

(1) THE AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE FUND ON THE LAST DAY OF THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR;

(2) THE AMOUNT OF MONEY APPLIED FOR BY ELIGIBLE TRAUMA PHYSICIANS AND TRAUMA CENTERS DURING THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR;

(3) THE AMOUNT OF MONEY DISTRIBUTED IN THE FORM OF TRAUMA PHYSICIAN AND TRAUMA CENTER REIMBURSEMENTS DURING THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR; AND

(4) ANY RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ALTERING THE MANNER IN WHICH TRAUMA PHYSICIAN UNCOMPENSATED CARE COSTS PHYSICIANS AND TRAUMA CENTERS ARE REIMBURSED FROM THE FUND;

(5) THE COSTS INCURRED IN ADMINISTERING THE FUND DURING THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR; AND

(6) THE AMOUNT THAT EACH HOSPITAL THAT PARTICIPATES IN THE MARYLAND TRAUMA SYSTEM AND THAT HAS A TRAUMA CENTER CONTRIBUTES TOWARD THE SUBSIDIZATION OF TRAUMA-RELATED COSTS FOR ITS TRAUMA CENTER.

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(b) In addition to the duties set forth elsewhere in this subtitle, the Commission shall:

(1) Adopt rules and regulations that relate to its meetings, minutes, and transactions;

(2) Keep minutes of each meeting;

(3) Prepare annually a budget proposal that includes the estimated income of the Commission and proposed expenses for its administration and operation;

(4) Within a reasonable time after the end of each facility's fiscal year or more often as the Commission determines, prepare from the information filed with the Commission any summary, compilation, or other supplementary report that will advance the purposes of this subtitle;

(5) Periodically participate in or do analyses and studies that relate to:

(i) Health care costs;

(ii) The financial status of any facility; or

(iii) Any other appropriate matter; [and]

(6) On or before October 1 of each year, submit to the Governor, to the Secretary, and, subject to § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly an annual report on the operations and activities of the Commission during the preceding fiscal year, including: