completed] BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2004 AND BIENNIALY THEREAFTER, the Department shall conduct [an Annual] A BIENNIAL Cancer Study.

(b) The [Annual] BIENNIAL Cancer Study shall:

(1) Measure the same factors that are set forth in § 13-1103(d) of this subtitle; and

(2) Use the same methodology or model that is used to conduct the Baseline Cancer Study.

(c) The Department may:

(1) Conduct the [Annual] BIENNIAL Cancer Study or any part of the Study; or

(2) Contract with a higher education institution or private entity to conduct the [Annual] BIENNIAL Cancer Study or any part of the Study.

(d) (1) If the Department chooses to have a higher education institution or private entity conduct the [Annual] BIENNIAL Cancer Study or any part of the Study, the Department shall issue a request for proposal to select the entity that will conduct the Study or the relevant part of the Study.

(2) The Department may contract with an entity to conduct one or more [annual] BIENNIAL cancer studies or a part of one or more [annual] BIENNIAL cancer studies.

(e) On or before September 1 of [each year] EACH ODD NUMBERED FISCAL YEAR, BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2005, the Department shall submit [an annual] A report to the Governor and, subject to § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly, on the results of the [Annual] BIENNIAL Cancer Study.

13-1108.

(b) Subject to [subsection (c)] SUBSECTIONS (C) THROUGH (E) of this section and §§ 13-1109 through 13-1113 of this subtitle, the Department shall distribute a Local Public Health Cancer Grant to each county that is equal to the sum of:

(1) A BASE AMOUNT OF FUNDING AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR EACH COUNTY;

[(1)] (2) The product of: